

C4 K REFERRAL TO THE FINANCE AND ECONOMIC RESILIENCY COMMITTEE TO EXPLORE CREATION OF AN EMPTY SPACE RE-UTILIZATION INITIATIVE TO SET UP AS PHOTO SHOOT STUDIOS FOR ASPIRING ARTISTS/PHOTOGRAPHERS (ON CITY-OWNED PROPERTY).



**COMMISSION MEMORANDUM**

TO:	Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission
FROM:	Commissioner Joseph Magazine
DATE:	June 26, 2024
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**RECOMMENDATION**

Taking into account that utilizing vacant retail spaces can revitalize the property and reiterating successes such as the Muhammad Ali Exhibit on Washington Ave. there can be a dual opportunity to both promote vacant retail spaces as well as promote Miami Beach as a city where aspiring artists and photographers can stimulate their creativity and further their careers with photo shoot studio spaces.

**BACKGROUND/HISTORY**

N/A

**ANALYSIS**

**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

N/A

**Does this Ordinance require a Business Impact Estimate?**  
(FOR ORDINANCES ONLY)

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): N/A

**Department**

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