

City of Coral Gables CITY COMMISSION MEETING October 22, 2019

ITEM TITLE:

RESOLUTION RESCINDING RESOLUTION NO. 2010-127 AND ADOPTING AN AMENDED RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A NEW "FLAGS ON PONCE PROGRAM" PROVIDING FOR THE PARTICIPATION OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES TO ALLOCATE FUNDS FOR OUR SISTER CITIES FLAGS; AND PROVINDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BRIEF HISTORY:

The Coral Gables Chamber of Commerce has been sponsoring the "Flags on Ponce" program since 1992. The Chamber is requesting (see attached correspondence from Mark Trowbridge, Chamber of Commerce President) that this program be extended to City to include their participation so that it is more manageable and affordable. The city will sponsor and allocate funds for the nations representing our Sister Cities Countries.

The flags only fly for six months. Therefore, the City currently installs the flags in December (after hurricane season) and removes them in May. The City also maintains the poles.

SUBMITTED BY:

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT:

Beba Luzarraga, Mayor's Office

ATTACHMENT(S):

- 1. Draft Resolution
- 2. Correspondence from Mark Trowbridge dated September 17, 2019
- 3. Resolution No. 2010-127