

CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2010-127

RESOLUTION RESCINDING RESOLUTION NO. 28099 AND ADOPTING AN AMENDED RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A NEW "FLAGS ON PONCE PROGRAM", PROVIDING FOR CORAL GABLES CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SPONSORSHIP, GUIDELINES, ADVERTISEMENT, INSTALLATIONS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, since 1992 the Coral Gables Chamber of Commerce has sponsored the Flags on Ponce Program for the purpose of placing flags on Ponce de Leon Blvd. between Flagler Street and South Dixie Highway; and

WHEREAS, the Chamber of Commerce wishes to simplify the program by paying only for flags from those nations that represent the Consulates housed in Coral Gables and our Sister City countries; and

WHEREAS, the Chamber of Commerce will offer a sponsorship program if someone wants to sponsor a flag of another country and they can pay for it; and

WHEREAS, the City will continue to maintain the poles and install the flags and will provide advertisement for the program;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES:

SECTION 1. That the foregoing "Whereas" clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution upon adoption hereof.

SECTION 2. That the City Commission does hereby authorize the "Flags on Ponce Program" be adopted as follows:

- a. The flags will continue to fly for six (6) months out of the year (December through May)
- b. The Chamber of Commerce will pay only for the flags of those nations that represent the Consulates housed in Coral Gables and our Sister City countries.
- c. The Chamber of Commerce will offer a sponsorship program for those other countries that do not have Consulates in the City or are not Sister Cities.
- d. The City will advertise this program in ENews and other media.
- e. The City will continue to install the flags.

SECTION 3. That this Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its passage and adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS THIRTEENTH DAY OF JULY, A.D., 2010.


(Moved: Cabrera / Seconded: Kerdyk)

(Yeas: Withers, Anderson, Cabrera, Kerdyk, Slesnick)

(Unanimous: 5-0 Vote)


(Agenda Item: C-4)

APPROVED:



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MAYOR

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