



City of Coral Gables  
 CITY COMMISSION MEETING  
 January 24, 2017

**ITEM TITLE:**




**Resolution.** A Resolution of the City Commission of the City of Coral Gables, Florida, directing the City Attorney’s Office and city administration to research and draft a City of Coral Gables Parking Code to include control over types of violations, fine amounts and the appeals process. (Sponsored by Commissioner Lago)

**BRIEF HISTORY:**

There is concern over certain violations, namely the blocking of City roadways by vehicles routinely stopping and standing, while loading and unloading items. The fine amounts under State law for these types of violations are under \$40. Therefore, fining these individuals does not serve as an effective deterrent. In considering potential solutions for these types of situations, the concept of adopting a City Parking Code was suggested. Having a City Parking Code would allow for the City to control the types of behaviors that constitute violations, the fines for those violations and also the appeals process.

This resolution directs the City Attorney’s Office and City administration to research the practical, economic and legal implications of adopting a City Parking Code and to draft a Code for future consideration by the City Commission. The resolution further designates Commissioner Vince Lago to work with the City Attorney’s Office and the administration on this matter.

**APPROVED BY:**

City Attorney	Assistant City Manager	City Manager
		

- ATTACHMENT(S):**
1. Draft Resolution