

CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

ORDINANCE NO. 2017-03

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA PROVIDING FOR A TEXT AMENDMENT TO THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES OFFICIAL ZONING CODE, APPENDIX A, "SITE SPECIFIC ZONING REGULATIONS," SECTION A-12, "BILTMORE SECTION" ADDING SITE SPECIFIC PROVISIONS INCREASING THE MAXIMUM PERMITTED FLOOR AREA RATIO FOR THE PROPERTY LEGALLY DESCRIBED AS LOTS 24-38, BLOCK 7, BILTMORE SECTION; PROVIDING FOR A REPEALER PROVISION, SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, CODIFICATION, AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, an Application was submitted requesting approval of a Zoning Code text amendment to Appendix A, "Site Specific Zoning Regulations," Section A-12, "Biltmore Section," adding site specific provisions increasing the maximum permitted floor area ratio for the property legally described as Lots 24-38, Block 7, Biltmore Section, Coral Gables, Florida; and

WHEREAS, the Application has been submitted concurrently with a request for Planned Area Development site plan review; and

WHEREAS, after notice of a public hearing being duly published and a courtesy public notice was mailed to all property owners of record within a one thousand (1,000) foot radius from said property, a public hearing was held before the Planning and Zoning Board on December 14, 2016, at which hearing all interested persons were afforded the opportunity to be heard; and

WHEREAS, the Board was presented with the text amendment to the Official Zoning Code, and after due consideration, recommended approval (vote: 6-0) of the text amendment; and

WHEREAS, on January 10, 2017 the City Commission was presented with a text amendment to the Zoning Code, and after due consideration and discussion, approved the amendment on First Reading (vote: 5-0); and

WHEREAS, after notice duly published, a public hearing for Second Reading was held before the City Commission on January 24, 2017, at which hearing all interested parties were afforded the opportunity to be heard;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. The foregoing “**WHEREAS**” clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are hereby made a specific part of this Ordinance upon adoption hereof.

SECTION 2. The Official Zoning Code of the City of Coral Gables is hereby amended as follows :

APPENDIX A - SITE SPECIFIC ZONING REGULATIONS

Section A-12 - Biltmore Section.

G. Floor Area Ratio (FAR).

1. Maximum floor area ratio (FAR) for buildings located on the following described property shall be 3.0:
 - a. Lots 24-38, Block 7.

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. If any section, part of section, paragraph, clause, phrase or word of this Ordinance is declared invalid, the remaining provisions of this Ordinance shall not be affected.

SECTION 5. It is the intention of the City Commission that the provisions of this Ordinance shall become and be made a part of Ordinance No. 2007-01, as amended, and known as the “Zoning Code” of the City of Coral Gables, Florida, which provisions may be renumbered or re-lettered and the word ordinance be changed to “section”, “article”, or other appropriate word to accomplish such intention.

SECTION 6. If the Official Zoning Code of the City of Coral Gables Tables of Contents or other reference portions is affected by these provisions, then changes are approved as a part of this Ordinance.

SECTION 7. This Ordinance shall become effective upon the date of its passage and adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF JANUARY,

A.D. 2017.

(Moved: Keon / Seconded: Quesada)
(Yeas: Keon, Quesada, Slesnick, Cason)
(Majority: (4-0) Vote)
(Absent: Lago)
(Agenda Item: E-1)

APPROVED:



JIM CASON
MAYOR

ATTEST:



WALTER J. FOEMAN
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



CRAIG E. LEEN
CITY ATTORNEY