



City of Coral Gables
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
May 5, 2026

ITEM TITLE:

A Resolution of the City Commission of the City of Coral Gables, Florida, urging Miami-Dade County to expedite review and approval of a uniform traffic signal priority and/or preemption system for use by municipalities, including for fire rescue, police, and transit/trolley operations, and to complete such approval before the end of 2026; providing for transmittal; and providing for an effective date.

BRIEF HISTORY:

The City of Coral Gables is committed to enhancing pedestrian safety, improving emergency response, and expanding mobility options for residents, visitors, and the surrounding community.

Improving the safety of intersections around the Underline for pedestrians is a priority objective of the City, particularly in areas where pedestrian activity, vehicular traffic, transit operations, and emergency response needs intersect.

Traffic signal priority and/or preemption technology can assist emergency response vehicles by helping move traffic out of intersections and allowing fire rescue and police vehicles to respond more safely and efficiently.

Urging Miami-Dade County to expedite approval of such a system before the end of 2026 will advance the City's objective of making intersections around the Underline safer for pedestrians and is in the best interest of the public health, safety, and welfare.

ATTACHMENT(S):

1. Draft Resolution

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

No.	Amount	Account No.	Source of Funds
1.	N/a	n/a	n/a
Total:			
Fiscal Impact: To be determined.			

BUSINESS IMPACT:

Not applicable.