



**City of Coral Gables**  
**CITY COMMISSION MEETING**  
**March 27, 2018**

**ITEM TITLE:**

**Ordinance on First Reading.** AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA AMENDING THE CITY CODE, CHAPTER 1-GENERAL PROVISIONS, SECTION 1-7 ENTITLED "PENALTIES" TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF CHAPTER 74 , ENTITLED "TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES; PROVIDING FOR REPEALER PROVISION, SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, CODIFICATION, AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE. (Sponsored by Commissioner Lago)

**BRIEF HISTORY:**

The City Commission has been presented with a related ordinance on first reading which would amend Chapter 74 of the City Code, entitled "Traffic and Vehicles." The proposed ordinance amends the City Code and creates prohibitions and provisions. Violations of those sections of the code would be processed through the City directly, rather than through the Miami-Dade County Parking Violation Bureau, through the Miami-Dade County Clerk of Court.

This ordinance amends Chapter 1 "General Provisions", Section 1-7 "Penalties" of the official City Code in order to include penalties for violations of Chapter 74 "Traffic and Vehicles" as amended by the related ordinance.

The Parking Advisory Board was presented with the conceptual changes in this ordinance at the February Board meeting, and Director Kinney presented all proposed changes in this first reading to the Parking Advisory Board on March 22, 2018.

Due to the imminent changes to the City's citywide valet parking program in the central business district, there have been no changes made to the valet parking section of Chapter 74 or the corresponding penalties included in Chapter 1, Section 1-7 of the City Code.

1. Proposed Ordinance
2. Fee Comparisons