

City of Coral Gables

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Agenda

Wednesday, June 10, 2015

9:00 AM

Special City Commission Meeting

City Hall, Commission Chambers

City Commission

*Mayor Jim Cason
Vice Mayor Frank C. Quesada
Commissioner Patricia Keon
Commissioner Vince Lago
Commissioner Jeannett Slesnick*

*Cathy Swanson-Rivenbark, City Manager
Craig E. Leen, City Attorney
Walter J. Foeman, City Clerk*

The following items were continued on Second Reading from the May 26, 2015 City Commission Meeting.

A. PUBLIC HEARINGS

All Individuals desiring to give testimony shall be sworn in.

Anyone who wishes to address the City Commission on an item to be considered for public hearing must fill out a Speaker Card and turn it in to the City Clerk. Speaker Cards can be obtained on the credenza located outside the Office of the Mayor, during the day of the City Commission Meeting.

ORDINANCES ON SECOND READING

- A.-1. [15-3839](#) An Ordinance of the City Commission of Coral Gables, Florida requesting an amendment to the Future Land Use Map of the City of Coral Gables Comprehensive Plan pursuant to Zoning Code Article 3, "Development Review," Division 15, "Comprehensive Plan Text and Map Amendments," and Small Scale Amendment procedures (S.163.3187, Florida Statutes), changing the boundaries between Commercial Low-Rise Intensity, Commercial Mid-Rise Intensity and Commercial High-Rise Intensity Land Use designations on property generally bounded by Sevilla Avenue on the north, Malaga Avenue on the south, Ponce de Leon Boulevard on the west and Galiano Street on the east, and generally known as 2801, 2901, and 3001 Ponce de Leon Boulevard, Coral Gables, Florida as shown on Exhibit "A" and legally described on Exhibit "B;" providing for a repealer provision, severability clause, and providing for an effective date. (PZB Vote: 7-0, Recommended Approval) (Passed on First Reading March 25, 2015) (Staff is recommending a continuance to June 16, 2015)
- A.-2. [15-3840](#) An Ordinance of the City Commission of Coral Gables, Florida requesting an amendment to the text of the City of Coral Gables Comprehensive Plan, Future Land Use Element, Policy FLU-1.1.3, "Table FLU-2. Commercial Land Uses," pursuant to expedited State review procedures (S.163.3184, Florida Statutes) and Zoning Code Article 3, "Development Review," Division 15, "Comprehensive Plan Text and Map Amendments;" amending the "Commercial High-Rise Intensity," "Commercial Mid-Rise Intensity," and "Commercial Low-Rise Intensity" Land Use Classifications to provide that (A) residential use shall be permitted and (B) intensity shall be controlled by a Planned Area Development plan instead of by Floor Area Ratio, in a project developed in accordance with the Mediterranean Village Form-Based Planned Area Development; and further amending the "Commercial High-Rise Intensity" and "Commercial Mid-Rise Intensity" Land Use Classifications to provide that, in such a Mediterranean Village project, additional height may be granted for specified uses or architectural embellishment; providing for a repealer provision, severability clause and providing for an effective date. (PZB Vote: 7-0, Recommended Approval) (Passed on First Reading March 25, 2015) (Staff is recommending a continuance to June 16, 2015)

- A.-3.** [15-3841](#) An Ordinance of the City Commission of Coral Gables, Florida providing for text amendments to the City of Coral Gables Official Zoning Code, by amending Article 3, "Development Review," Division 5, "Planned Area Development," to create Section 3-510, "Mediterranean Village Form-Based Planned Area Development," with form-based development standards that modify and supplement the existing Planned Area Development standards and criteria to allow appropriate infill and redevelopment in urbanized areas if certain minimum requirements are met; and amending Appendix A, "Site Specific Zoning Regulations," Section A-36 "Crafts Section," by removing Section A-36.B.5. regarding the use, design and number of stories for development in Block 20; providing for a repealer provision, severability clause, codification and providing for an effective date. (PZB Vote: 7-0, Recommended Approval) (Passed on First Reading March 25, 2015) (Staff is recommending a continuance to June 16, 2015)
- A.-4.** [15-3842](#) An Ordinance of the City Commission of Coral Gables, Florida granting approval of a proposed Planned Area Development (PAD) approval referred to as "Mediterranean Village" pursuant to Zoning Code Article 3, "Development Review", Division 5, "Planned Area Development (PAD)", for the construction of a project consisting of a mix of uses including office, commercial, retail, hotel and residential, consistent with the separately proposed Section 3-510 "Mediterranean Village Form-Based Planned Area Development," on the property legally described as Block 20, Block 23 (Less Lot 12 and a portion of Lot 11), and Block 30, Crafts Section, also generally known as 2801, 2901, And 3001 Ponce de Leon Boulevard, Coral Gables, Florida; including required conditions; providing for a repealer provision, severability clause and providing for an effective date. (PZB Vote: 7-0, Recommended Approval) (Passed on First Reading March 25, 2015) (Staff is recommending a continuance to June 16, 2015)
- A.-5.** [15-3843](#) An Ordinance of the City Commission of Coral Gables, Florida requesting partial abandonment and vacation of a 20-foot wide public alleyway generally running east-west approximately 85 feet in length, dividing Blocks 3, 4 and Tract F from Block 5 and Tract G of Ponce Place Villas East pursuant to Zoning Code Article 3, Division 12, "Abandonment And Vacations" and City Code Chapter 62, Article 8, "Vacation, Abandonment and Closure of Streets, Easements and Alleys By Private Owners and the City; Application Process," and the dedication of a public access easement generally running over an internal driveway from Palermo Avenue to Coconut Grove Drive related to proposed development consistent with the separately proposed Section 3-510 "Mediterranean Village Form-Based Planned Area Development," on the property generally known as 2801, 2901, and 3001 Ponce de Leon Boulevard, Coral Gables, Florida; including required conditions; providing for a repealer provision, a severability clause and providing for an effective date. (PZB Vote: 7-0, Recommended Approval) (Staff is recommending a continuance to June 16, 2015)
- A.-6.** [15-3844](#) An Ordinance of the City Commission of Coral Gables, Florida approving a Development Agreement pursuant to Zoning Code Article 3, Division 20, entitled "Development Agreements," for a proposed Planned Area Development referred to as "Mediterranean Village" related to the construction of a project consisting of a mix of uses including office, commercial, retail, hotel and residential, consistent with the separately proposed Section 3-510 "Mediterranean Village Form-Based Planned Area Development," on the property legally described as Block 20, Block 23 (Less Lot 12 and a portion of Lot 11), and Block 30, Crafts Section, generally known as 2801, 2901, and 3001 Ponce de Leon Boulevard, Coral Gables, Florida; providing for a repealer provision, severability clause and providing for an effective date. (PZB Vote: 7-0, Recommended Approval) (Passed on First Reading March 25, 2015) (Staff is recommending a continuance to June 16, 2015)

- A.-7. [15-3845](#) An Ordinance of the City Commission of Coral Gables, Florida regarding the Planned Area Development (PAD) Mixed-Use Site Plan for the proposed project referred to as "Old Spanish Village", generally described as 2801, 2901, and 3001 Ponce de Leon Boulevard, Coral Gables, Florida, and approved by Ordinance No. 2006-23 and amended by Ordinance No. 2007-27.1; revoking the PAD approvals for failure to proceed in accordance with the approved development phasing pursuant to Zoning Code Section 3-509; providing findings; providing for a repealer provision, severability clause and providing for an effective date. (Passed on First Reading March 25, 2015) (Staff is recommending a continuance to June 16, 2015)

B. DISCUSSION ITEMS

This time is for informal discussion among the City Commissioners, the City Manager and the City Attorney

ADJOURNMENT

NOTE

Any person who acts as a lobbyist pursuant to the City of Coral Gables Ordinance No. 2006-11, must register with the City Clerk, prior to engaging in lobbying activities before city staff, boards, committees and/or the City Commission. A copy of the Ordinance is available in the Office of the City Clerk, City Hall.

Any person, or persons, wishing to appeal any decision made by the City Commission with respect to any matter considered at this meeting or hearing, will require a verbatim record of the proceeding upon which the appeal is based. Interested persons should, therefore, take the necessary steps to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made which contains the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is based.

Any person making impertinent or slanderous remarks or who become boisterous while addressing the Commission, shall be barred from further audience before the Commission by the Chair, unless permission to continue or again address the Commission is granted by the majority vote of the Commission Members present. Clapping, applauding, heckling or verbal outbursts or any remarks in support or opposition to a speaker shall be prohibited. Signs or placards shall not be permitted in Commission Chambers.

Any person requiring special accommodations for participation in the meeting should contact Glenn Kephart, Public Works Director, at 305-460-5001, with requests for auxiliary aids or services at least one business day before the meeting.

Walter J. Foeman
City Clerk