



**City of Coral Gables
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
January 11, 2011**

ITEM TITLE:

Landscape Beautification Advisory Board Meeting of December 2, 2010

SUMMARY OF MEETING:

ELECTION OF CHAIR: Robert Parsley was elected Chair of the Board.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Approved minutes of November 4, 2010 meeting as presented.

OLD BUSINESS:

SEGOVIA STREET UPDATE: Glenn Kephart informed the board that the bids for the Segovia Project have been received and they are in the process of evaluation.

PONCE DE LEON UPDATE: After a presentation by Glenn Kephart, the Board approved a motion agreeing with the change in the specie of tree to be planted in the median of Ponce de Leon from Live Oak to Medjool Date Palm, inclusive of the change out of the existing Oak trees previously planted in the Ponce median between Aragon and Almeria. .

TRAFFIC CIRCLE UPDATE: The Board requested photographs and a plan view drawing of the traffic circle at Indian Mound Trail and Valencia such that staff recommendations for landscaping the Circle could be evaluated.

MIRACLE MILE AND GIRALDA UPDATE: None.

ARBOR DAY PLANNING: Troy Springmyer mentioned Country Club Prado and Sevilla Ave. as being the recommendation relayed to him by Mr. Keys for the 2011 Arbor Day planting. The final decision would be made at the January meeting.

Zone maps of the City were distributed for the Beautification Awards process and members were asked to relay their nominations to Ayliin Hernandez before the next meeting on January 6, 2011.

NEW BUSINESS: None.

CITY COMMISSION UPDATE: None.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:58 a.m.