

**RESOLUTION No. 25-**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE CITY OF DORAL “EMERGENCY HARDSHIP GRANT 4 FAMILIES (EHG4F) PROGRAM” POLICY; PROVIDING FOR PURPOSE, ELIGIBILITY, PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION, FUNDING ALLOCATION, AND OVERSIGHT; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Doral desires to assist resident households facing verified, unforeseen hardships that threaten their ability to meet essential living expenses and maintain stable housing; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council find that the creation of a City-funded hardship program promotes the public health, safety, and welfare of the community by providing limited, short-term financial assistance to residents in need, thereby preventing displacement and interruption of essential services; and

**WHEREAS**, the “Emergency Hardship Grant 4 Families (EHG4F) Program” has been proposed as a policy establishing eligibility criteria, program oversight, funding allocation, and application procedures; and

**WHEREAS**, for Fiscal Year 2025–2026, the City has allocated \$100,000 for the program, to be disbursed until such allocation is exhausted; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council wish to approve and adopt the EHG4F Program policy as set forth and attached hereto as Exhibit “A”, and incorporated herein by reference.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1. Recitals.** The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by this reference.

**Section 2. Approval.** The City Council hereby approves and adopts the “Emergency Hardship Grant 4 Families (EHG4F) Program” Policy, attached hereto as **Exhibit “A.”**

**Section 3. Administration.** The Finance Department, with the assistance of the Constituent Services Coordinator, shall administer the program in accordance with the policy, including eligibility verification, application review, and disbursement of funds directly to third-party providers. Applications will be reviewed for eligibility by a designated committee of three City staff members.

**Section 4. Funding.** For Fiscal Year 2025–2026, the allocation of \$100,000.00 is approved for the EHG4F Program. Future funding levels shall be determined annually during the City’s budget process.

**Section 5. Implementation.** The City Manager and/or his designee are authorized to take all necessary action to implement the intent of this Resolution and the adopted program.

**Section 6. Severability.** If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or provision of this Resolution is held invalid, the remainder shall not be affected by such invalidity.

**Section 7. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Mayor Christi Fraga.

The foregoing Resolution was offered by \_\_\_\_\_ who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Christi Fraga	_____
Vice Mayor Maureen Porras	_____
Councilwoman Digna Cabral	_____
Councilman Rafael Pineyro	_____
Councilwoman Nicole Reinoso	_____

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 10 day of September, 2025.

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CHRISTI FRAGA, MAYOR

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
CONNIE DIAZ, MMC  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY  
FOR THE USE AND RELIANCE OF THE CITY OF DORAL ONLY:

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