



City of Coral Gables
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
February 23, 2016

ITEM TITLE:

SECOND READING. AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF CORAL GABLES CREATING, IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CITY CODE, ARTICLE III, DIVISION 1, SECTION 2-64, A WATERWAY ADVISORY BOARD AND SETTING FORTH GUIDELINES BY WHICH SUCH ADVISORY BOARD SHALL BE GOVERNED AND PROVIDING FOR A REPEALER PROVISION, SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, CODIFICATION AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

DEPARTMENT HEAD RECOMMENDATION:

Approval

BRIEF HISTORY:

The City of Coral Gables has over forty miles of public navigable waterways and coastal areas, which present a host of unique issues not found in other parts of the City. Presently the City has Boards or Committees in place which assist City staff in the oversight and maintenance of City infrastructure; however, the City Commission has recognized a gap in City infrastructure with respect to the City's waterways and wishes to enact a Committee tasked with addressing the unique concerns of the City waterways and coastal areas, the residents who live along the waterways and coastal areas, and those who regularly use the waterways and coastal areas. Accordingly, the City Commission, given the City's unique positioning in the State, believes it can have a positive impact on sustainability practices within the waterways and coastal areas through the enactment of this Committee.

APPROVED BY:

City Attorney	City Manager

ATTACHMENT(S):

1. Ordinance to be approved.