

## MIAMI BEACH UNITED · COMMISSION SCORECARD 2025–26

How the Mayor and Commissioners voted on issues where MBU took a position. Cumulative rating as of September 30, 2026. Green = supported MBU's position · Red = opposed · Yellow = partially supported (not counted) · Gray = absent (not counted) · Blank = not yet in office.

| Date              | Item                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | MBU     | Comment                                                                                                                                              | Bhatt        | Dominguez    | Fernandez    | Magazine     | Mayor<br>Meiner | Salinas      | Suarez       |
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| Oct 30, 2024      | <b>Sea level rise plan</b><br>Resolution to accept the Sea Level Rise Vulnerability Assessment and Adaptation Plan                                                                                                                                                            | Support | Expands resident engagement and focuses on pathways to reduce risk of flood damage to community assets                                               | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               |              | ✓            |
| Dec 17, 2025      | <b>\$800K job incentive for Playboy Enterprises</b><br>Resolution authorizing the payment of \$800K in equal installments over 4 years to Playboy Enterprises under the Job Incentives Creation Program.                                                                      | Oppose  | No assurance relocated jobs will go to Miami Beach residents or that new hires will live in Miami Beach and contribute sufficiently to the tax base. | ✗            | ✗            | ✓            | ✗            | ✗               | ✗            | ✓            |
| Dec 17, 2025      | <b>Zoning changes only for applicants in good standing</b><br>Ordinance amendment requiring applicants to be in good standing with respect to violations, fines and fees before applying for zoning changes                                                                   | Support |                                                                                                                                                      | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Dec 17, 2025      | <b>Keeping City vendors off Land Use Boards</b><br>Ordinance amendment to adopt restrictions on City vendors and their employees from serving on Land Use Boards                                                                                                              | Support | Addresses potential conflicts of interest                                                                                                            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Dec 17, 2025      | <b>Late-night boat activity at City marinas</b><br>Ordinance amendment further restricting commercial vessel activity at City owned marinas between 7 pm and 7 am.                                                                                                            | Support | Addresses noise from party boats which has been disturbing nearby residences                                                                         | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Dec 17, 2025      | <b>Clearer signs at private parking lots</b><br>Ordinance amendment enhancing signage requirements for private parking lots indicating lot is private and not municipal.                                                                                                      | Support | Intended to avoid confusion by parkers who may think a lot is City owned instead of privately owned.                                                 | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Dec 17, 2025      | <b>Lobbyists must disclose payments to groups</b><br>Ordinance amendment requiring lobbyists to disclose monetary payments made to individuals or neighborhood associations appearing before the Commission in connection with a project                                      | Support |                                                                                                                                                      | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Dec 17, 2025      | <b>Noise cameras for loud vehicles</b><br>Resolution requesting State legislature to pass a law allowing counties and municipalities to use noise cameras to cite excessively loud vehicles.                                                                                  | Support |                                                                                                                                                      | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Feb 5, 2026       | <b>Speed limits for delivery robots</b><br>Ordinance amendment imposing speed limits on delivery robots to 6 mph on sidewalks and 10 mph when crossing streets                                                                                                                | Support | City's ability to regulate delivery robots is limited by State law                                                                                   | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Feb 25, 2026      | <b>Stronger County noise rules (25 ft)</b><br>Resolution requesting that Miami Dade County amend its noise ordinance to make it prima facie evidence of a noise violation if the noise from a floating structure, automobile or vessel is audible at 25ft (currently 100 ft). | Support | Will improve ability of police to enforce noise violations coming from loud automobile mufflers, party boats, etc.                                   | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |

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| Feb 25, 2026      | <b>Local control of traffic signal timing</b><br>Resolution requesting Miami Dade County to amend its codes to allow Miami Beach to control timing of traffic signals on roads within the City on a pilot basis for two years. | Support |                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Mar 18, 2026      | <b>Senior events and electioneering limits</b><br>Resolution allowing the City to have more control over City sponsored events for seniors and to encourage limits on electioneering.                                          | Support |                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Mar 18, 2026      | <b>Banning advertising boats in State waters</b><br>Resolution requesting the State of Florida to pass legislation prohibiting advertising vessels in State waters including off Miami Beach                                   | Support | This proposed legislation was initiated by MBU                                                                                                                                                                              | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Mar 18, 2026      | <b>Ethics training for City regulators</b><br>Resolution directing the City to resume enhanced ethics training for regulatory employees as recommended by the Inspector General                                                | Support |                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Apr 22, 2026      | <b>Beachfront Management Plan</b><br>Resolution accepting recommendations by the Beachfront Management Ad Hoc Advisory Group and accepting 2026 draft of the Plan                                                              | Support | MBU supports this Plan because it is necessary for the City to retain control over management of its beaches from the State but we have reservations about large areas of the beach allowed for use by commercial operators | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| May 20, 2026      | <b>Alcohol sales at beach concessions</b><br>Resolution authorizing the sale and consumption of alcoholic beverages in designated beachfront concession areas                                                                  | Oppose  | Seems inconsistent with goal of turning Miami Beach away from "party" image to one of health and fitness                                                                                                                    | ✗            | ✗            | ✗            | ✗            | ✗               | ✗            | ✗            |
| May 20, 2026      | <b>More local control over traffic-heavy projects</b><br>Resolution amending City's State Legislative Priorities to include giving local government more control over development projects affecting traffic                   | Support |                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| May 20, 2026      | <b>Moratorium on water, sewer and stormwater rates</b><br>Resolution introducing a moratorium on water, sewer and stormwater rates, with limited exceptions, without a 5/7 vote of the Commission                              | Oppose  | MBU believes the Commission needs to carefully consider the alternatives to finance these needs without increasing the number of votes to raise fees                                                                        | ✓            | ✓            | ✗            | ✗            | ✗               | ✓            | ✗            |
| May 20, 2026      | <b>Ending towing of residents' cars</b><br>Resolution ending towing of resident vehicles except when affecting public safety or if left in a residential zone for more than 24 hours                                           | Support | Does not apply to private property                                                                                                                                                                                          | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| May 20, 2026      | <b>Vehicle and boat noise limit at 25 ft overnight</b><br>Amendment to Excessive Noise Ordinance reducing to 25 feet the distance to establish prima facie evidence of a violation by a vehicle or boat between 11 pm and 7 am | Support |                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |

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| May 20, 2026      | <b>Forgiving penalties for past unpermitted work</b><br>Ordinance amendment to allow forgiveness of penalties for owners of residential properties who prior to December 2022 performed work without a proper permit if they voluntarily comply by December 2028.                                                                                                                      | Support | Is intended to encourage building regulation compliance but MBU believes there should be no further extensions to this "forgiveness" provision since by December 2028 all residential owners should have complied | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Jun 24, 2026      | <b>"Quiet zone" pilot South of Fifth</b><br>Resolution to pilot a "quiet zone" in the South of Fifth Neighborhood for one year.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Support |                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Jun 24, 2026      | <b>Online budget portal for residents</b><br>Resolution directing City staff to create a user-friendly on-line budget portal so the public can see how their tax dollars are being spent.                                                                                                                                                                                              | Support |                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Jun 24, 2026      | <b>"Stop the Pause" protection for big projects</b><br>Ordinance amending "Stop the Pause Policy" to require a super majority vote to stop or delay \$1,000,000 plus projects that have already reached a specified level of completion                                                                                                                                                | Support | Also includes new provisions requiring public meetings at certain stages                                                                                                                                          | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Jun 24, 2026      | <b>Tougher rules for repeat code violators</b><br>Amendment strengthening "Habitual Municipal Ordinance Violation Offenders" by changing definition of habitual offender from four (4) times in 12 months to three (3) times in two (2) years.                                                                                                                                         | Support |                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Jul 22, 2026      | <b>Better sargassum cleanup on our beaches</b><br>Resolution directing City staff to work proactively with all relevant parties to improve cleanup of sargassum on the City's beaches                                                                                                                                                                                                  | Support |                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Jul 22, 2026      | <b>Amending the State's Live Local Act</b><br>Resolution to collaborate with the Miami Dade Commission office of Vicki Lopez to propose amendments to the State's Live Local Act                                                                                                                                                                                                       | Support |                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Jul 22, 2026      | <b>Treatment commitments for incompetent defendants</b><br>Resolution urging the State to adopt legislation allowing the commitment of misdemeanor and municipal ordinance defendants who are adjudicated as mentally incompetent                                                                                                                                                      | Support |                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Jul 22, 2026      | <b>Rules for scooters and other micromobility</b><br>Ordinance amendment defining "micromobility device" and describing responsibilities for their operation, required safety equipment and enforcement of violations.                                                                                                                                                                 | Support |                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Sep 10, 2026      | <b>Coordinating major construction projects</b><br>Resolution directing the city administration to convene one or more intergovernmental meetings among the City's Public Works, Capital Improvements and Transportation Departments with county utilities (e.g. FPL) and other relevant government agencies to improve coordination on major construction and infrastructure projects | Support | Has goal of minimizing conflicts between projects and reducing disruptions to residents, businesses and visitors                                                                                                  | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |

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| Sep 10,<br>2026   | <b>Grand Theft Auto ads on City beaches</b><br>Resolution authorizing City Manager to negotiate a marketing agreement to allow signage on City beaches and other property to promote the new edition of the Grand Theft Auto video game | Oppose  |                                                                                                                                              | ✗            | ✗            | ✓            | ✗            | ✓               | ✗            | ✓            |
| Sep 10,<br>2026   | <b>Expanding the quiet zone (41st–71st St)</b><br>Resolution expanding the Quiet Zone pilot to the Collins Ave / Indian Creek corridors from 41st Street to 71st Street                                                                 | Support |                                                                                                                                              | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✓            |
| Sep 10,<br>2026   | <b>Affordable housing at the former Epicure site</b><br>Ordinance amendment providing FAR and density incentives for the former Epicure Market site to encourage development of affordable rental housing                               | Support | MBU expressed concern, however, with the cumulative impact of this and other projects on the City's infrastructure, e.g., traffic and sewage | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓            | ✓               | ✓            | ✗            |

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