

RESOLUTION No. 25-

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR H.R. 4393, THE “DIGNIDAD (DIGNITY) ACT OF 2025” INTRODUCED BY CONGRESSWOMAN MARÍA ELVIRA SALAZAR; PROVIDING FOR TRANSMITTAL; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City of Doral is home to a large and diverse immigrant population, including many individuals and families who contribute to the social, cultural, and economic fabric of our community; and

WHEREAS, Congresswoman María Elvira Salazar has introduced H.R. 4393, the “Dignity for Immigrants while Guarding our Nation to Ignite and Deliver the American Dream Act of 2025,” also known as the “Ley DIGNIDAD (DIGNITY Act)”, to provide a bipartisan, commonsense framework for immigration reform; and

WHEREAS, the Ley DIGNIDAD proposes a comprehensive approach to border security, protection for Dreamers, modernization of the legal immigration system, and the establishment of the Dignity Program, which provides legal status and work authorization for certain undocumented immigrants who have long contributed to the U.S. economy and communities; and

WHEREAS, the Act includes safeguards to ensure participants pay restitution, remain in compliance with the law, and receive no federal benefits, while also investing in American workers, reducing the national debt, and improving humanitarian processes at the border; and

WHEREAS, the City of Doral supports efforts that promote responsible immigration policy, honor the dignity of those who contribute to our society, and protect

the interests of our nation and its communities through security, accountability, and opportunity;

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

Section 1. Incorporation of Recitals. The foregoing recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by this reference.

Section 2. Support. The Mayor and City Council hereby express their strong support for H.R. 4393, the DIGNIDAD Act of 2025, and urge members of the United States Congress to consider and pass this bipartisan legislation that seeks to strengthen border security, modernize our immigration system, and provide lawful, structured pathways for long-standing undocumented immigrants.

Section 3. Transmittal. The City Clerk is hereby directed to transmit a certified copy of this Resolution to Congresswoman María Elvira Salazar, members of Florida's congressional delegation, and other relevant legislative officials.

Section 4. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Councilwoman Nicole Reinoso.

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 13 day of August, 2025.

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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