

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CITY MANAGER, PURSUANT TO REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) NO. 2025-012-DF, MIAMI BEACH CONVENTION CENTER (MBCC) PORTABLE FOOD CONCESSION CARTS; AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATION TO ENTER INTO NEGOTIATIONS WITH IKONIQ, INC., AS THE TOP-RANKED PROPOSER; FURTHER, IF THE ADMINISTRATION IS NOT SUCCESSFUL IN NEGOTIATING AN AGREEMENT WITH IKONIQ, INC., AUTHORIZING THE ADMINISTRATION TO ENTER INTO NEGOTIATIONS WITH IOWA ROTOCAST PLASTICS INC., AS THE SECOND RANKED PROPOSER; AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER AND CITY CLERK TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT UPON CONCLUSION OF SUCCESSFUL NEGOTIATIONS BY THE ADMINISTRATION.

WHEREAS, on October 30, 2024, the Mayor and City Commission authorized the issuance of RFP 2025-012-DF for Miami Beach Convention Center (MBCC) portable food concession carts; and

WHEREAS, on December 16, 2024, the City received proposals from the following three (3) firms: Culinary Depot, Inc.; Ikoniq, Inc.; and, Iowa Rotocast Plastics Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the proposal submitted by Culinary Depot, Inc. was deemed non-responsive to the RFP for failure to submit a completed Cost Proposal Form as required in the RFP and its submittal received no further consideration; and

WHEREAS, on January 13, 2025, the City Manager appointed the Evaluation Committee via LTC # 018-2025. The Committee comprised Francisco Garcia, Division Director, Facilities and Fleet Management Department; Angelo Grande, Director of Venue Operations, OVG360; Robin Jacobs, Chair, Miami Beach Convention Center Advisory Board; Danny Medina, Regional Vice President, Sodexo Live!; and Heather Shaw, Assistant Director, Economic Development Department; and

WHEREAS, the Evaluation Committee convened on March 10, 2025, to consider the proposals received; and

WHEREAS, the Committee was provided an overview of the project, information relative to the City's Code of Silence Ordinance, the Government Sunshine Law, and general information on the scope of services and a copy of each proposal; and

WHEREAS, the Committee was instructed to score and rank each proposal pursuant to the evaluation criteria established in the RFP; and

WHEREAS, the evaluation process resulted in the proposers being ranked by the Evaluation Committee in the following order:

1st - Ikoniq, Inc

2nd - Iowa Rotocast Plastics Inc.; and

WHEREAS, after reviewing all of the submissions and the Evaluation Committee process, the City Manager concurs with the Evaluation Committee and finds Ikoniq, Inc., the top-ranked firm, to be the best qualified firm to provide the services; and

WHEREAS, Ikoniq, Inc. has provided satisfactory services to the City as the incumbent vendor for the services since 2018.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, that the Mayor and City Commission hereby accept the recommendation of the City Manager, pursuant to Request for Proposals (Rfp) No. 2025-012-Df, Miami Beach Convention Center (MBCC) portable food concession carts; authorize the Administration to enter into negotiations with Ikoniq, Inc., as the top-ranked proposer; further, if the Administration is not successful in negotiating an agreement with Ikoniq, Inc., authorize the Administration to enter into negotiations with Iowa Rotocast Plastics Inc., as the second ranked proposer; and further authorize the City Manager and City Clerk to execute an agreement upon conclusion of successful negotiations by the Administration.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____ 2025.

ATTEST:

RAFAEL E. GRANADO, CITY CLERK

STEVEN MEINER, MAYOR

APPROVED AS TO
FORM & LANGUAGE
& FOR EXECUTION



City Attorney



Date