City of Coral Gables City Commission Meeting Agenda Item G-12 June 28, 2022 City Commission Chambers 405 Biltmore Way, Coral Gables, FL

City Commission

Mayor Vince Lago Vice Mayor Michael Mena Commissioner Rhonda Anderson Commissioner Jorge Fors, Jr. Commissioner Kirk Menendez

City Staff

City Manager, Peter Iglesias City Attorney, Miriam Ramos City Clerk, Billy Urquia Deputy City Attorney, Cristina Suarez Assistant City Attorney, Naomi Levi-Garcia

Public Speaker(s)

Agenda Item G-12

A Resolution of the City Commission authorizing Neighborhood Safety Aides to continue assisting with code enforcement matters. (Sponsored by Mayor Lago)

Mayor Lago: G-12.

Deputy City Attorney Suarez: G-12 is a Resolution of the City Commission authorizing Neighborhood Safety Aides to continue assisting with code enforcement matters.

Mayor Lago: Pretty self-explanatory. I think this is a great resource. I think we need to take advantage of this opportunity, and again, not complex code enforcement issues. Simple issues that are in plain sight.

City Manager Iglesias: Mayor, just to let you know we've had meetings on it and Naomi will be helping me write an Administrative Order for that and that should be out soon.

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Mayor Lago: Ms. Garcia, thank you in advance.

Commissioner Anderson: Another one that's been longtime coming.

Assistant City Attorney Levi-Garcia: So just to echo what the Manager said. We've met with the Chief of Police and the Assistant Chief of Police and we've kind of scoped out the additional roles that the Neighborhood Safety Aides could take on in terms of supporting Police and Code Enforcement, but not putting themselves in harm's way or changing their personas as like the warm and fuzzy...within the neighborhood. So, I will have an AO finalized in the coming days and they can take on those additional responsibilities.

Mayor Lago: I appreciate it. Thank you. I guess we'll be hearing for the next few weeks, right, we'll have the Order.

City Manager Iglesias: The Order should be in by...

Assistant City Attorney Levi-Garcia: By next week it should be finalized.

City Manager Iglesias: By next week Mayor.

Mayor Lago: Thank you Mr. Manager. Thank you, Naomi, I appreciate your hard work on this.

Assistant City Attorney Levi-Garcia: I'll stay up for peafowls, if you're going to take it next.

City Clerk Urquia: Mr. Mayor, can we have a motion.

Mayor Lago: Oh, yes.

Commissioner Anderson: I'll move it.

Commissioner Menendez: I'll second.

Commissioner Anderson: Yes

Commissioner Menendez: Yes

Mayor Lago: Yes

(Vote: 3-0)

(Commissioner Fors: Absent)

(Vice Mayor Mena: Absent)

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