

# CITY OF DORAL COUNCIL MEETING MEMORANDUM MAYOR AND COUNCIL

## **ITEM TITLE:**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING MUNICIPAL SPONSORSHIPS TO THE GLORIA M. FOUNDATION IN THE AMOUNT OF ONE THOUSAND DOLLARSAND 00/100 (\$1,000.00); LATIN AMERICAN US FOUNDATION IN THE AMOUNT OF ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND 00/100 (\$1,000.00); FUNDUNIFE IN THE AMOUNT OF SEVEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS AND 00/100 (\$750.00); AND TO CÍRCULO DE ESCRITORES Y POETAS IBEROAMERICANOS INC. IN THE AMOUNT OF TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS AND 00/100 (\$250.00), PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-79 OF THE CITY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR AUTHORIZATION; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

## **BRIEF HISTORY:**

The Gloria M. Silverio Foundation and its program "A Safe Haven for Newborns" is a statewide initiative that partners with every hospital in Florida, as well as fire and EMS stations, including those serving Doral, to prevent infant abandonment by offering safe and legal alternatives for parents in crisis. Its work protects vulnerable children, supports first responders, and ensures Doral families have access to this lifesaving safety net.

Latin American US Foundation has worked since 2018 to promote youth development and civic participation through educational and cultural activities in Miami-Dade communities. By creating opportunities for learning, volunteering, and inclusion, the Foundation advances the City of Doral's vision of fostering engaged and thriving residents.

FUNDUNIFE supports the diaspora community through cultural and educational programs that expand opportunities and strengthen identity. These initiatives enrich quality of life, promote cultural engagement, and align with Doral's commitment to community growth and diversity.

Círculo de Escritores y Poetas Iberoamericanos Inc. (CEPI), founded in 2008, is a nonprofit cultural organization dedicated to preserving and promoting Ibero-American literature and the arts. Through book presentations, poetry recitals, conferences, and its Cuadernos Literarios magazine, CEPI provides a platform for local and international writers. Its programs foster creativity, cultural pride, and community identity—values that align with Doral's commitment to cultural enrichment and diversity.

## **LEGISLATIVE ACTION: (IF APPLICABLE)**

Date:	Resolution/Ordinance No.	Comments

#### FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT:

The proposed item has a fiscal impact on revenues and/or expenditures in the amount of:
[x] \$50,000.00 or less
□ \$50,000.00 or more

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

I seek your support in moving forward with municipal sponsorships of \$1,000 to A Safe Haven for Newborns, \$1,000 to the Latin American US Foundation, \$750 to FUNDUNIFE, and \$250 to CEPI. These contributions align with the City of Doral's mission by supporting organizations that advance public safety, youth engagement, and cultural enrichment in our community.

## **ATTACHMENT(S):**

- A. Brief History
- B. Non-Profit Verification
- C. Draft Resolution