

ITEM TITLE:

Resolution. A Resolution of the City Commission of the City of Coral Gables, Florida directing the City Attorney to prepare proposed legislation prohibiting City Commissioners from engaging in business transactions with City employees and with other members of the City Commission. (Sponsored by Commissioner Castro)

BRIEF HISTORY:

Section 2-292 of the City Code provides that "[n]o advisory personnel, autonomous personnel, candidate, commissioner, departmental personnel, employees, or quasijudicial personnel shall accept other employment which would impair independence of judgment in the performance of any public duties. Section 2-293 of the City Code addresses outside employment by full-time employees and provides that it may be accepted if "incidental or occasional" and "so long as such employment is not contrary, detrimental or adverse to the interest of the city or any of its departments" and approval is obtained by the department head or city manager.

The proposed resolution directs the City Attorney to draft proposed legislation that would prohibit certain business transactions between members of the City Commission and employees and among the members of the City Commission.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION: (If Applicable)

| No. | Amount | Source of Funds |
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| N/a | N/a | N/a |

ATTACHMENT(S):

1. Draft Resolution