

September 19, 2014

City Manager 405 Biltmore Way Coral Gables, FL 33134

Dear Ms Carmen Olazabal:

The members of the Coral Gables Firefighters Benevolent Association respectfully request permission to sell Christmas trees in the City of Coral Gables. The proposed location is 5501 Granada Blvd. The Coral Gables Baptist Church property.

We have had our annual Christmas tree sale in the Gables since 1957, and as in past years, all rules and regulations will be adhered to. We have demonstrated our dedication for public safety in all of our previous years, and we will continue with the high standards. Keeping safety in mind we are asking permission to erect a temporary chain link fence around the lot perimeter. In the spirit of the season we would also like permission to use an inflatable Santa Claus as a display. No advertising would be affixed to the Santa.

Sales will begin on or about November 22th, and will end Christmas Eve. We are looking forward to this yearly event and assure you it will go as smoothly, and maintain the standards of year's past.

Thank you for your consideration concerning this matter.

Sincerely,

Paul W. Boutin

**Firefighters Christmas Trees** 

Cty Manager 2014