

City of Coral Gables CITY COMMISSION MEETING October 14, 2014

ITEM TITLE:

A Resolution of the City Commission related to criteria for waiver of appeal fees for City residents demonstrating financial hardship.

DEPARTMENT HEAD RECOMMENDATION:

Approval

BRIEF HISTORY:

As the governing body of the City, the City Commission recognizes the importance of its duty to review decisions made by City Boards by way of appeals to the City Commission. The City Commission further recognizes that certain applicants may experience financial hardships, which may impair their ability to appeal City Boards' decisions to the City Commission or that there may be appeals that affect many households where it would be unfair for only one party to bear the entirety of the appeal fee. Accordingly, the City Commission wishes to establish a process by which those applicants may obtain a fee waiver in order to move forward with an appeal of a City Board decision.

APPROVED BY:

ATTACHMENT(S):

1. Resolution to be approved.