



City of Coral Gables
 CITY COMMISSION MEETING
 July 9, 2024

ITEM TITLE:

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA, CALLING A SPECIAL ELECTION ON THE PROPOSED BALLOT QUESTION AND CITY CHARTER AMENDMENT TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 5, 2024; PROVIDING FOR SUBMISSION TO THE ELECTORS FOR APPROVAL OR DISAPPROVAL OF A BALLOT QUESTION ASKING WHETHER THE CITY CHARTER SHOULD BE AMENDED TO REQUIRE AN INSPECTOR GENERAL WITH CERTAIN POWERS (INCLUDING THE POWER TO SUBPOENA WITNESSES) EITHER BY THE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY INSPECTOR GENERAL OR OTHER CITY-APPOINTED INSPECTOR GENERAL, PROVIDED THAT SUCH OFFICE’S APPOINTMENT TERM FUNCTIONS, AND POWERS SHALL BE FURTHER ESTABLISHED BY ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR REQUISITE BALLOT LANGUAGE; PROVIDING FOR PROCEDURES FOR BALLOTING; PROVIDING FOR NOTICE; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CITY CHARTER; PROVIDING FOR RELATED MATTERS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

(SPONSORED BY VICE MAYOR ANDERSON)
 (CO-SPONSORED BY MAYOR LAGO)

BRIEF HISTORY:

The City Commission is interested in establishing via Charter amendment approved by a majority of the electors, a requirement to have an Inspector General overseeing certain municipal matters. Section 9.11 of the Miami-Dade County Charter established an Office of Inspector General overseeing certain County matters and provides that additionally, the Office of Inspector General shall be empowered to provide inspector general services to other governmental entities and municipalities. The City Commission is interested in having the inspector general services be provided to the City via an appropriate agreement with Miami-Dade County, or alternatively, via appointment of a City Inspector General.

This Resolution calls for a special election for a proposed ballot question to be placed on the November 5, 2024 ballot.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

No.	Amount	Account No.	Source of Funds
1. Election Costs	\$20,000		TBD
2. Implementation Costs if adopted	TBD		TBD

ATTACHMENT(S):

1. Draft Resolution