



City of Coral Gables  
City Commission Meeting  
February 28, 2023

**ITEM TITLE:**

**Ordinance.** AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 62 – STREETS, SIDEWALKS AND OTHER PUBLIC PLACES TO REDUCE ABANDONED CONSTRUCTION SIGNAGE AND BARRICADES IN CONNECTION WITH APPROVED WORK ON THE RIGHT OF WAY AND AMENDING SECTION 1-7 ENTITLED “PENALTIES” TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, REPEALER, CODIFICATION, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**BRIEF HISTORY:**

In the City of Coral Gables there has been a prevalence of abandoned construction signage and barricades after the completion of work in the public right-of-way and a relaxed sense of urgency on contractors to remove unnecessary obstructions on the right-of-way.

This proposed ordinance would provide our Code Enforcement and Public Works teams with additional tools to remove, discard, and cite as necessary any unapproved obstructions in the right-of-way.

Passed first reading on February 14, 2023. There have been no changes since first reading.

**ATTACHMENT(S):**

**Draft Ordinance**