## **RESOLUTION NO. 25-2084**

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA. APPROVING THE AWARDING OF A CONTRACT FOR A TOWN FIREWORK DISPLAY TO LIGHT F/X PRO FOR A THREE (3) YEAR **(2) ONE-YEAR** PERIOD WITH TWO **OPTIONS RENEW: AUTHORIZING** THE TOWN MANAGER TO TAKE ALL ACTIONS NECESSARY TO IMPLEMENT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, on February 24, 2025, the Town of Miami Lakes (the "Town") issued a Request for Proposals ("RFP") for Town Fireworks Display; and

WHEREAS, the Town's RFP was publicized in the Community Newspapers, DemandStar, Public Purchase, and posted in the Government Center Lobby; and

**WHEREAS,** on the date of the proposal deadline, March 26, 2025, the Town received a proposal from Light F/X Pro's ("Light F/X"); and

WHEREAS, an Evaluation Committee was appointed to evaluate and rank Light F/X's proposal and a due diligence review of the proposal for responsiveness was performed by the Town's Procurement Department and no material defects were found in the proposal, nor in Light F/X's qualifications; and

WHEREAS, Light F/X has completed at least three (3) fireworks displays within the last five (5) years, has at least two (2) pyro-technicians with a minimum of ten (10) major electronic fire shows and a minimum of five (5) years of certified experience, and is properly and legally licensed to perform the work; and

WHEREAS, Light F/X has been a trusted provider of fireworks displays for over 14 years and has built a strong reputation for producing fireworks shows for government entities including prominent municipalities like the City of North Miami, City of Miami, City of Miami Beach, City of Doral, Palmetto Bay, and City of South Miami; and

**WHEREAS**, Light F/X's experience in producing fireworks displays extends to prominent, local institutions such as Miami-Dade College and Florida International University as well as private organizations, including hotels, cruise lines, and exclusive private events; and

WHEREAS, Light F/X has previously serviced the Town as the official entertainment and fireworks vendor for the Miami Lakes Food & Wine; Wine Festival; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the Town's residents to contract for a firework display for events, including but not limited to the Town's Fourth of July Celebration, as the firework displays will help bring families, neighbors, and residents together to celebrate Town traditions, events, and holidays, and will help strengthen the Town's sense of community; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the Town to contract with an experienced company in order to ensure the Town delivers a safe, enjoyable, and entertaining fireworks display for residents.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

**SECTION 1. Recitals.** The foregoing recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by this reference.

**SECTION 2.** Town Council Approves to Contract with Light F/X. The Town Council approves the awarding of a contract for Town firework displays to Light F/X Pro for a three (3) year period with two (2) one-year options to renew and that is not to exceed a cost of Twenty-Eight Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and XX/00 (\$28,500.00).

**SECTION 3.** Town Manager Authority. The Town Manager and, or his delegate, are authorized to execute a contract with Light F/X for their production of firework displays at town events and any other amendments, modifications, or other document necessary to effectuate the contract.

**SECTION 4. Authority to Expend Budgeted Funds.** The Town Manager is authorized to expend budgeted funds to implement the terms and conditions of fireworks display contract with Light F/X.

**SECTION 5.** Effective Date. This Resolution shall be effective upon execution.

Passed and adopted this 15th day of April 2025.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Councilmember Herzberg who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Fernandez and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Joshua Dieguez	Yes
Vice Mayor Bryan Morera	Yes
Councilmember Juan Carlos Fernandez	Yes
Councilmember Angelo Cuadra Garcia	Yes
Councilmember Ray Garcia	Yes
Councilmember Steven Herzberg	Yes
Councilmember Alex Sanchez	Yes

Joshua Dieguez MAYOR

Attest:

Gina M. Inguanzo TOWN CLERK

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:

Lorenzo Cobiella Gastesi, Lopez, Mestre & Cobiella PLLC DEPUTY TOWN ATTORNEY