



EXCERPT, ORD. 454 & 3205

Mooring piles shall be Venetian type, painted and ornamentally capped.

Venetian Mooring Piles were incorporated into the early designs of the City, most notably as canal markers to delineate waterfront property and as part of the Venetian Pool design.

Mooring Piles were required to be Venetian style by ordinance in 1945 and lastly by ordinance in 1996.

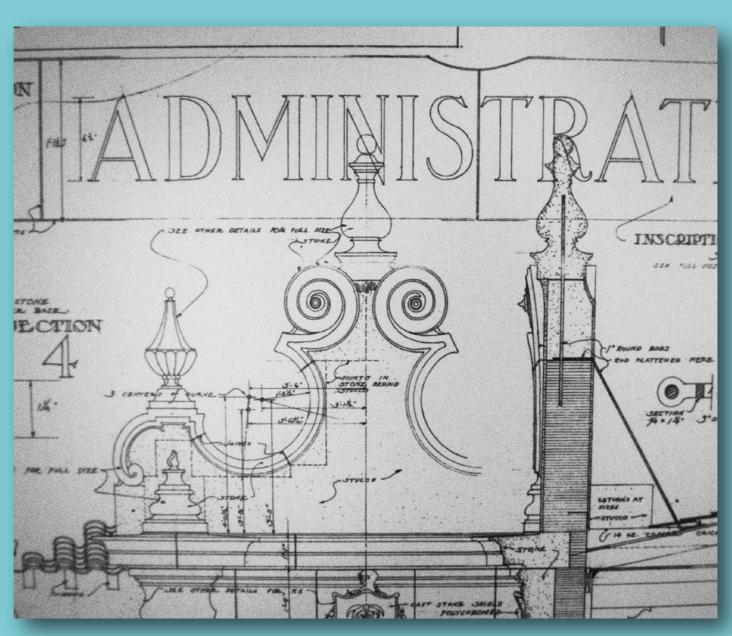
VENETIAN POOL C. 1925



Fishbaugh, W. A.(William Arthur), 1873-1950. Visitors by footbridge at the Venetian Pool in Coral Gables.

CORAL GABLES ADMINISTRATION BUILDING





Formerly located at the corner of Ponce de Leon & Miracle Mile



PROVEN SUCCESS

Artists and art lovers around the country continue to celebrate their communities with light-hearted renditions of a similar iconic image: Cows in Chicago (kicking it off!), Roosters in Little Havana, Peacocks in Coconut Grove, Manatees in South Miami, and the beloved Flamingos in Coral Gables.

And now, our treasured Venetian Mooring Post (Paline).



VENETIAN PALINE & CAP EXAMPLES

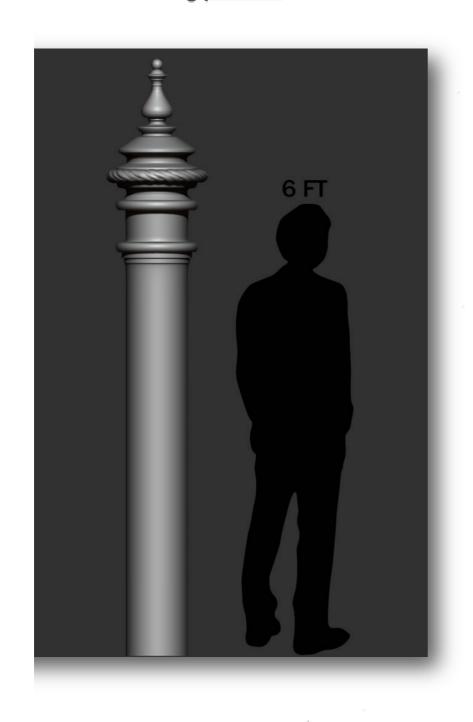


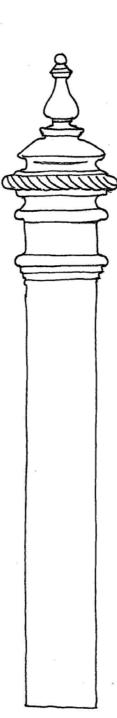






VENICE IN THE GABLES

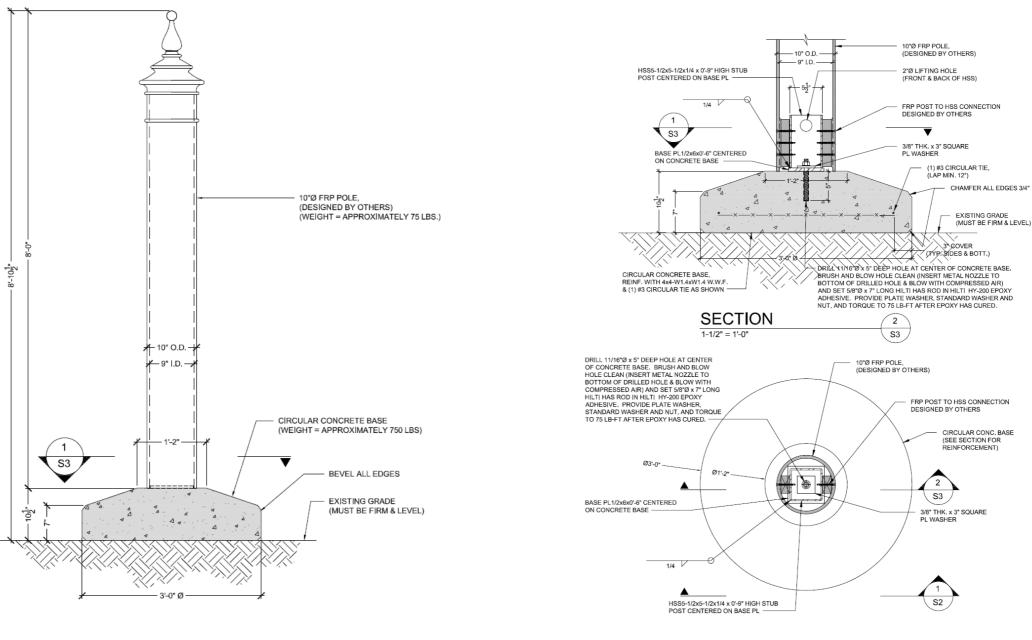








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ELEVATION DETAIL-BASE FOR VENETIAN POST 1 1" = 1'-0" 22

PLAN DETAIL

1-1/2" = 1'-0"

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THE BENEFIT

- Artists create designs for Venetian style palines in celebration of Coral Gables
- Businesses, organizations, and individuals select designs they love and provide financial sponsorship to see them created
- The City is celebrated with a project that encourages residents and visitors to experience the arts in Coral Gables and explore a new, vibrant downtown.
- Any funds raised after covering expenses are used to support the advancement of the arts in Coral Gables



THE PROCESS

- Set Goals & Objectives
- Establish Criteria
- Identify Non-profit Partner
- Cultivate Additional Community Partners
- Develop Marketing and Publicity Campaign
- Create a dedicated Presence on the City's Website
- Coordinate Artist Entries
- Seek & Match Sponsors with Artist Designs
- Facilitate Pop-up Studios for Public Interaction
- Install Venetian Palines throughout the Downtown Business District
- Auction Venetian Palines at a Benefit Event





FISCAL SPONSORSHIP

- Patrons contribute funding support through a recognized non-profit organization
- Sponsorship allows for tax-deductible contributions
- Fiscal partnership with the Coral Gables Community Foundation includes:
 - ✓ promotion and outreach support
 - ✓ easy on-line contributions
 - easy administration of project expenses





CELEBRATION!

It's always the right time to celebrate each other, our local talent, and the founding of our City. With the Miracle Mile & Giralda Streetscape project complete, it's time to celebrate the City's amazing new public spaces.

Thank you!



