RESOLUTION NO. 21-227

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, APPOINTING ALBERT DEL CASTILLO AND THE LAW FIRM OF GREENBERG TRAURIG, P.A., AND STEVE BULLOCK AND THE LAW FIRM OF STEVE E. BULLOCK, P.A., AS SPECIAL COUNSEL TO THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE IN CONNECTION WITH MUNICIPAL FINANCE MATTERS, AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Section 4.10 of the Charter of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, provides, in part, "The city commission may, by resolution, authorize one (1) or more special counsel to be retained for the purpose of performing such legal duties as may be prescribed by said resolution. Each such resolution shall further prescribe the compensation to be paid the special counsel.";

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

SECTION 1. That Albert del Castillo, and the law firm of Greenberg Traurig, P.A., and Steve Bullock, of the law firm of Steve E. Bullock, P.A., are retained as special counsel to the City of Fort Lauderdale in connection with municipal finance matters.

SECTION 2. That the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, authorizes the City Attorney to execute an agreement with Greenberg Traurig, P.A., with terms acceptable to the City Attorney, to implement this Resolution.

SECTION 3. That the hourly amounts of $400.00 for shareholder attorneys, $350.00 for associate attorneys, and $200.00 for paralegals, plus actual reasonable expenses subject to the City Attorney's approval, are prescribed as the compensation to be paid to Greenberg Traurig, P.A.

SECTION 4. That the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, authorizes the City Attorney to execute an agreement with Steve E. Bullock, P.A., with terms acceptable to the City Attorney, to implement this Resolution.

SECTION 5. That the hourly amounts of $400.00 for shareholder attorneys, $300.00 for associate attorneys, and $200.00 for paralegals, plus actual reasonable expenses subject to the City Attorney's approval, are prescribed as the compensation to be paid to Steve E. Bullock, P.A.

SECTION 6. That the City Attorney shall serve as liaison to such special counsel.

SECTION 7. That such special counsel hereby appointed shall serve at the pleasure of the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

SECTION 8. That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED this 21st day of October, 2021.

Mayor
DEAN J. TRANTALIS

ATTEST:

City Clerk
JEFFREY A. MODARELLI