



**City of Coral Gables  
CITY COMMISSION MEETING  
August 24, 2021**

**ITEM TITLE:**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE SUSPENSION OF VEHICULAR TRAFFIC ON THE 100 BLOCK OF GIRALDA AVENUE FOR AN ADDITIONAL TWO-YEAR PERIOD

**BRIEF HISTORY:**

Following the substantial completion of the streetscape project on Giralda Avenue, the City Commission authorized the suspension of vehicular traffic on the 100 block of Giralda Avenue for a period of two years in Resolution 2017-65 and again in Resolution 2019-263.

The suspension of traffic on the 100 block of Giralda Avenue, also known as Giralda Plaza, has been a great success, as the City and local merchants have increased the number events and outdoor seating in the area. The area has been the host of immensely popular public art exhibits, and expanded outdoor dining.

The City wants to suspend vehicular traffic on the 100 block of Giralda Avenue for an additional two-year period in order to continue to evaluate the effect of the suspension on the City, property owners, local merchants, and special events in the City.

**ATTACHMENT(S):**

- 1. Draft Resolution**
- 2. Letter from the Coral Gables Chamber of Commerce.**