

RESOLUTION NO. R2026-XX

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING AN INTERFUND BUDGET TRANSFER WITHIN THE ANNUAL BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR OCTOBER 1, 2025, TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2026, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$450,000 FROM LIABILITY INSURANCE FUND CONTINGENCY ACCOUNT TO GENERAL FUND LEGAL PROFESSIONAL SERVICES ACCOUNT TO SUPPORT UNANTICIPATED LEGAL EXPENSES; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; PROVIDING FOR SCRIVENER'S ERRORS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of North Miami Beach ("City") adopted Resolution No. R2025-141 on November 17, 2025, establishing a comprehensive Policy governing internal budget transfers, continuing appropriations, reporting requirements and financial transparency and setting formal approval thresholds for the City; and

WHEREAS, from time to time during the normal conduct of the City's operations, situations arise requiring amendments or modifications of the City's annual adopted budget; and

WHEREAS, the City's legal expenses for the defense of claims, litigation, and representation before the state's Public Employees Relations Commission have exceeded the adopted budget; and

WHEREAS, the Legal Professional Services account does not currently have sufficient appropriations to cover the expenses based on actual invoices received to date and projected expenditures for the remainder of the fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, a total budget transfer of \$450,000 is required to move available contingency to professional services accounts to support continued services; and

WHEREAS, the requested budget transfer does not increase the overall FY 2025-2026 adopted budget and utilizes existing budgeted funds; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the City's Budget Control Policy, the City Manager has authorized and approved a budget transfer in the amount of \$450,000; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Commission believe it is in the best interests of the City to approve the proposed budget transfer to ensure sufficient budgeted funds are available to cover the increased costs associated with City-wide legal expenses; and

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

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are true and correct.

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Section 2. The City Commission hereby approves a budget transfer in the amount of \$450,000 from the Liability Insurance Fund Contingency account to the General Fund Legal Professional Services account to ensure sufficient funding is available to cover the increased costs associated with City-wide legal expenses, as follows:

From Account Number	From Account Title	Amount	To Account Number	To Account Title
030310-513995	CONTINGENCY	\$450,000	010020-514310	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Section 3. The City Manager or designee is authorized to take all actions necessary to implement this Resolution. The transferred funds are authorized to be used to cover legal services.

Section 4. The City Manager and the Finance Department are hereby authorized to take all necessary administrative actions to implement this budget transfer.

Section 5. The Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption

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APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the City of North Miami Beach City Commission at the regular meeting assembled this **18th day of August 2026**.

ATTEST:

ANDRISE BERNARD, MMC
CITY CLERK

MICHAEL JOSEPH
MAYOR

(CITY SEAL)

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY FOR THE USE
AND RELIANCE OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI BEACH ONLY:

GREENSPOON MARDER, LLP.

By: _____
CITY ATTORNEYS

Sponsored by: Mayor & Commission

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