



**City of Coral Gables  
CITY COMMISSION MEETING  
May 08, 2018**

**ITEM TITLE:**

**Ordinance on Second Reading.** AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA AMENDING THE CITY CODE, CHAPTER 1-GENERAL PROVISIONS, SECTION 1-7 ENTITLED "PENALTIES" TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF CHAPTER 74 , ENTITLED "TRAFFIC AND VEHICLES; PROVIDING FOR REPEALER PROVISION, SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, CODIFICATION, AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE. (Sponsored by Commissioner Lago)

**BRIEF HISTORY:**

The City Commission has been presented with a related ordinance on first reading which would amend Chapter 74 of the City Code, entitled "Traffic and Vehicles". That proposed ordinance amends the City Code and creates prohibitions and provisions. Violations of those sections of the code would be processed through the City directly, rather than through the Miami-Dade County Parking Violation Bureau, through the Miami-Dade County Clerk of Court.

This ordinance amends Chapter 1 "General Provisions", Section 1-7 "Penalties" of the official City Code in order to include penalties for violations of Chapter 74 " Traffic and Vehicles" as amended by the related ordinance.

Due to the imminent changes to the City's citywide valet parking program in the central business district, there have been no changes made to the valet parking section of Chapter 74 or the corresponding penalties included in Chapter 1, Section 1-7 of the City Code.

This Ordinance was approved on first reading by the City Commission on March 27, 2018. The Parking Advisory Board has reviewed this Ordinance since its passage on first reading and provided comments which have been incorporated in this second reading version of the Ordinance. The changes since first reading include: the additional of a late payment fee of \$15.00, and increase from \$28.00 to \$30.00 for violations of various provisions, and an increase from \$50.00 to \$100.00 for violations of the prohibition on parking in fire lanes.

- 1. Proposed Ordinance**
- 2. Fee Comparisons**