

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, AUTHORIZING A ONE-TIME MATCHING GRANT OF \$5,000.00 TO THE SUNFLOWER SOCIETY, A 501(C)(3) NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION, TO SUPPORT ITS FREE AFTER-SCHOOL AND INTERGENERATIONAL COMMUNITY ART CLASSES AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY CLERK AND CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE CITY'S STANDARD GRANT AGREEMENT WITH RESPECT TO THE FOREGOING.**

**WHEREAS**, the Sunflower Society is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization that has been active in the community since 1971, offering free after-school art classes for children and adults in Miami Beach through partnerships with local schools and venues such as Fienberg Fisher K-8 Center, UNIDAD of Miami Beach, and the Miami Beach Botanical Garden; and

**WHEREAS**, these programs foster environmental awareness, civic engagement, and intergenerational collaboration, and regularly culminate in public exhibits attended by elected officials and community members; and

**WHEREAS**, the Sunflower Society receives limited funding from Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs, discretionary contributions from County Commissioners, and other community-based sources, and has requested funds from the City of Miami Beach to complement a grant from Miami-Dade County; and

**WHEREAS**, the organization has requested a \$5,000.00 grant from the City to support the continuation of its free art programming for the upcoming fiscal year beginning October 1, 2025; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Commission recognizes the value of the Sunflower Society's contributions to the cultural and educational life of Miami Beach and wishes to support its efforts.

**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 authorize a one-time matching grant of \$5,000.00 to the Sunflower Society, a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, to support its free after-school and intergenerational community art classes and authorize the City Clerk and City Manager to execute the City's standard grant agreement with respect to the foregoing.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

**ATTEST:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Steven Meiner, Mayor

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Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

(Sponsored by Commissioner Kristen Rosen Gonzalez)

APPROVED AS TO  
FORM & LANGUAGE  
& FOR EXECUTION



City Attorney *RR*

*5/7/2025*  
Date