



City of Coral Gables
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
May 10, 2022

ITEM TITLE:

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF CORAL GABLES ANNUALLY RECOGNIZING JUNE 3RD AS “FOUNDER’S DAY IN CORAL GABLES” IN HONOR OF CORAL GABLES FOUNDER GEORGE E. MERRICK (Sponsored by Mayor Lago, Commissioner Anderson and Commissioner Menendez)

BRIEF HISTORY:

Coral Gables was founded by visionary George E. Merrick, born June 3, 1886. Merrick designed the “City Beautiful” in great detail, featuring wide, tree-lined boulevards, delicate bridges and serene urban golf courses. He had a passionate devotion to aesthetics and was interested in focusing on the finest details of this town as well as the major ideas. The City Commission wishes to recognize and designate June 3 as “Founder’s Day in Coral Gables”, to salute the man whose vision, determination and dedication gave life to the City of Coral Gables.

Attachments

- 1. Resolution**