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COMMISSION MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor Philip Levine and Members of the City Commission

FROM: Jimmy L. Morales, City Manager

DATE: September 13, 2017

SUBJECT: **Miami Beach Log Cabin**

BACKGROUND

On July 26, 2017, City Commission accepted the Finance and Citywide Projects Committee's recommendations regarding the Log Cabin structure located at 8128, namely for City staff to collaborate with the Miami-Dade Preservation League to further investigate the Log Cabin's historical significance, work with the City's Grants Department to identify potential funding opportunities available for restoration of the structure, revisit the feasibility of relocating the Log Cabin, and further explore the option to build an in-kind structure while salvaging key elements of the Log Cabin that remain in fair condition today.

Staff's findings, presented at the September 8, 2017 Finance and Citywide Projects Committee meeting, are attached herein for the Commission's review.

CONCLUSION

Staff is seeking direction from the Mayor and City Commission with respect to the reconstruction and future use of this building.