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**CITY OF MIRAMAR
MIRAMAR, FLORIDA**

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIRAMAR, FLORIDA, APPROVING A SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT IN THE CASE OF THE LIGHT ACADEMY OF FLORIDA, LLC VS. CITY OF MIRAMAR; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO TAKE NECESSARY ACTION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, on or about August 12, 2025, Plaintiff, The Light Academy of Florida, LLC, initiated litigation against the City of Miramar in the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit in and for Broward County, Florida, in a case styled *The Light Academy of Florida, LLC v. City of Miramar*, Case No. CACE-25-011992; and

WHEREAS, the parties have agreed to settle all issues involved with the Plaintiff's lawsuit wherein it was alleged, among other things, that the City breached the lease agreement between the parties, wrongfully evicted Plaintiff and interfered with a contractual relationship; and

WHEREAS, neither party admits liability in this matter; however, in an effort to resolve the pending controversy, all parties desire to amicably and expeditiously resolve all claims and avoid continued litigation; and

WHEREAS, The City Commission hereby accepts the recommendation of the City's Risk Management Department to settle this matter consistent with the Settlement Agreement, attached to this Resolution as Exhibit "A;" and

WHEREAS, the parties desire to enter into a Settlement Agreement with the intended purpose of resolving all claims as set forth in Exhibit "A."

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**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF
MIRAMAR, FLORIDA AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Adoption of Representations. The foregoing “**WHEREAS**” clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and the same are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution.

Section 2. Approval of Settlement Agreement.

The City Commission of the City of Miramar hereby approves the agreement between the Plaintiff, The Light Academy of Florida, and the City of Miramar, consistent with the Settlement Agreement attached hereto as Exhibit “A” and further authorizes the City Manager to take all necessary action consistent with this Resolution.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption hereof.

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PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, _____.

Mayor, Wayne M. Messam

Vice Mayor, Carson "Eddy" Edwards

ATTEST:

City Clerk, Denise A. Gibbs

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have approved
this RESOLUTION as to form:

City Attorney,
Austin Pamies Norris Weeks Powell, PLLC

<u>Requested by Administration</u>	<u>Voted</u>
Commissioner Maxwell B. Chambers	_____
Commissioner Avril Cherasard	_____
Commissioner Yvette Colbourne	_____
Vice Mayor Carson "Eddy" Edwards	_____
Mayor Wayne M. Messam	_____