



CITY OF CORAL GABLES
DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT
CODE ENFORCEMENT DIVISION
427 Biltmore Way, Suite 100
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April 20, 2026

Via Certified Mail

SCOTT & LILIANA KRAVETZ
625 TIZIANO AVENUE
CORAL GABLES, FL 33143

Re: Ticket No: TICK-26-01-22176
Address of Violation: 625 TIZIANO AVE

Dear property owner,

This letter is in response to your request of a hearing to appeal the above citation, issued by Code Enforcement Officer Ignacio Luzarraga on 1/08/2026 for:

Sec. 82-29. - Permits generally. (c)Tree abuse.

Tree abuse is prohibited and shall constitute a violation of this section. Any act of tree abuse that renders a tree nonviable or effectively destroyed shall constitute "effective removal" and shall compel the owner to fully comply with the terms of this article as if the tree was removed prior to issuance of a permit. (Ord. No. 2017-45, § 2(Att. A), 12-5-2017).

TO WIT: Improper pruning (topping) of Sea Grape. Must obtain certified arborist report that includes a restoration plan. Must obtain "after the fact" permit for pruning of Sea Grape on private property. Comply with Section 82 -29. For further information regarding permitting, please contact Public Works, Green space department at 305-460-5000.



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Your case has been scheduled to be reviewed by the hearing officer on **Wednesday, May 6th, 2026**. The administrative hearing will begin at 9:00 a.m. in the Development Services building, 1st Floor Conference Room, 427 Biltmore Way, Coral Gables, Florida 33134.

At that time, you should be prepared to present all evidence in your defense. You have the right to obtain an attorney, at your own expense, to represent you at the hearing.

Failure to appear at the hearing may result in a guilty by default finding by the hearing officer. If you are found guilty, please be advised an administrative fee of \$108.75 will be assessed in addition to the amount of the citation.

Requests for continuance must be received in writing at least (10) ten days prior to the hearing and should include sufficient explanation with regards to the continuance request.

Please be advised that if someone other than the property owner, who was given the above referenced citation will be requesting an appeal or responding before the ticket hearing officer, he or she must provide at the time of the appeal or at time of the hearing a power of attorney from the person who was issued the citation. The power of attorney must be specific, reference the citation number, name the person who will be responding and be signed and notarized. If the property cited is owned by a corporation, a copy of the corporate resolution or minutes identifying that the person who signed the power of attorney is required.

Please make arrangements to comply with these requirements prior to attending the hearing. If you have any questions or are requesting a continuance, please contact: (305) 460-5266.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "Samuel F. Piccardo".

Samuel F. Piccardo

NOTE: IF YOU SHOULD NEED A TRANSLATOR, YOU MUST BRING ONE AT YOUR EXPENSE.

NOTA: SI USTED NECESITA UN TRADUCTOR, USTED DEBE TRAER UNO CON USTED A SU COSTO.