MIAMIBEACH

Public Safety and Neighborhood Quality of Life
July 27, 2022 – After Action

Commissioner Steven Meiner - Chair
Commissioner Alex Fernandez - Vice Chair
Commissioner Kristen Rosen Gonzalez - Member

Mark Taxis - Liaison
Christina Baguer - Support Staff

OLD BUSINESS

1. **DISCUSSION REGARDING PEDESTRIAN SAFETY ON THE BEACHWALK.**
   December 22, 2019 - C4 G
   Commissioner Steven Meiner
   Transportation & Mobility

   Motion: By acclamation, the Committee moved to full Commission a favorable recommendation for Option B pilot program for 15th – 24th Street, consisting of a white solid line along the centerline of the beachwalk with directional arrows and symbols/signs on both sides guiding all users to keep right while walking and biking.

   Item concluded, remove from the PSNQLC agenda.

2. **DISCUSS POTENTIAL OPTIONS TO MORE EFFECTIVELY SECURE THE SWORN TESTIMONY OF MIAMI BEACH CRIME VICTIMS WHO RESIDE OUT-OF-TOWN, IN ORDER TO FURTHER AID IN THE PROSECUTION OF OFFENDERS COMMITTING CRIMES IN MIAMI BEACH.**
   December 18, 2021 - C4 B
   Commissioner Meiner
   Police

   Action: Item concluded, remove from the PSNQLC agenda.

3. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE MANNER AND MECHANISM IN WHICH THE CITY'S RESIDENTS CAN OBTAIN UPDATED INFORMATION REGARDING THE PENDING STATUS OF CRIMINAL OFFENSES PROSECUTED BY THE STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.**
   October 13, 2021 - C4 V
   Commissioner Meiner
   Police

   Action: Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

4. **SUMMARY AND DISCUSSION OF RECENTLY ENACTED CRIMINAL PROSECUTION REFORM MEASURES AND THOSE STILL UNDER CONSIDERATION.**

February 9, 2022 - R9 P

Commissioner Mark Samuelian

Office of the City Attorney

Action: City Attorney to prepare and send a letter to the City of Miami asking for collaboration between the two cities to better control the noise emanating from the tour/party boats on the Miami and Miami Beach waterways. Letter should urge the City of Miami, when renewing lease space/BTR's, for properties renting tour/party boats to verify with other jurisdictions, like Miami Beach to make sure the vessels are not creating a noise nuisance and violating our laws.

Item is concluded, remove from PSNQLC agenda.

5. **DISCUSSION REGARDING AMENDING THE CITY CODE TO ESTABLISH REGULATIONS FOR SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT PARKING ALONG TWO-WAY ROADS AND SWALE AREAS.**

February 9, 2022 - C4K

Commissioner Alex Fernandez

Transportation & Mobility

Action: Withdrawn from the PSNQLC agenda by the Sponsor.

6. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE FEASIBILITY OF UNDERGROUND TUNNELS TO ALLEVIATE SURFACE LEVEL TRAFFIC CONGESTION.**

July 28, 2021 - C4A

Commissioner Steven Meiner

Transportation & Mobility

Motion: Moved to Full Commission, a Resolution supporting the study of underground tunnels in Miami Beach and sending to the Boring Company.

Motioned by Commissioner Rosen Gonzalez and seconded by Commissioner Steven Meiner.

Item Concluded, remove from the PSNQLC agenda.

7. **DISCUSSION REGARDING HEDGES AND VEGETATION ON ISLANDS AND SINGLE-FAMILY NEIGHBORHOODS THAT HAVE NO SIDEWALKS AND DEVELOP A POLICY FOR SUCH "HERITAGE HEDGES."**

December 8, 2021 - C4 F

Commissioner Rosen Gonzalez

Public Works

Motion: Moved to full Commission with a recommendation to approve the draft ordinance with a change to Section 82-94 (c) (1) Change the period of at least (1) one year to (10) ten years.

Motioned by Commissioner Kristen Rosen Gonzalez and seconded by Commissioner Fernandez.

Item concluded, remove from the PSNQLC agenda.

8. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC ISSUES ON STATE AND COUNTY-OWNED ROADS WITHIN THE CITY, AND ANY AND ALL LEGAL AND ENFORCEMENT OPTIONS THAT MAY BE AVAILABLE TO THE CITY TO MITIGATE IMPACTS TO RESIDENTS.**

   March 9, 2022 - C4 K
   Commissioner Meiner
   Transportation, Police and Public Works

   Action: Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

9. **DISCUSSION REGARDING A PROPOSED EXPANSION OF THE RECENTLY ADOPTED LANDSCAPE NEIGHBORHOOD OVERLAY FOR LA GORCE ISLAND, TO FURTHER PROTECT AND PRESERVE PALM TREES THROUGHOUT THE CITY.**

   January 20, 2022 - C4 U
   Commissioner Meiner
   Planning

   Action: Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

10. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE CREATION OF A SEARCHABLE DATABASE TO ENHANCE CONDOMINIUM TRANSPARENCY.**

    July 28, 2021 - C4 K
    Commissioner Meiner
    Finance

    Action: Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

11. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE 2019 REPEAL OF THE "BRICK PAVER" PROGRAM FOR THE POTENTIAL AMENDMENT OF SAID RESOLUTION.**

    December 8, 2021, C4G
    Commissioner Kristen Rosen Gonzalez
    Parks and Recreation

    Action: Return to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting with suggested locations for brick pavers.

12. **DISCUSSION REGARDING RECOMMENDATIONS BY RESIDENTS CONCERNING THE BUSNESS TAX RECIEPT CRITERIA**

    April 21, 2021 - C4 E
    Commissioner Fernandez
    Finance

Action: Return to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting with an updated memo.

NEW BUSINESS

13. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE COMMITTEE FOR QUALITY EDUCATION'S MOTION REQUESTING THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION WORK WITH MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT TO FIND A METHOD THAT CAN GET CORRECT AND TIMELY INFORMATION TO CITY OF MIAMI BEACH RESIDENTS IN TIMES OF REAL-TIME EMERGENCIES AND REPORT BACK TO THE COMMITTEE FOR QUALITY EDUCATION.**

    January 20, 2022 - C4 A

    Commissioner Richardson

    Police; Organizational Development

    Action: Withdrawn from the PSNQLC agenda by the Sponsor.

14. **DISCUSSION REGARDING LIMITING VEHICULAR TRAFFIC ON RESIDENTIAL STREETS AND NEIGHBORHOODS DURING HIGH IMPACT PERIODS.**

    April 06, 2022 - C4 P

    Commissioner Meiner

    Police and Transportation and Mobility

    Action: Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

15. **DISCUSSION REGARDING PERSONS PROMOTING PUBLIC DISTURBANCES AND LESSONS LEARNED FROM THE EXPERIENCE OF OTHER CITIES.**

    May 04, 2022 - C4 L

    Commissioner Meiner

    Police

    Action: Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

16. **DISCUSSION REGARDING PADEL COURTS ON 4000 CHASE AVENUE PARKING LOT 60.**

    April 6, 2022 - C4J

    Commissioner Rosen Gonzalez

    Parks and Recreation

    Action: Return to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting with ideas for Padel at the empty site near the Faena.

17. **DISCUSSION REGARDING UPDATES ON THE G.O. BOND PROJECT FOR FLAMINGO PARK ENHANCEMENTS.**

    May 4, 2022 - C4 K

    Commissioner Meiner

    Office of Capital Improvement Projects

    Action: Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

18. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE VIABILITY OF A POTENTIAL EXPRESS LANE ON I-95 TO AND FROM MIAMI BEACH.**

April 6, 2022 - C4 R
Commissioner Meiner
Transportation & Mobility

Motion: Moved to full Commission a recommendation to add viaduct connecting the I-95 Express Lanes and I-195/Julia Tuttle Causeway as well as a proposed bicycle/pedestrian viaduct to our legislative priorities and transmit a resolution to Miami Dade County and FDOT a suggested proposal to add a Viaduct on the MacArthur Causeway connecting the baywalk in the City of Miami to the baywalk in the City of Miami Beach and then connecting to the beachwalk.

Motioned by Commissioner Alex Fernandez and seconded by Commissioner Steven Meiner.

Item concluded, remove from the PSNQLC agenda.

19. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE CITY'S MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC PLAN FOR MAJOR EVENTS AND/OR HIGH IMPACT PERIODS, AND WHETHER ANY CHANGES SHOULD BE MADE TO THE MOT PLAN BASED ON LESSONS LEARNED DURING ART BASEL 2021.**

December 08, 2021 - C4 K
Commissioner Meiner
Transportation & Mobility

Action: Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

20. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE ADDITION OF TWO MORE STOP SIGNS IN THE VICINITY OF WEST 46 STREET AND ROYAL PALM AVENUE, TO CREATE A 4 WAY STOP SIGN CONFIGURATION IN ORDER TO IMPROVE VEHICULAR AND PEDESTRIAN SAFETY.**

May 4, 2022 - C4 I
Commissioner Meiner
Transportation & Mobility

Action: Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

21. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE PRACTICALITY OF 3D PRINTING OF 'LIVING' SEAWALLS.**

May 4, 2022 - C4 J
Commissioner Steven Meiner
Public Works

Action: Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

22. **DISCUSSION REGARDING BIOSWALES, HYBRID SEAWALLS WITH LIVING SHORELINES AND NATURE-BASED INFRASTRUCTURE.**

May 4, 2022 - C4 D

Commissioner Rosen Gonzalez

Public Works

Action: Advertise a sunshine meeting for Committee members to visit seawalls across the City. Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

23. **DISCUSS THE PURCHASING NEW AND MORE MODERN TRASH RECEPTACLES.**

April 6, 2022 - C4 K

Commissioner Rosen Gonzalez Public Works

Action: Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

24. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE NORTH SEA SOUTH BEACH MUSIC FESTIVAL FOR SPRING 2023.**

May 4, 2022 - C4 O

Commissioner Rosen Gonzalez and Commissioner Fernandez

Tourism and Culture

Action: Return to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting. Commissioner Rosen Gonzalez will invite the vendor to attend.

25. **DISCUSSION REGARDING MOVING THE PUBLIC OUTDOOR SHOWER FACILITY LOCATED AT THE EAST END OF LINCOLN ROAD TO A DIFFERENT LOCATION EITHER A FEW BLOCKS NORTH OR SOUTH**

April 6, 2022, C4-Z

Commissioner Rosen Gonzalez

Facilities and Fleet Management

Motion: Moved to full Commission with a recommendation to implement option #4 and add to the budget the $30,000 needed for the implementation. Option #4 - Relocate the shower approximately 80' SE of its current location.

Motioned by Commissioner Fernandez and seconded by Commissioner Kristen Rosen Gonzalez.

Item concluded, remove from the PSNQLC agenda.

26. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE POSSIBILITY OF A MARKET IN THE WEST LOTS.**

April 6, 2022 - C4 S

Commissioner Rosen Gonzalez

Facilities and Fleet Management

Action: Staff to work with current artisanal market vendor to explore a temporary market on the West Lots. Staff to bring item back to PSNQLC if an amendment to the contract is necessary.

27. **DISCUSSION REGARDING THE 2022/2023 HOLIDAY LIGHTING PROGRAM CITYWIDE.**
May 4, 2022 - C4 B

Facilities and Fleet Management

Action: Withdrawn from the PSNQLC agenda by the Sponsor.

28. **DISCUSSION REGARDING PROVIDING PROPERTY OWNERS WITH NOTICE OF BUILDING PERMITS, CODE VIOLATIONS, UPCOMING INSPECTIONS, AND PAYMENTS DUE WITH REGARD TO THEIR PROPERTIES**
April 6, 2022 - C4 Q
Commissioner Meiner
Building and Code Compliance

Action: Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

29. **A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION DIRECTING THE CITY ADMINISTRATION TO COMPLETE A DATABASE OF CONDITIONAL USE PERMITS (CUP)**
ISSUED BY THE PLANNING BOARD TO MAKE THEM READILY ACCESSIBLE TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC.
May 4, 2022 - R7 U
Commissioner Meiner
Planning

Action: Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

30. **DISCUSSION REGARDING ESTABLISHING A RESTRICTED NORTH BEACH HISTORIC PRESERVATION FUND TO BE USED TO SUPPORT THE RENOVATION OF CONTRIBUTING BUILDINGS LOCATED IN LOCAL HISTORIC DISTRICTS WITHIN NORTH BEACH AND DEDICATING ALL MONIES COLLECTED BY THE CITY IN CONNECTION WITH THE PENDING SPECIAL MAGISTRATE CASE FOR THE VIOLATIONS ISSUED TO THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 6701 COLLINS AVENUE TO THE NORTH BEACH HISTORIC PRESERVATION FUND.**
February 9, 2022 - R7 O
Commissioner Fernandez
Planning

Action: Deferred to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting.

31. **DISCUSSION REGARDING ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CITY MANAGER, PURSUANT TO SECTION 30-36 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, CONCERNING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF ENRIQUE ZAMORA, ESQ., TO SERVE AS CHIEF SPECIAL MAGISTRATE, FOR A TERM COMMENCING ON FEBRUARY 24, 2022 AND ENDING ON MAY 23, 2022.**
February 9, 2022 - R7 G1 & G2
Commissioner Meiner
Office of the City Attorney

Action: Return to the September 21, 2022 PSNQLC meeting with an updated Ordinance and Resolution with the following language:

- **Reduce progress reports that lead to a later date for compliance**
- **Limit the amount of Continuances allowed until next hearing**
- **Increase funding for additional meetings utilizing Special Magistrate Administrative Hearing Fee Revenue Account 321805.**
- **Add provision that Chief Magistrate appoints special magistrates and Commission ratifies appointment.**
- **Add Miami Beach residency requirement**