CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-39

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION APPROVING THE "EL CARNAVAL DE BARRANQUILLA USA" EVENT AS ONE OF FIVE EVENTS OF THE INTERNATIONAL CULTURAL EVENTS INITIATIVE.

- WHEREAS, the International Cultural Events Initiative is a program focused on bringing five high-quality, international, and culturally enriching events to Coral Gables with the purpose of learning and experiencing the culture and ethnicity of other countries for the benefit of residents, businesses and visitors; and
- WHEREAS, "El Carnaval de Barranquilla" is one of Colombia's most important folkloric celebrations, and one of the biggest carnivals in the world; and
- **WHEREAS**, this request has been reviewed by the City's Special Events Committee and qualifies for this International Cultural Events Initiative program based on the established criteria; and
- **WHEREAS**, the City of Coral Gables will provide in-kind contributions/overhead costs, as specified in the criteria attached, not to exceed the amount of \$20,000;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES:

- **SECTION 1**. The foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution upon adoption hereof.
- **SECTION 2**. That the City Commission does hereby approve "El Carnaval de Barranquilla USA" event as one of five events of the international cultural events initiative.
- **SECTION 3**. That this Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its passage and adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY A.D., 2024.

(Moved: Anderson / Seconded: Lago)

(Yeas: Castro, Fernandez, Menendez, Anderson, Lago)

(Unanimous Voice Vote) (Agenda Item: D-4)

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