

Office of the Mayor
The City of Coral Gables

Proclamation

WHEREAS, since May 1948 and every year thereafter, the Independence of Israel, or Yom Ha'atzmaut, is commemorated in the United States, and recognized in the City of Coral Gables as well; and

WHEREAS, the City of Coral Gables acknowledges significant milestones and events of historical importance, therefore, we proudly join the Jewish people and communities to celebrate the sovereign state of Israel; and

WHEREAS, the City of Coral Gables is a diverse community, which includes a vibrant Jewish population that shares a wonderful cultural heritage, which is built upon friendship and respect; and

WHEREAS, the "City Beautiful" welcomes events and celebrations which promotes the understanding of such different cultures, and the celebration of Israel's Independence provides an excellent means by which all residents can appreciate the history and legacy of the Jewish people;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, VINCE LAGO, as Mayor of the City of Coral Gables, along with the members of our City Commission, do hereby proclaim the week of May 5, 2022 as:

***"ISRAELI INDEPENDENCE DAY IN
CORAL GABLES"***

IN OBSERVANCE THEREOF, I call upon all the residents of the City of Coral Gables, to join me in honoring this important day in Israel's history on which they gained their independence over seven decades ago.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of Coral Gables to be affixed on this twenty-sixth day of April, A.D., 2022.

Vince Lago
Mayor

Michael Mena
Vice Mayor

Rhonda Anderson
Commissioner

Jorge L. Fors, Jr.
Commissioner

Kirk R. Menendez
Commissioner