

MIAMI BEACH

PLANNING DEPARTMENT

Staff Report & Recommendation

Historic Preservation Board

TO: Chairperson and Members
Historic Preservation Board

DATE: March 12, 2018

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SUBJECT: Discussion - Standards for City-installed railings where streets are elevated.

BACKGROUND

At the December 13, 2017 City Commission meeting, the Mayor and City Commission referred a discussion relative to the design of City installed railings within the City's local historic districts. The Commission is requesting the Historic Preservation Board evaluate and recommend standards for the design of railings installed within the historic district right-of-ways.

Staff has attached images of existing railings installed within the City's right-of-ways and options for standardization.



Railing installed at 11th Street and Meridian Avenue



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Purdy Avenue – Railing with guardrails



