

**RESOLUTION NO. 2025-R-46**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE INTERIM CITY MANAGER TO ENGAGE THE SERVICES OF GABRIEL, ROEDER, SMITH & COMPANY, TO PERFORM ACTUARIAL CONSULTING SERVICES, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000.00), IN SUPPORT OF ANTICIPATED LITIGATION; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, on December 12, 2023, the City of North Miami ("City") Mayor and City Council adopted Resolution No. 2023-R-231, authorizing the initiation of legal action to recover the loss of City funds attributed to theft of pension proceeds from the City Pension Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, in support of the City's anticipated litigation, it is recommended that a financial expert conduct an accounting of the estimated financial damages incurred by the City; and

**WHEREAS**, the City has obtained a quote from Gabriel, Roeder, Smith & Company to perform the desired actuarial consulting services at a cost not to exceed Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00); and

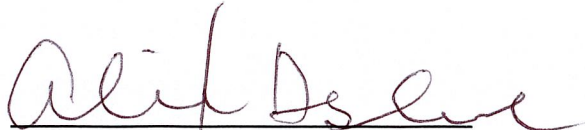
**WHEREAS**, City administration respectfully requests that the Mayor and City Council authorize the engagement of Gabriel, Roeder, Smith & Company to perform actuarial consulting services.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA:**


**Section 1.**     **Authority of Interim City Manager.** The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby authorize the Interim City Manager to engage the services of Gabriel, Roeder, Smith & Company to perform actuarial consulting services in an amount not to exceed Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000), in support of anticipated litigation.

**Section 2.**     **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

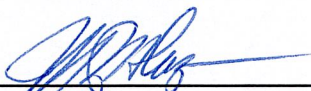
**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by a 4 - 0 vote of the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, this 25th day of February, 2025.

  
ALIX DESULME, ED.D.  
MAYOR

ATTEST :

  
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VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

  
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JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.  
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: CITY ATTORNEY

Moved by: Charles

Seconded by: Timothe

**Vote:**

Mayor Alix Desulme, Ed.D.  
Vice Mayor Kassandra Timothe, MPA  
Councilman Kevin A. Burns  
Councilwoman Mary Estimé-Irvin  
Councilman Pierre Frantz Charles, M.Ed.

_____	(Yes)	_____	(No)	Absent
X	(Yes)	_____	(No)	
X	(Yes)	_____	(No)	
X	(Yes)	_____	(No)	
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