



**City of Coral Gables
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
February 22, 2011**

ITEM TITLE:

Congratulations to Firefighter David Vargas, recipient of the City of Coral Gables Firefighter of the Year Award for 2010.

BRIEF HISTORY:

Firefighter Vargas was selected as the "2010 Firefighter of the Year" for not only performing his regular duties as a firefighter admirably, but always going the extra mile surpassing job requirements and expectations. As a result, he was awarded Firefighter of the Month twice in 2010 for his meritorious accomplishments, specifically his life-saving actions when deployed to Haiti with FEMA Task Force 2 after the earthquake, and for his dedication to the community in getting the Child Seat Program up and running again.

ATTACHMENT(S):

1. Firefighter of the Year Notification Letter