City of Coral Gables City Commission Meeting Agenda Item M – Discussion Items July 10, 2018 City Commission Chambers 405 Biltmore Way, Coral Gables, FL

<u>City Commission</u> Mayor Raul Valdes-Fauli Vice Mayor Frank Quesada Commissioner Pat Keon Commissioner Vince Lago Commissioner Michael Mena

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## **Public Speaker(s)**

Agenda Item M – Discussion Items [4:21:31 p.m.]

Commissioner Keon: Mayor Valdes-Fauli, I had someone come to me to ask about having Andora in Spain as a...

Mayor Valdes-Fauli: As what?

Commissioner Keon: Andora – the City of Andora – in the Sister City Project. How do we – I know that your office handles the Sister City – can I just refer her to you or...?

Mayor Valdes-Fauli: Sure, sure. Refer her to Evelyn or to me and I'll...

Commissioner Keon: Or you can talk to them about it. OK.

Mayor Valdes-Fauli: We have an International Affairs Coordinating Council, which discusses these things and tries to include cities that have more affinity.

Commissioner Keon: Right. Apparently Andora has expressed some interest in it through a group of international realtors and it is beautiful.

Mayor Valdes-Fauli: Send me an e-mail and I will forward it to...

Commissioner Keon: OK. I'll forward you their e-mail. OK. Thank you.

Mayor Valdes-Fauli: And, I want to remind you that on July 25<sup>th</sup> either here or at the museum, we will enter into a Sister City arrangement with...El Salvador. It is a fantastically similar city to us; they're twice our size, but universities, schools, emergency procedures, the cameras, education for disadvantaged children, adult activity center. It's very, very much similar to us and I would encourage you to attend.

Commissioner Keon: The 25<sup>th</sup>.

Mayor Valdes-Fauli: The 25<sup>th</sup>.

Commissioner Keon: I'll be back.

Mayor Valdes-Fauli: Alright. Anything else?

Commissioner Lago: Have a happy summer.

Mayor Valdes-Fauli: Thank you.

Commissioner Keon: Thank you.

Mayor Valdes-Fauli: Thank you very much.

[End: 4:23:10 p.m.]