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TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the

Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Interim City Attorney Alain E. Boileau

DATE: May 1, 2018

TITLE: Resolution of the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida,

extending the appointment of Alain E. Boileau to the position of Interim City Attorney of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, for a temporary period, establishing the salary for the Interim City Attorney, retroactively, and providing for the return of the Interim City Attorney to the Position of Assistant City Attorney III at such time as a permanent City Attorney is selected or upon further action by the City Commission, and providing for

an effective date.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission adopt a resolution extending the appointment of Alain E. Boileau as Interim City Attorney, for a temporary period, establishing the salary for the Interim City Attorney, retroactively, and providing for the return of the Interim City Attorney to the position of Assistant City Attorney III at such time as a permanent City Attorney is selected or upon further action by the City Commission, and providing for an effective date.

Background

By motion approved at the City Commission Meeting on March 20, 2018, the City Commission voted to terminate the employment contract of City Attorney Cynthia A. Everett by a 3-2 majority vote. Immediately thereafter, Assistant City Attorney Alain E. Boileau was appointed as the Interim City Attorney to serve through the Regular Commission Meeting of April 3, 2018. At the April 3, 2018, Regular Commission Meeting Alain E. Boileau's term as Interim City Attorney was extended through the May 1, 2018 Regular Commission Meeting. At the April 17, 2018, City Commission Conference meeting it was discussed that for purposes of continuity and administrative leadership within the City Attorney's Office, that Alain E. Boileau's temporary status as Interim City Attorney should be extended until a permanent City Attorney is appointed by the City Commission and that Alain E. Boileau should be compensated as Interim City Attorney retroactively as he has been performing the duties of Interim City Attorney since March 20, 2018.

Resource Impact

The City Attorney's Office has sufficient funds within their budget to cover any increased compensation for Interim City Attorney Alain E. Boileau.

Attachments

Exhibit 1: Resolution

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Charter Officer: Alain E. Boileau, Interim City Attorney