



**City of Coral Gables
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
May 19 2026**

ITEM TITLE:

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA RECOGNIZING DR. HAL SILBERMAN AS AN HONOREE DURING THE INAUGURAL CITY OF CORAL GABLES VETERANS DAY EVENT TO BE HELD IN NOVEMBER 2026

(Sponsored by Commissioner Lara)

BRIEF HISTORY:

In Resolution 2025-449 the City Commission directed that City staff develop and implement an annual Veterans Day event to honor military veterans of the United States Armed Forces.

Dr. Hal Silberman is a 101-year-old World War II veteran and longtime Coral Gables resident who served in the Pacific Theater during World War II.

As the City prepares for its inaugural Veterans Day commemoration, the City Commission wants to acknowledge Dr. Silberman as an honoree during that event to honor his personal sacrifice and accomplishments and all those Americans who serve and have served in America's Armed Forces.

ATTACHMENT(S):

1. Draft Resolution