



**City of Coral Gables
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
January 13, 2009**

ITEM TITLE:

A Resolution of the Commission of the City of Coral Gables, Florida, approving and appropriating an expenditure of up to \$10,000.00 for the public purpose of explaining the proposed Charter Amendment and informing and educating the voters of the City of Coral Gables on the question of whether to delete Section 22 pertaining to the Trial Board from the City Charter to be placed on the April 14, 2009 Special Municipal Referendum Election Ballot, in order, to achieve a more informed electorate vote.

RECOMMENDATION OF THE CITY MANAGER:

The City Manager recommends approval of this expenditure. Should the City Commission, as a whole, instruct staff to develop an advocacy program, an additional \$5,000.00 should be allocated, resulting in a maximum total expenditure of \$15,000.00.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION: (If Applicable)

| No. | Amount | Acct. No. | Source of Funds |
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| | \$10,000.00 | 001-7000-519-3190 | |
| APPROVED BY: | | | |

APPROVED BY:

| Department Director | City Attorney (If Applicable) | City Manager |
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Attachments

- 1. Draft Resolution**
- 2. Memorandum to the City Commission**
- 3. Outline describing public information program**