

**City of Coral Gables City Commission Meeting**  
**Agenda Item F-25**  
**May 20, 2025**  
**City Commission Chambers**  
**405 Biltmore Way, Coral Gables, FL**

**City Commission**

**Mayor Vince Lago**  
**Vice Mayor Rhonda Anderson**  
**Commissioner Melissa Castro**  
**Commissioner Ariel Fernandez**  
**Commissioner Richard D. Lara**

**City Staff**

**Acting City Manager, Joe L. Gomez**  
**City Attorney, Cristina Suárez**  
**City Clerk, Billy Urquia**

**Public Speaker(s)**

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Discussion regarding the use of hazardous pesticides in city parks, land and facilities.  
(Sponsored by Vice Mayor Anderson)

Mayor Lago: F-25, the last one, correct.

City Attorney Suarez: Last Commission item.

Mayor Lago: Yes, last Commission item, of course.

Vice Mayor Anderson: Last Commission item. So, I'm going to send you all a memo. I've got a lot of emails about pesticides causing Parkinsons and other diseases and permanent conditions and I want to share that all with you and ask our staff to look at what's being used on golf courses and other areas, to ensure that we're using some safer substances. Long story short. Okay.

Mayor Lago: Perfect. I'd love to see that and maybe we can put it on some of the city websites and stuff that we send out by email and our newsletters, that would be great.

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