

MIAMI BEACH

COMMISSION MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission
FROM: Vice-Mayor Mark Samuelian
DATE: October 14, 2020

SUBJECT: REFERRAL TO THE NEIGHBORHOOD AND QUALITY OF LIFE COMMITTEE FOR A DISCUSSION ON NOISE CONCERNS IN THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH.

ANALYSIS

Recently, various instances have occurred that serve as cause to re-examine the City of Miami Beach's noise enforcement ordinances:

- 1. Attached is a letter and email from residents of the Georgian stating that the music coming from the 9Beach Latin restaurant is so loud and constant that it is affecting their quality of life.
- 2. Email attached conveying concerns that have been heard from several residents on the noise impact of jet skis that tend to ride too close to homes and condominiums once again affecting resident quality of life.
- 3. Email stating noise concerns that occur as a result of vehicles driving by in the MXE while blasting their music.
- 4. Email attached highlighting AC fan noise coming from 16 Island Avenue that is affecting the quality of life of its neighbors.

Neighboring cities (including [Coral Gables](#) and [Miami](#)) have ordinances that include decibel levels; however Miami Beach ordinances do not currently have this language potentially limiting enforcement.

This item aims to have the Neighborhood and Quality of Life Committee look at these concerns and discuss potential solutions.

Applicable Area

Citywide

Is this a "Residents Right to Know" item, pursuant to City Code Section 2-14?

Yes

Does this item utilize G.O. Bond Funds?

No

Legislative Tracking

Vice-Mayor Mark Samuelian

ATTACHMENTS:

Description

- ▣ [Georgian Letter](#)
- ▣ [Georgian Email](#)
- ▣ [Jet Skis Email](#)
- ▣ [Email on MXE Noise](#)
- ▣ [16 Island Noise](#)