RESOLUTION NO. 15-

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, AMENDING RESOLUTION 09-273; EXPANDING THE SCOPE OF SERVICES OF THE LAW FIRM OF BRINKLEY, MORGAN, SOLOMON, TATUM, STANLEY & LUNNY, LLP, INCREASING THE HOURLY RATE AND ESTABLISHING A RATE FOR PARALEGALS AND LAW CLERKS

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution 09-273, the City Commission appointed Brinkley, Morgan, Solomon, Tatum, Stanley & Lunny, LLP (the "Firm"), as special counsel in connection with amendments to the Lease of City-owned property commonly referred to as Bahia Mar, subject to certain terms and conditions; and

WHEREAS, the scope of services has expanded and the Firm has made a request to increase its rate and to establish a rate for paralegals and law clerks.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA:

<u>SECTION 1</u>. That the law firm of Brinkley, Morgan, Solomon, Tatum, Stanley & Lunny, LLP, is hereby retained as special counsel for the City of Fort Lauderdale in connection with the lease and development of City-owned property commonly referred to as Bahia Mar.

<u>SECTION 2</u>. That such special counsel shall receive an hourly rate of \$300.00 and paralegals and law clerks shall receive an hourly rate of \$95.00 for representation in connection with the lease and development of City-owned property commonly referred to as Bahia Mar.

<u>SECTION 3</u>. That such special counsel hereby appointed shall serve at the pleasure of the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

<u>SECTION 4</u>. That the City Attorney is authorized to execute such documents as are necessary to secure the services of special counsel.

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ADOPTED this the _____ day of _____, 2015

Mayor JOHN P. "JACK" SEILER

ATTEST:

City Clerk JONDA K. JOSEPH

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