

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-62

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3       **A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE COMMISSION OF THE VILLAGE OF**  
4       **BISCAYNE PARK, FLORIDA, APPROVING A THREE (3) YEAR**  
5       **PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE VILLAGE OF**  
6       **BISCAYNE PARK AND DAVID T. CASERTA GOVERNMENT RELATIONS,**  
7       **INC. TO PROVIDE STATE LOBBYING SERVICES FOR THE VILLAGE OF**  
8       **BISCAYNE PARK IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED NINETY-FOUR**  
9       **THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS AND NO CENTS (\$94,200.00) FOR**  
10       **SERVICES RENDERED AND REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES; AUTHORIZING**  
11       **THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO EXECUTE SAID AGREEMENT; PROVIDING**  
12       **FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

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14       **WHEREAS,** the utilization of a lobbying firm is crucial to ensure that a municipality is well  
15 represented at the State level on various issues including, but not limited to, appropriations and access to  
16 competitive grants; and

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18       **WHEREAS,** pursuant to 2-141(2) of the Code of Ordinances of the Village of Biscayne Park  
19 (“Village”) professional services are exempt from the competitive bidding procedures outlined in the  
20 Village’s purchasing Code; and

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22       **WHEREAS,** the Village Commission finds it to be in the best interest of the residents of the  
23 Village to have David T. Caserta Government Relations, Inc. (“Consultant”) to continue to act as the  
24 Village’s State lobbyist in Tallahassee and approve the Agreement with Consultant attached hereto as  
25 Exhibit “A”.

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27       **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE VILLAGE COMMISSION OF THE**  
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29       **VILLAGE OF BISCAYNE PARK, FLORIDA, that:**

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31       **Section 1. Incorporation of Recitals.** The foregoing recital paragraphs are hereby ratified  
32 and confirmed as being true and the same are hereby made part of this Resolution.

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34       **Section 2. Approval of Agreement.** The Village Commission of the Village of Biscayne  
35 Park hereby approves the three (3) year Agreement between David T. Caserta Government Relations,  
36 Inc. and the Village of Biscayne Park, in substantially the same form as attached hereto as Exhibit “A”  
37 and incorporated herein by reference, for lobbying services in an amount not to exceed Ninety-Four  
38 Thousand Two Hundred Dollars and No Cents (\$94,200.00) inclusive of approved reimbursable  
39 expenses.

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41       **Section 3. Authorization of the Village Manager.** The Village Manager is hereby authorized  
42 to execute the Agreement and do all things necessary to effectuate this Resolution.


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44       **Section 4. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become effective upon adoption.

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46 **PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 4<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2025.


1 The foregoing Resolution was offered by Vice-Mayor Samaria, who moved its adoption. The  
2 motion was seconded by Commissioner Huntington, and upon being put to a vote the vote was as  
3 follows:  
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5 The foregoing resolution upon being  
6 put to a vote, the vote was as follows:  
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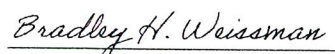
8 Mayor Groth: Y  
9 Vice-Mayor Samaria: Y  
10 Commissioner Amsler: Y  
11 Commissioner Gonzalez: Y  
12 Commissioner Huntington: Y  
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Jonathan E. Groth  
18 Mayor

19 ATTEST:

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24 Pamela L. Latimore  
25 Village Clerk  
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27 Approved as to form:

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32 Bradley H. Weissman  
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