



The City of Coral Gables

Historical Resources Department

EXCERPTS

CORAL GABLES HISTORIC PRESERVATION BOARD MEETING MINUTES

Thursday, March 21, 2013, 4:00 p.m.

City Commission Chambers

405 Biltmore Way, Coral Gables, Florida

MEMBERS:	A	M	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	APPOINTED BY:
Dorothy Thomson	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	Mayor Jim Cason
Margaret Rolando	P	P	P	P	P	P	E	E	P	P	P	P	Vice Mayor William H. Kerdyk, Jr.
Alejandro Silva	P	E	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	Comm. Maria Anderson
Venny Torre	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	Comm. Rafael "Ralph" Cabrera, Jr.
Kendell Turner	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	E	E	P	Comm. Frank C. Quesada
Carmen Guerrero	P	P	E	P	P	E	P	P	P	E	E	P	Historic Preservation Board
Deborah Tackett	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	City Manager
Dolly MacIntyre	P	E	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	City Commission
Judy Pruitt	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	City Commission

STAFF:

Dona Spain, Historic Preservation Officer
 Kara N. Kautz Assistant Preservation Officer
 Cindy Dorrel, Administrative Assistant
 Emily Ahouse, Historic Preservationist
 Craig Leen, City Attorney

A = Absent
P = Present
E = Excused
*** = New Member**
^ = Resigned Member
- = No Meeting

PREPARATION OF MINUTES: Nancy C. Morgan, Coral Gables Services, Inc.

GUESTS: John Anderson, Antonio E. Rodriguez

The meeting was called to order by Ms. Tackett at 4:12 p.m. A quorum was present.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE – JOHN ANDERSON:

Staff briefed the Board on the request of Mr. John Anderson to have a bronze plaque in coral rock installed at the intersection of Granada Boulevard and Coral Way in memory of his wife, Sarah Sikes Anderson. Ms. Spain relayed Sarah Anderson's significant accomplishments in service to the City of Coral Gables and displayed a drawing of the intersection showing placement of the monument, with plaque wording proposed as follows:

This monument is dedicated to the memory of Sarah Sikes Anderson (1939 – 2011). She was instrumental in having this section of Coral Way, including the plazas, the trees and the street lights, declared a State and Local Historic Roadway in 1976. Thanks to her strength, determination and perseverance, this beautiful roadway and its plazas will remain as they now are for the enjoyment of all who pass this way.

Mr. Anderson offered to respond to Board questions or comments, after which Ms. Thomson recalled memories of Mrs. Anderson's efforts through a variety of City projects over the years.

Ms. MacIntyre made a motion to recommend approval of the proposal as presented to the City Commission. Ms. Turner seconded the motion.

Roll Call: Ayes: Ms. Pruitt, Ms. Guerrero, Mr. Torre, Mr. Silva, Ms. Rolando, Ms. Thomson, Ms. Turner, Ms. MacIntyre, Ms. Tackett. Nays: None.

ADJOURNMENT: The meeting adjourned at 4:55 p.m.