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Special Commision Meeting on the Ocean Drive/Entertainment District

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Special Commission Meeting



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Via phone:
301.715.8592 or 888.475.4499 (Toll Free)
Webinar ID: 825 4181 4318

Friday, December 4, 2020
9 a.m.



To watch the meeting live, it can be streamed via Facebook Live (www.facebook.com/cityofmiamibeach) or watched on MBTV channel 660 at Atlantic Broadband or channel 99 on AT&T U-Verse.

The city is following CDC-recommended safety guidelines to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

In-Person Public Participation Members of the public who do not have access to a computer and wish to provide public comment at the Commission meeting, may appear in-person at Miami Beach City Hall, First Floor Conference Room, 1700 Convention Center Drive, Miami Beach, FL 33139. At this location, members of the public will be provided access to a computer to provide public comment (only in audio form) on an agenda item and/or at the Dr. Steiner-Sutnick's Citizens Forum from 8:30 a.m. to 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

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The November 18, 2020 Commission Meeting will be held VIRTUALLY.

To join the virtual commission meeting via Zoom:

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It will also be streamed live on MBTV, on the City's website, and on Facebook Live at [facebook.com/cityofmiamibeach](https://www.facebook.com/cityofmiamibeach).

IF YOU WISH TO SPEAK ON AN ITEM DURING THE MEETING:

Please click the "raise hand" button on the screen to raise your hand as soon as the item is called. This will pull you to the top of the list and make it easier for the team to find you in the list of attendees.

Commission meetings start at 9 a.m. at the Commission Chambers.
There is a Sutnick Hour, at which residents may address the Commission on any subject, from 8:30-9:00 a.m.

Want to read the proposed Commission agenda items and get info about the Commission meeting on Friday? Click [here](#).

Want to contact your elected officials directly? Click [here](#).

Commission Meeting December 4, 2020

This is Miami Beach United's Resolution

DISCUSSIONS PERTAINING TO THE OCEAN DRIVE ENTERTAINMENT (MXE) DISTRICT

Executive Summary:

For too long the entertainment district comprising Ocean Drive and adjacent blocks in South Beach has been declining in quality offerings, revenue generation for the City, and safety for residents and visitors alike. Earlier this year Mayor Gelber initiated a plan to re-imagine Ocean Drive; this meeting is the next step in that critical process. Read more about it [here](#).

Why It Matters:

- Efforts to roll back preliminary measures before the City has had a chance to put together a comprehensive holistic plan for what makes most sense for all involved are already underway. Doing so would be counterproductive to achieving the best possible outcome for all stakeholders.
- Residents **MUST** make their voices heard; Friday's meeting, or emailing your elected officials in advance of Friday's meeting, is critical to making your voices heard in this planning process. Contact them [HERE](#).

Miami Beach United **SUPPORTS** the effort to reimagine Ocean Drive.
Read the MBU Resolution in its entirety by clicking [HERE](#) - corrected
Read the Commission documents by clicking [HERE](#) - corrected

We hope all of you, our neighbors, friends, colleagues and greater community, are staying safe and are #stayinghome. We know that there is untold hardship for far too many with this silent stealthy disease, which is wreaking havoc on lives in every possible way - health, emotional well-being, financial survival. We commend all for taking the necessary precautions, and for toeing the line when it goes against the very nature of this city, to stay apart and keep our heads down. However, the faster we get through this, the more we learn, and the quicker we can adapt, adjust, rebuild and soar to greater heights, together. The City of Miami Beach has been doing a remarkable job of communicating. If you haven't already signed up for the City's CORONAVIRUS direct emails, or text alerts to your phone, you can do so via [this link](#) on the City's website. On behalf of the entire Board...stay safe. Stay home. See you on the flip side!

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