



**City of Coral Gables
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
October 10, 2017**

ITEM TITLE:

Ordinance on Second Reading. An Ordinance of the City Commission of Coral Gables, Florida, Identifying the Duties and Powers of Each Member of the City Commission (including the Mayor and Vice Mayor) and creating Section 2-29 of the Code of the City of Coral Gables entitled “Commissioners; Duties and Powers,” establishing the Functions, Duties, and Responsibilities of the Office of Commissioner; Providing for a Repealer Provision, Severability Clause, Codification, and an Effective Date. (Sponsored by Commissioner Lago)

BRIEF HISTORY:

Following the adoption of Ordinance No. 2017-30 enumerating the duties and powers of the Office of Mayor, this Ordinance serves the same purpose of enumerating the duties and powers of the Office of City Commissioner. The Ordinance includes each Commissioner having an office budget in an amount determined in the City budget. It also addresses who serves as Chair of the City Commission, in the Mayor’s absence, how to call a special meeting and the permissibility of one-way communications by a Commissioner.

ATTACHMENT(S):

1. Draft Ordinance