

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 3(A)(12)

TO: Honorable Chairman Anthony Rodriguez
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: June 16, 2026

FROM: Geri Bonzon-Keenan
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution approving allocations
from the FY 2025-26 District 8
CBO Discretionary Reserve

Resolution No. R-517-26

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Danielle Cohen Higgins.



Geri Bonzon-Keenan
County Attorney

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(Revised)

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Please note any items checked.

- ☐ "3-Day Rule" for committees applicable if raised
- ☐ 6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing
- ☐ 4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing
- ☐ Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget
- ☐ Budget required
- ☐ Statement of fiscal impact required
- ☐ Statement of social equity required
- ☒ Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Mayor's report for public hearing
- ☐ No committee review
- ☒ Requires more than a majority vote (i.e., 2/3's present ____, 2/3 membership ____, 3/5's ____, unanimous ____, majority plus one ____, CDMP 7 votes (majority of membership) ____, CDMP 2/3 members present but not less than 7 votes (majority of membership) ____, CDMP 9 votes (2/3 membership) ____) to approve
- ☐ Current information regarding funding source, index code and available balance, and available capacity (if debt is contemplated) required

Approved _____ Mayor
Veto _____
Override _____

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6-16-26

RESOLUTION NO. _____ R-517-26

RESOLUTION APPROVING ALLOCATIONS FROM THE FY
2025-26 DISTRICT 8 CBO DISCRETIONARY RESERVE

WHEREAS, this Board desires to allocate funds from the FY 2025-26 District 8 CBO Discretionary Reserve in accordance with the attached memorandums,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that this Board approves the allocations from the FY 2025-26 District 8 CBO Discretionary Reserve in accordance with the attached memorandums incorporated herein by reference.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Danielle Cohen Higgins. It was offered by Commissioner **Kionne L. McGhee** , who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner **Vicki L. Lopez** and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Anthony Rodriguez, Chairman	aye		
Kionne L. McGhee, Vice Chairman	aye		
Marleine Bastien	aye	Juan Carlos Bermudez	aye
Sen. René García	absent	Oliver G. Gilbert, III	aye
Roberto J. Gonzalez	aye	Keon Hardemon	aye
Danielle Cohen Higgins	aye	Vicki L. Lopez	aye
Natalie Milian Orbis	aye	Raquel A. Regalado	aye
Micky Steinberg	aye		

The Chairperson thereupon declared this resolution duly passed and adopted this 16th day of June, 2026. This resolution shall become effective upon the earlier of (1) 10 days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the County Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board, or (2) approval by the County Mayor of this resolution and the filing of this approval with the Clerk of the Board.



MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY ITS BOARD OF
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

JUAN FERNANDEZ-BARQUIN, CLERK

By: Basia Pruna
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "JO", is written over a horizontal line.

Jose I. Ortega



**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MEMORANDUM**

Date: May 20, 2026
To: Basia Pruna, Director
Clerk of the Board
THRU: Office of Policy and Budgetary Affairs
From: Commissioner Danielle Cohen Higgins,
District 8
Subject: Allocations to Community-based Organizations and Other Entities

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I would like to make the following allocations:

Source	Fiscal Year	Organization/Use*	Amount
CBO Discretionary Reserve	2025-26	Haitian Lawyers Association, Inc., for 28th Annual Gala	\$2,500
CBO Discretionary Reserve	2025-26	BAMN Robotics Corporation for Robotics World Championship	\$2,500
CBO Discretionary Reserve	2025-26	Citrus Health Network, Inc., D/B/A Citrus Family Care Network for Black Tie and Sneaker Ball	\$5,000

*For all allocations made from the Marlins Settlement Fund, the Arena Naming Rights Fund, and any allocation made to a religious organization regardless of the funding source, please provide a description for the use of the funds.

These allocations will be presented for approval of the Board of County Commissioners at the next available agenda.

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**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MEMORANDUM**

Date: May 29, 2026

To: Basia Pruna, Director
Clerk of the Board

THRU: Office of Policy and Budgetary Affairs

From: Commissioner Danielle Cohen Higgins,
District 8

Subject: Allocations to Community-based Organizations and Other Entities



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Source	Fiscal Year	Organization/Use*	Amount
CBO Discretionary Reserve	2025-26	Raza Mentors Inc., for 2026 Scholarship Awards Ceremony	\$2,000
CBO Discretionary Reserve	2025-26	The School Board of Miami Dade County South Dade Senior High School for 2026 Florida FFA State Convention	\$2,500
CBO Discretionary Reserve	2025-26	Bleeding Blue Inc., for Resiliency Conference for First Responders	\$2,500
CBO Discretionary Reserve	2025-26	MAS is More PTO Inc., for Theatre Program Field Trip to Edinburgh Fringe Festival	\$2,500
CBO Discretionary Reserve	2025-26	Fundacion Hermanos de la Calle, Inc., for Miami Ball to End Homelessness	\$10,000
CBO Discretionary Reserve	2025-26	City of Homestead for 2026 Race to the Fourth Event	\$10,000
CBO Discretionary Reserve	2025-26	The American Friends of Jamaica Inc., for 2026 Jamaica Charity Gala	\$6,500

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