

## **Rules and Regulations for Landscape Maintenance Contractors:**

### **Noise:**

Allowed hours of operation:

Monday - Friday: 7:30am-6:30am

Saturdays: 9am-5pm

Sundays and Holidays: No Work

- *Noise restrictions per City Code section 34-124*

### **Maintenance of Traffic (MOT):**

Parking a vehicle on a roadway requires the use of proper FDOT Standard Index 600 Maintenance of Traffic procedures.

On City residential streets, parked vehicles or trailers on the roadway must meet or exceed the following:

- A travel lane with a minimum width of 9' on the asphalt roadway must be maintained around the parked vehicle.
- A minimum of 5 cones must be placed in the rear of the vehicle at approximately 5' intervals extending 10' straight back from the driver's side of the vehicle and then angling to the edge of the roadway 25' from the back of the passenger side of the vehicle.
- One cone must be placed 5' in front of the front driver's side corner of the vehicle.
- Vehicles may not park within 75' of an intersection.
- Vehicles may not park on center medians with 100' of an intersection.

### **Disposal of Landscape Debris:**

- Only landscape debris generated from a property within Coral Gables can be placed in a trash pile in the City swale area per City code section 54-154.
- Landscape debris piles must be placed at least 5' away from the trunk of trees.

### **Pruning, Removal or Relocation of Trees:**

- Any tree or palm removal or relocation requires a tree permit for trees that meet or exceed 12' in height or 4" in diameter. This includes dead and invasive trees and palms.
- Trimming tree branches 10" in diameter or larger requires a tree modification permit.
- Trimming of branches 3" in diameter or greater must be done by or under the direction of an International Society of Arboriculture (ISA) certified arborist or by a Licensed Tree Trimmer.
- *Refer to City code sections 82-27 through 82-40.*