



**City of Coral Gables**  
**CITY COMMISSION MEETING**  
**July 22, 2014**

**ITEM TITLE:**

A Resolution authorizing the use of City Hall, and waiving the Special Events Application Permit fee and parking fees for the adjacent parking lot for the Historic Preservation Association of Coral Gables Fundraiser on Saturday, October 18, 2014.

**DEPARTMENT HEAD RECOMMENDATION:**

Approval




**BRIEF HISTORY:**

The Historic Preservation Association of Coral Gables (the "Association"), a Florida non-profit founded in 1991, is dedicated to the preservation, restoration and use of historic properties in Coral Gables. The Association makes its best efforts to hold their fundraisers at historically designated buildings. It has held prior fundraisers with City support, the most recent at Venetian Pool on April 26, 2014 where the City waived fees of \$840.00. The Association would like to hold a fundraising event at historic City Hall on October 18, 2014, from 6 to 10 p.m. and therefore requests approval for the use of City Hall for the fundraiser, specifically the courtyard, the balcony overlooking the courtyard for a musician, and the use of the restrooms for guests.

The Association is requesting approval for the use of City Hall for the event, and the waiving of the Special Events Application Permit related fees of \$809.00 and the parking fees for guests using the public spaces (approximately 67) in the adjacent parking lot during the event time which are estimated to total \$335.00, for a total fee waiver of \$1,144.00. The Association shall solely be responsible for managing the operations, providing appropriate security / off-duty officers, insurance, and other event related fees.

Proceeds from this special event support historic preservation programs within City limits. The Association hopes this fundraiser can benefit the restoration of some of the City's historic street lights.

**APPROVED BY:**

Department Director	City Attorney	City Manager
		

**ATTACHMENTS:**

1. Proposed Resolution
2. Facility Rental Permit Application