



**COMMISSION MEMORANDUM**

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission

FROM: City Attorney Ricardo J. Dopico

DATE: April 23, 2025

TITLE: A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE AD HOC HISTORIC PRESERVATION ORDINANCE REVIEW ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO INCLUDE AS A PRIORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2026 BUDGET AN ENHANCEMENT TO FUND AN ADDITIONAL PRINCIPAL PLANNER POSITION IN THE PLANNING DEPARTMENT TO ASSIST WITH HISTORIC PRESERVATION REVIEW AND ANY NEW POTENTIAL INCENTIVES PROGRAM.

**RECOMMENDATION**

**BACKGROUND/HISTORY**

**ANALYSIS**

The attached Resolution has been placed on the City Commission meeting agenda at the request of Commissioner Alex Fernandez.

**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

The sponsor has requested that the City Administration be prepared to address the fiscal impact of this measure at the City Commission meeting.

**Does this Ordinance require a Business Impact Estimate?**

(FOR ORDINANCES ONLY)

If applicable, the Business Impact Estimate (BIE) was published on:

See BIE at: <https://www.miamibeachfl.gov/city-hall/city-clerk/meeting-notices/>

**FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

**CONCLUSION**

**Applicable Area**

Citywide

**Is this a “Residents Right to Know” item,  
pursuant to City Code Section 2-17?**

No

**Is this item related to a G.O. Bond  
Project?**

No

**Was this Agenda Item initially requested by a lobbyist which, as defined in Code Sec. 2-481,  
includes a principal engaged in lobbying?** No

If so, specify the name of lobbyist(s) and principal(s):

**Department**

Planning

**Sponsor(s)**

Commissioner Alex Fernandez

**Co-sponsor(s)**

**Condensed Title**

Prioritize for FY 2026 Budget, Additional Principal Planner. (Fernandez) PL

**Previous Action (For City Clerk Use Only)**