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Meeting Agenda
Tuesday, November 6, 2012
3:00 PM

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Historic and Environmental Preservation Board

William E. Hopper, Jr., Chairperson
Gerald C. Marston, Vice-Chair
Timothy A. Barber, Member
Nelson Diaz Member
David Freedman, Member
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Gary Hecht, Member
Jorge Kuperman, Member
Hugh Ryan, Member
Lynn B. Lewis, Alternate Member
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PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

SWEARING IN OF PUBLIC

HEPB. AGENDA ITEMS (RESOLUTIONS)
HEPB.1

A RESOLUTION OF THE MIAMI HISTORIC AND ENVIRONMENTAL PRESERVATION BOARD RECOMMENDING APPROVAL OR DENIAL OF AN APPLICATION OF A SPECIAL CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS FOR DEMOLITION OF A SINGLE-FAMILY HOME LOCATED AT APPROXIMATELY 481 NORTHEAST 61ST STREET WITHIN THE PALM GROVE HISTORIC DISTRICT BY THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, UNSAFE STRUCTURES SECTION.

LOCATION:  Approximately 481 NE 61st Street [Commissioner Marc David Sarnoff - District 2]

APPLICANT(S):  Johnny Martinez, City Manager, on behalf of the City of Miami

FINDING(S):
PRESERVATION OFFICE:  Recommends deferral.

PURPOSE:  This will allow the demolition of a vacant single-family residence on the City’s Unsafe Structures list, due to issues of vagrancy and unsecured openings.

Legislative History
10/02/12 Historic and Environmental Preservation Board CONTINUED
HEPB.2

A RESOLUTION OF THE MIAMI HISTORIC AND ENVIRONMENTAL PRESERVATION BOARD RECOMMENDING APPROVAL OR DENIAL OF AN APPLICATION OF A SPECIAL CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS FOR DEMOLITION AND LAYING OF SOD FOR THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT APPROXIMATELY 613 NORTHWEST 7TH STREET ROAD.

LOCATION: Approximately 613 NW 7th Street Road [Commissioner Michelle Spence-Jones - District 5]

APPLICANT(S): Johnny Martinez, City Manager, on behalf of the City of Miami

FINDING(S):
PRESERVATION OFFICE: Recommends approval with conditions*.
*See supporting documentation.

PURPOSE: This will allow demolition of a Parks building on the City’s Unsafe Structures list, because the building is partially collapsed.
HEPB.3  
A RESOLUTION OF THE MIAMI HISTORIC AND ENVIRONMENTAL PRESERVATION BOARD RECOMMENDING APPROVAL OR DENIAL OF AN APPEAL OF TREE REMOVAL, RELOCATION, AND TRIMMING FOR THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT APPROXIMATELY 3045 MATILDA STREET.

LOCATION:  Approximately 3045 Matilda Street [Commissioner Marc David Sarnoff - District 2]

APPELLANT(S):  Jim McMaster, President, on behalf of The Grove Tree-Man Trust

APPLICANT(S):  Rene Diaz, Contractor, on behalf of Maria Pia Clemens, Owner

FINDING(S):
PRESERVATION OFFICE:  Recommends denial of appeal, approval of tree removal permit with conditions*.
*See supporting documentation.

PURPOSE:  This appeal of a tree removal permit is based on concerns for the health of two large specimen oaks, and for loss of tree canopy in Coconut Grove.
DISCUSSION ITEMS

HEPB.4  2013 Board Meeting Dates

HEPB.5  Amendments to Board Rules of Procedure

HEPB.6  FEMA Variances for Historic Properties – Follow Up Report from Staff