



**City of Coral Gables  
CITY COMMISSION MEETING  
May 7, 2024**

**ITEM TITLE:**

**Ordinance on First Reading.**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE CODE OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA, CHAPTER 6, ENTITLED "ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES", SECTION 6-12 "RETAIL PACKAGE STORE" AND SECTION 6-13 "RETAIL PACKAGE BEVERAGE STORES; RETAIL BEVERAGE STORES; RETAIL LIQUOR STORES; CLUB VENDORS" BY CHANGING THE PROHIBITED HOURS OF OPERATION ON SUNDAYS FOR RETAIL PACKAGE BEVERAGE STORES; PROVIDING FOR A REPEALER PROVISION, SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, CODIFICATION, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**BRIEF HISTORY:**

Currently retail package liquor stores and retail package beverage stores, both of which are defined to provide only for the sale of consumption off the premises, are prohibited from alcoholic sales between the hours of 1:00 am and 9:00 am on Sunday. The number of grocery stores, liquor stores, and stores selling alcohol for off-premises consumption are increasingly often open prior to 9:00 am on Sundays. In order to be consistent with the prohibited hours of operation the other days of the week the City wishes to amend the Code to allow for sale of alcoholic beverages at 7:00 am on Sundays at retail package liquor stores and retain package beverage stores.

**FINANCIAL INFORMATION:**

No.	Amount	Account No.	Source of Funds
Total: N/A			
<b>Fiscal Impact: None.</b>			

**ATTACHMENT(S):**

1. Draft Ordinance