

City of Coral Gables City Commission Meeting
Agenda Item F-6
March 10, 2020
City Commission Chambers
405 Biltmore Way, Coral Gables, FL

City Commission

Mayor Raul Valdes-Fauli
Vice Mayor Vince Lago
Commissioner Pat Keon
Commissioner Michael Mena
Commissioner Jorge Fors

City Staff

City Manager, Peter Iglesias
City Attorney, Miriam Ramos
City Clerk, Billy Urquia
Assistant Public Works Director, Jessica Keller

Public Speaker(s)

Agenda Item F-6 [10:21:15 a.m.]

An Ordinance of the City of Coral Gables, Florida (City) amending the Code of Ordinances, Chapter 74, “Traffic Vehicles,” Section 74-208 “Study Criteria, Process and Expenses” to require the applicant to pay an upfront fee to guarantee compensation to the City’s consultant for the methodology meeting; providing for repealer provision, severability clause, codification and providing for an effective date.

Mayor Valdes-Fauli: F-6.

City Attorney Ramos: F-6 is an Ordinance of the City of Coral Gables, Florida (City) amending the Code of Ordinances, Chapter 74, “Traffic Vehicles,” Section 74-208 “Study Criteria, Process and Expenses” to require the applicant to pay an upfront fee to guarantee compensation to the

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City's consultant for the methodology meeting; providing for repealer provision, severability clause, codification and providing for an effective date. This is an ordinance on First Reading.

Assistant Public Works Director Keller: Good morning, Jessica Keller, Assistant Public Works Director. In 2018, the Commission approved Ordinance 2018-09, where traffic impact study is required for all proposed developments with 50 or more new added peak trips. If the traffic impact study, the applicant shall request a methodology meeting with the department staff and consultants to prepare a scoop and budget for traffic impact study. In order to guarantee compensation to the City's consultant for methodology meeting, the Public Works Department recommends amending the existing ordinance to require the applicant to pay an upfront fee for the cost of the methodology meeting. The proposed fee is \$686. It covers 2 hours for a project manager and an engineer, and it is based on pre-negotiated rates. You have any questions?

Vice Mayor Lago: I'll move it.

Commissioner Mena: Second.

Mayor Valdes-Fauli: Will you call the roll please.

Commissioner Keon: Yes

Vice Mayor Lago: Yes

Commissioner Mena: Yes

Commissioner Fors: Yes

Mayor Valdes-Fauli: Yes

(Vote: 5-0)

Mayor Valdes-Fauli: Thank you very much.

[End: 10:22:35 a.m.]