

R7 J A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, REPEALING RESOLUTION NO. 90-19931, WHICH ESTABLISHED A "POLICE SPECIAL REVENUE – UNCLAIMED PROPERTY" ACCOUNT TO BE UTILIZED FOR THE APPROPRIATION OF UNCLAIMED FUNDS THAT HAVE VESTED PERMANENTLY 60 DAYS AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF A PROCEEDING, AND PROVIDING THAT FROM AND AFTER OCTOBER 1, 2024 SAID UNCLAIMED FUNDS SHALL INSTEAD BE APPROPRIATED AND USED IN THE GENERAL FUND.

Applicable Area:

# MIAMI BEACH

## COMMISSION MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission

FROM: Eric Carpenter, City Manager

DATE: November 20, 2024

TITLE: A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, REPEALING RESOLUTION NO. 90-19931, WHICH ESTABLISHED A "POLICE SPECIAL REVENUE – UNCLAIMED PROPERTY" ACCOUNT TO BE UTILIZED FOR THE APPROPRIATION OF UNCLAIMED FUNDS THAT HAVE VESTED PERMANENTLY 60 DAYS AFTER THE CONCLUSION OF A PROCEEDING, AND PROVIDING THAT FROM AND AFTER OCTOBER 1, 2024 SAID UNCLAIMED FUNDS SHALL INSTEAD BE APPROPRIATED AND USED IN THE GENERAL FUND.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

The Administration recommends that the Mayor and City Commission adopt the attached Resolution which repeals Resolution no. 90-19931, which established a "Police Special Revenue – Unclaimed Property" account to be utilized for the appropriation of unclaimed funds that have vested permanently 60 days after the conclusion of a proceeding. Instead, the Resolution will provide that from and after October 1, 2024, all unclaimed funds shall be appropriated and used in the General Fund.

### **BACKGROUND/HISTORY**

Florida Statutes Section 705.105, Procedure for Unclaimed Evidence, provides that title to unclaimed evidence in the custody of the court from criminal proceeding or seized as evidence by and in the custody of a law enforcement agency, shall vest permanently in the law enforcement agency 60 days after the conclusion of the proceeding. On March 7, 1990, the Mayor and City Commission adopted the City administration's recommendation to remove the funding associated with Unclaimed Property from the General Fund and move all current and future funding to a "Police Special Revenue – Unclaimed Property" account via Resolution 90-19931.

During the FY 2025 budget process, it was determined that there was nothing legally requiring the City to maintain the Unclaimed Property funds in its own separate Special Revenue account. In an effort to minimize the number of special revenue funds, it was recommended that an item be brought before the Mayor & City Commission to reallocate current and future Unclaimed Property funding to the General Fund.

### **ANALYSIS**

See information provided above.

## **FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

See information provided above.

## **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-notice/>

## **FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

The Police Unclaimed Property budget for FY 2025, as summarized below and further detailed in Attachment A, is \$19,000.

Expenditures in FY 2025 Budget	\$
Miscellaneous Expenditures	\$12,000
Miscellaneous Facilities Maintenance	4,000
Miscellaneous Law Enforcement Supplies	3,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$19,000</b>

## **CONCLUSION**

The Administration recommends that the Mayor and City Commission adopt the attached Resolution, which repeals Resolution no. 90-19931, which established a “Police Special Revenue – Unclaimed Property” account to be utilized for the appropriation of unclaimed funds that have vested permanently 60 days after the conclusion of a proceeding and allow all current and future funding to be allocated to the City’s General Fund.

Attachment A – FY 2025 Unclaimed Property Budget

Attachment B – Resolution 90-19931

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## **Applicable Area**

Citywide

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

Yes

**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**

Management and Budget

**Sponsor(s)**

**Co-sponsor(s)**

**Condensed Title**

Appropriation of Unclaimed Funds in General Fund. OMB.

Current		Proposed		
Accounts	Budgeted Amount	Accounts	Budgeted Amount	Description
195-1110-000312	\$4,000	011-1110-000343	\$4,000	Miscellaneous Facilities Maintenance
195-1110-000343	\$3,000	011-1110-000343	\$3,000	Miscellaneous Law Enforcement Supplies
195-1110-000362	\$12,000	011-1110-000343	\$12,000	Miscellaneous Expenditures
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$19,000</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$19,000</b>	

RESOLUTION NO. 90-19931

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, PROVIDING FOR THE CREATION OF "POLICE SPECIAL REVENUE - CAPITAL ACCOUNT" IN THE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1989/1990. SUCH ACCOUNT TO BE FUNDED BY UNCLAIMED CURRENCY CURRENTLY HELD IN POLICE PROPERTY MANAGEMENT UNIT.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA:

WHEREAS, Florida Statutes Section 705.105, Procedure for Unclaimed Evidence, provides that title to unclaimed evidence in the custody of the court from a criminal proceeding or seized as evidence by and in the custody of a law enforcement agency, shall vest permanently in the law enforcement agency 60 days after the conclusion of the proceeding; and

WHEREAS, such funds are currently available in the Police Property Management Unit, amounting to \$20,724 such funds being unclaimed evidence from criminal proceedings; and

WHEREAS, in the past, such unclaimed funds have been made part of the general fund of the City of Miami Beach, this revenue shall now be appropriated into a "Police Special Revenue - Capital Account" in the special revenue fund, to be utilized by the City of Miami Beach Police Department as such need exists; and

WHEREAS, said appropriation of funds will lapse at the conclusion of each fiscal year.

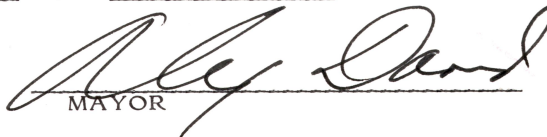
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, THAT the City Commission hereby creates the "Police Special Revenue - Capital Account" in the Special Revenue Fund for the year 1989/1990, beginning with unclaimed funds held in the police property management unit as of 1 January 1990 and continuing therein, and such funds are hereby appropriated into said "Police Special Revenue - Capital Account"

Police Special Revenue - Capital Account

**Adopted Budget**

\$ 20,724

PASSED and ADOPTED this 7th day of March, 1990.

  
MAYOR

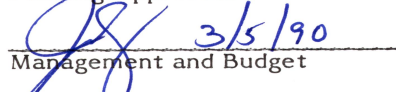
ATTEST by:

  
City Clerk

Legal Form:

  
City Attorney

Funding Approved:

  
Management and Budget

# City of Miami Beach

FLORIDA 33139



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ROB W. PARKINS  
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"VACATIONLAND U. S. A."

COMMISSION MEMORANDUM NO. 140-90

DATE: March 7, 1990

TO: Mayor Alex Daoud and  
Members of the City Commission

FROM: Rob W. Parkins  
City Manager

SUBJECT: CREATION OF "POLICE SPECIAL REVENUE - CAPITAL ACCOUNT"  
IN THE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND

The Administration requests a Resolution creating a Police Special revenue Fund in which unclaimed evidence in the custody of the Miami Beach Police Department and seized as part of a criminal proceeding, becomes the property of the Miami Beach Police Department 60 days after the conclusion of the court proceeding, as authorized by Florida Statute 705.105, and will be appropriated and placed into a specially created "Police Special Revenue - Capital Account" Special Revenue Fund.

#### ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDATION

The Administration recommends that the City Commission approve and adopt the creation of a "Police Special Revenue - Capital Account" Special Revenue Fund and appropriate the currently available funding.

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DATE

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ORIGINAL

RESOLUTION NO. 90-19931

Providing for the creation of "Police Special Revenue - Capital Account" in the Special Revenue Fund for the fiscal year 1989/1990. Such account to be funded by unclaimed currency currently held in Police property management unit.