

List Of Sponsored Ordinances and Resolutions (as of July 2010)

At the April 11th, 2007 town council meeting, Vice Mayor Ed MacDougall suggested that ordinances and resolutions placed on the agenda should name the councilmember who proposed the item. Prior to this date, ordinances were placed on the agenda without note as to who brought forth the item.

On the following pages are the names of councilmembers running for re-election and the items they sponsored listed in the agendas beginning with the May, 2007 meeting. Not all items listed were passed by the town council.

Vice Mayor Ed MacDougall

2007-

- Resolution that the town comply with State and Federal Requirements only, allowing for supplemental pay if authorized by the council, regarding personnel absent from work due to being in the military.
- Resolution creating a Committee of the whole for the purpose of reviewing any item requested by any member of the Town Council or the manager.
- Ordinance providing for regulations of "Open House" signs.
- Ordinance Amending Ordinance 07-09 allowing for a schedule of civil penalties to facilitate use of code enforcement systems for eliminating smoking in non-smoking areas in the Parks.
- Resolution relating to appointment of committee members requiring certain information and an appearance by committee members prior to being appointed.

2008-

- Resolution creating the communications Advisory Committee to provide recommendations to the council in how to better inform the residents of the town about items of public interest.
- Resolution in support of legislation to restrict the use of plastic shopping bags or in the alternative to repeal the ban on local and state regulation of the use of plastic bags.

2009-

- Resolution requiring that the town comply with all state and federal requirements with respect to employees absent from work for service in the uniformed services, rescinding previous supplemental pay policy, allowing supplemental pay in the future if circumstances warrant.
- Ordinance creating regulations related to local business telephone directories, allowing residents to opt out of the receipt of telephone directories. (Later withdrawn, due to companies voluntary compliance)
- Resolution supporting the Village of Palmetto Bay's initiative of being a distribution site for Novel H1N1 influenza inoculations.
- Ordinance amending section 2 of ordinance 06-06 relating to accessory uses and structures.

2010-

- Resolution urging the secretary of the army to grant a re-trial for Lt. Michael Behenna.
- Ordinance crating Section 2-93 entitles "Recovery of Costs for failure of the responsible person to appear on behalf of the Business" relating to alleged shoplifting crimes.
- Resolution prohibiting the town's issuance of honorary police type or other criminal justice agency badges that are not displayed in a closed or mounted case as a collection or exhibit.
- Resolution requesting the town manager post a monthly report of the town's check registry, including but not limited to all town revenues and expenditures on the website for public access.

Council Member Tim Meerbott

2007-

- Ordinance providing for recorded image monitoring and enforcement of Red Light Infractions.

2008-

- Ordinance amending Chapter 19 "responsible Property Owner and Merchant act" to include provisions relating to the registration, maintenance of security of abandoned real property.
- Resolution requesting a public transportation Municipal coalition be created for the improvement of public transportation in the Southern municipal region of Miami-Dade county.
- Resolution urging the 2009 Florida Legislature to equalize funding based on population to provide each region of Florida, including south Florida, its fair share of state funding.

2009-

- Ordinance amending Chapter 33 Article VI "signs" Section 33-96.5 relating to increasing the maximum height for flag poles.
- Ordinance creating regulations relating to certificates of re-occupancy for the sale of homes that have already been occupied, amending schedule of violations and civil penalties. (sponsorship withdrawn by councilman Meerbott at second reading)
- Resolution amending the town's comprehensive Parks Master Plan to include retention of the Cutler Ridge Pool.

2010-

- Ordinance amending Chapter 30 "Traffic and Motor Vehicles" to allow the use of golf carts of designated streets within the town and to include civil penalties related to golf cart use.
- Resolution urging chief Judge Joel H Brown of the 11th circuit court to open the court house at the S. Dade Government center as a fully functioning court.
- Resolution supporting the communities for a lifetime initiative.
- Resolution urging Miami-Dade County public works to conduct a traffic study of the corridor that consists of SW 216th Street between SW 107th Ave and Old Cutler Road to increase the speed limit.
- Resolution to waive permitting fees for home repairs for Cutler Bay resident Dotty Hudson
- Resolution to waive permitting fees for the installation of a pool fence for Cutler Bay resident Officer Jody Wright.

Council Member Peggy Bell

2007-

- Ordinance revising Chapter 33 of the code relating to "Towers, Poles and Masts".
- Ordinance amending Ordinance 06-28 relating to Burglar Alarm Fees and Registration

2008-

- Resolution recognizing March 22, 2008 as world water day.
- Ordinance to revise the budget to appropriate \$125,000 from contingency reserves to purchase electronic signs.
- Ordinance amending and clarifying ordinance 07-32 relating to homeowner Associations.
- Ordinance amending chapter 33 article VI "signs" in order to revise the regulation of signs in the town and amortization of nonconforming or prohibited signs.
- Resolution urging the Miami-Dade County Commission to continue funding Public Transportation's Bus Route 1 and 287.
- Ordinance revising the 2008-2009 budget to appropriate \$60,0000 from the contingency reserves and allocate them to the parks budget.

2009-

- Resolution requesting Miami-Dade County Cease construction of a chain link fence along the bike path of SW 87th Ave between old Cutler rd. and SW 216th Street and requesting the county remove the existing chain link fence along the path
- Resolution to encumber budgeted funds from the 2008/2009 fiscal year budget for two upcoming events within the town.

2010-

- Resolution providing for the appointment of additional members to the parks and recreation advisory committee, and expanding the duties of the committee.
- Ordinance amending Section 2 of Ordinance 07-19 relating to community -wide garage sales.
- Resolution establishing the 2010 community-wide garage sale dates.
- Resolution creating an education advisory committee.
- Ordinance amending Chapter 26 of the town code entitled "Park and Recreation department rules and regulations" revising rules for town parks, and updating penalties.
- Resolution amending resolution 07-41 to add an at-Large committee member.
- Resolution establishing the 2010 community-Wide garage sale dates.
- Resolution to expend budgeted funds for the purchase of an outdoor movie screen with projector and related equipment in an amount not to exceed \$10,000.00.

Please Note: The above items were compiled by looking through the meeting agendas for the past 3 years. While we believe the information is complete and accurate, we encourage you to research any item you have questions about.