

# *Certificate of Recognition*

*WHEREAS, “People Saving Places” is the national theme for this year’s National Historic Preservation Month, a national high-five to everyone doing the great work of saving places, in ways big and small, and inspiring others to do the same; and*

*WHEREAS, the Historic Preservation Association of Coral Gables was instrumental in the restoration of the City’s White Way Lights, advocating and collaborating with city officials, to save these historic streetlights from decay; and*

*WHEREAS, it is altogether fitting and proper that we present this Certificate of Recognition to the Historic Preservation Association of Coral Gables during National Historic Preservation Month, as they continue to promote the understanding and importance of historic resources and their preservation throughout the City of Coral Gables.*

*NOW THEREFORE, I VINCE LAGO, as Mayor of the City of Coral Gables, along with the members of our City Commission, do hereby extend to the Historic Preservation Association of Coral Gables our warmest measure of gratitude for all their contributions in helping protect our City’s rich history.*

*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Coral Gables to be affixed this twenty-third day of May, A.D., 2023.*

***Vince Lago***  
***Mayor***

*Rhonda Anderson*  
*Vice Mayor*

*Melissa Castro*  
*Commissioner*

*Ariel Fernandez*  
*Commissioner*

*Kirk R. Menendez*  
*Commissioner*