

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-R-109

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA,
AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN
AGREEMENT FOR INTERPRETATION AND
TRANSLATION SERVICES BETWEEN THE CITY OF
NORTH MIAMI AND LANGUAGERS, INC.; PROVIDING
FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER
PURPOSES.**

WHEREAS, the City of North Miami (“City”) Police Department (“NMPD”) desires to engage Languagers, Inc. (“Languagers”) to provide interpretation and translation services to support law enforcement and community engagement efforts; and

WHEREAS, Languagers is a company that provides professional interpretation and translation services, including American Sign Language (ASL), on an on-demand and scheduled basis; and

WHEREAS, interpretation and translation services are essential to ensuring that the City’s public safety communications and law enforcement operations are accessible to all residents, regardless of language proficiency or disability; and

WHEREAS, providing access to qualified language interpretation and translation services enhances public trust, promotes equity, and supports compliance with applicable federal and state laws; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council find it in the best interest of the City and its residents to enter into an agreement with Languagers to promote inclusive communication and enhance public safety 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 execute an interpretation and translation services agreement between the City of North Miami and Languagers, Inc., substantially in the form attached hereto as “Exhibit 1.”

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

PASSED AND ADOPTED by a 5 - 0 vote of the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, this 13th day of May, 2025.


ALIX DESULME, ED.D.
MAYOR

ATTEST :


VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:


JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: CITY ADMINISTRATION

Moved by: Charles

Seconded by: Desulme

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.

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