



# CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS CITY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

**Meeting Date:** April 25, 2007  
1515 NW 167<sup>th</sup> St., Bldg. 5, Suite 200  
Miami Gardens, Florida 33169  
**Next Regular Meeting Date:** May 9, 2007  
**Phone:** (305) 622-8000 **Fax:** (305) 622-8001  
**Website:** [www.miamigardens-fl.gov](http://www.miamigardens-fl.gov)  
**Time:** 7:00 p.m.

Mayor Shirley Gibson  
Vice Mayor Oscar Braynon II  
Councilman Aaron Campbell Jr.  
Councilwoman Barbara Watson  
Councilman André Williams  
Councilman Melvin L. Bratton  
Councilwoman Sharon Pritchett  
City Manager Danny O. Crew  
City Attorney Sonja K. Dickens, Esq.  
City Clerk Ronetta Taylor, CMC

**City of Miami Gardens Ordinance No. 2004-02-18 requires all lobbyists before engaging in any lobbying activities to register with the City Clerk and pay an annual fee of \$250.00. This applies to all persons who are retained (whether paid or not) to represent a business entity or organization to influence “City” action. “City” action is broadly described to include the ranking and selection of professional consultants, and virtually all-legislative, quasi-judicial and administrative action. All not-for-profit organizations, local chamber and merchant groups, homeowner associations, or trade associations and unions must also register however an annual fee is not required.**

- (A) CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL**
- (B) INVOCATION**
- (C) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- (D) APPROVAL OF MINUTES - Regular City Council Minutes – April 11, 2007**
- (E) ORDER OF BUSINESS (Items shall be pulled from the Consent Agenda at this time):**
- (F) SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS (5 minutes each)**
  - F-1) Miami Gardens Police Transition Report

- F-2) Virginia Key Beach Park Trust representatives David Shorter, Executive Director  
Gene Tinnie, Chairperson of the Board of Trustees Val Screen, Esq.,  
Development Director.
- F-3) City of Miami Gardens Recycled Art Winners

**(G) PUBLIC COMMENTS**

**(H) ORDINANCE(S) FOR FIRST READING**

- H-1) There are none

**(I) ORDINANCE(S) FOR SECOND READING "PUBLIC HEARINGS**

I-1) AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS REPEALING ORDINANCE NO. 2004-02-118 ("LOBBYIST REGISTRATION") IN ITS ENTIRETY; CREATING NEW REGULATIONS FOR LOBBYISTS; PROVIDING FOR DEFINITIONS; PROVIDING FOR THE FILING OF CERTAIN REPORTS; PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN CODE; PROVIDING FOR A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE. (1<sup>st</sup> Reading – April 11, 2007) (SPONSORED BY THE CITY ATTORNEY)

I-2) AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, EXTENDING THE MORATORIUM ON THE PROCESSING OF PERMITS FOR AUTOMATIC CHANGING ELECTRIC SIGNS ("DIGITAL SIGNS"), INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, SITE PLANS, BUILDINGS, PLUMBING, MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL PERMITS, DEVELOPMENTAL APPLICATIONS AND ORDERS AND ANY RELATED ACTIONS AND/OR APPROVALS FOR SUCH SIGNS WITHIN THE CITY, FOR AN ADDITIONAL TWO HUNDRED SEVENTY (270) DAY PERIOD; PROVIDING FOR A TERM; PROVIDING FOR EXCEPTIONS; PROVIDING FOR A STUDY; PROVIDING FOR ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS; REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING A SEVERABILITY CLAUSE; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE. (1<sup>st</sup> Reading – April 11, 2007) (SPONSORED BY THE CITY MANAGER)

**(J) CONSENT AGENDA/RESOLUTION(S)**

J-1) A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ISSUE PURCHASE ORDERS ON AN AS NEEDED BASIS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED THE BUDGETED AMOUNT FOR MISCELLANEOUS OFFICE SUPPLIES BY RELYING UPON THAT CERTAIN U.S. COMMUNITIES

**GOVERNMENT PURCHASING ALLIANCE TERM CONTRACT  
MASTER AGREEMENT #42595; PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION  
OF REPRESENTATIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.  
(SPONSORED BY THE CITY MANAGER)**

**J-2) A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY  
MANAGER TO ISSUE A PURCHASE ORDER TO BEARING POINT,  
INC., IN ACCORDANCE WITH THAT STATE OF FLORIDA BID  
#973-561-06-1; PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF  
REPRESENTATIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.  
(SPONSORED BY THE CITY MANAGER)**

**J-3) A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, AWARDED A BID TO OMB  
POLICE SUPPLY, INC., IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED THE  
BUDGETED AMOUNT; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO  
ISSUE A PURCHASE ORDER TO OMB POLICE SUPPLY, INC.,  
FOR THE PURCHASE OF FIREARMS; PROVIDING FOR THE  
ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE  
DATE. (SPONSORED BY THE CITY MANAGER)**

**J-4) A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, REQUESTING FAIR TREATMENT  
OF THE 101 HAITIAN ASYLUM SEEKERS WHO RECENTLY  
ARRIVED ASHORE ON HALLANDALE BEACH, FLORIDA;  
REQUESTING THEIR IMMEDIATE RELEASE FROM  
DETENTION; PROVIDING FOR DIRECTIONS TO THE CITY  
CLERK; PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF  
REPRESENTATIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.  
(SPONSORED BY MAYOR GIBSON/COUNCILMAN WILLIAMS)**

**(K) RESOLUTION(S)**

There are none

**(L) REPORTS OF CITY MANAGER AND CITY ATTORNEY.**

L-1) Monthly Staff Report

**(M) REPORTS OF MAYOR AND COUNCIL MEMBERS.**

**(N) WRITTEN REQUESTS, PETITIONS & OTHER WRITTEN  
COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE PUBLIC.**

**(O) ADJOURNMENT.**

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AND WHO NEED SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS MEETING BECAUSE OF THAT DISABILITY

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ANYONE WISHING TO APPEAL ANY DECISION MADE BY THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS WITH RESPECT TO ANY MATTER CONSIDERED AT SUCH MEETING OR HEARING WILL NEED A RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS AND, FOR SUCH PURPOSE, MAY NEED TO ENSURE THAT A VERBATIM RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS IS MADE, WHICH RECORD INCLUDES THE TESTIMONY AND EVIDENCE UPON WHICH THE APPEAL IS TO BE BASED.

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