

MIAMI BEACH

COMMISSION MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission

FROM: City Attorney Ricardo J. Dopico

DATE: February 26, 2025

TITLE: A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, URGING THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO FIND A PERMANENT SOLUTION FOR LAW-ABIDING VENEZUELAN REFUGED IN MIAMI BEACH AND ELSEWHERE IN THE UNITED STATES, ENSURING THEIR SAFETY, SECURITY, AND ABILITY TO CONTINUE CONTRIBUTING TO THEIR COMMUNITIES, AND FURTHER, DIRECTING THE CLERK TO TRANSMIT A COPY OF THIS RESOLUTION TO CALEB VITELLO, ACTING DIRECTOR OF IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT (ICE), SENATOR ASHLEY MOODY, SENATOR RICK SCOTT AND CONGRESSWOMAN MARIA ELVIRA SALAZAR.

RECOMMENDATION

BACKGROUND/HISTORY

ANALYSIS

The attached Resolution was prepared at the request of the sponsor, Commissioner Joseph Magazine.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

N/A

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

City Attorney

Sponsor(s)

Commissioner Joseph Magazine

Co-sponsor(s)

Commissioner Alex Fernandez

Condensed Title

Urge Federal Gov't to Find a Solution for Law-Abiding Venezuelans Refuged in MB.
(Magazine/Fernandez) CA

Previous Action (For City Clerk Use Only)