

C7 W A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, DIRECTING THE ADMINISTRATION TO IMPLEMENT THE DECORATIVE LIGHTING ON WEST SIDE OF OCEAN DRIVE PLAN, UTILIZING THE ALLOCATED ONE-TIME FUNDING OF \$428,000 AS PROVIDED IN THE FY 2025 BUDGET.

Applicable Area:

# MIAMI BEACH

## COMMISSION MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission

FROM: City Attorney Ricardo J. Dopico

DATE: November 20, 2024

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### **RECOMMENDATION**

### **BACKGROUND/HISTORY**

### **ANALYSIS**

The attached Resolution was prepared at the request of the sponsor, Vice-Mayor Alex Fernandez.

### **FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

The fiscal impact of this measure shall not exceed the allocated one-time funding of \$428,000, as provided in the FY 2025 budget.

### **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 Alex Fernandez

**Co-sponsor(s)**

**Condensed Title**

Decorative Lighting on West Side of Ocean Drive Plan. (Fernandez) CA

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

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**WHEREAS**, Ocean Drive is one of Miami Beach's most iconic streets, renowned worldwide for its historic architecture, vibrant nightlife, and role as a central gathering place for both residents and visitors; and

**WHEREAS**, at the September 16, 2024, first FY 2025 Budget Hearing, Vice-Mayor Alex J. Fernandez highlighted the ongoing need for improved lighting on the west side of Ocean Drive, and requested improvements to it to be included in the budget; and

**WHEREAS**, in response to this concern, the Mayor and City Commission approved the FY 2025 budget on September 25, 2024, which allocated a one-time funding amount of \$428,000 specifically for decorative lighting improvements on the west side of Ocean Drive; and

**WHEREAS**, the addition of decorative lighting on Ocean Drive will not only improve visibility and public safety but will also enhance the aesthetic appeal of the area, reinforcing Miami Beach's reputation as a premier destination.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA**, that the Mayor and City Commission hereby direct the Administration to implement the Decorative Lighting on West Side of Ocean Drive Plan, utilizing the allocated one-time funding of \$428,000 as provided in the FY 2025 budget.

**PASSED and ADOPTED** this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

**ATTEST:**

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Steven Meiner, Mayor

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Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

(sponsored by Vice-Mayor Alex J. Fernandez)

APPROVED AS TO  
FORM & LANGUAGE  
& FOR EXECUTION

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City Attorney *FA*

*11/13/2024*  
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Date