



MAYOR'S REPORT

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From the Desk of Mayor Tim Meerbott

Dear Residents:

The Town is committed to operating in a manner that is transparent. Each month I have the privilege and honor to represent the Town at various intergovernmental and community meetings, workshops and events that allow me to gain greater insight about the needs of our community. I also learn of best practices that have been implemented by other municipalities and organizations throughout the country that may help to improve the quality of life for residents within the Town. Below, is a brief report of the meetings and events that I attended this month.

Feel free to contact me if you have questions about the monthly report via email at tmeerbott@cutlerbay-fl.gov or (305) 234-4262.

June 11, 2020 – July 8, 2020

DATE	HOST/LOCATION	TOPIC	MEETING SUMMARY
06/11-07/08	Town of Cutler Bay	Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Municipal Updates	During this time, I have received daily updates from Town Manager Casals on COVID-19. In addition, emails from residents were read and responded accordingly.
06/11-07/08	State of Florida and Miami-Dade County	COVID-19 Executive Orders and Emergency Orders	During this time, I have received and reviewed periodic Governor DeSantis Executive Orders and Mayor Gimenez Emergency Orders.
06/11-07/08	Miami-Dade County Emergency Operations Center	COVID-19 Daily Situation Reports and Incident Action Plans	During this time, I have received and reviewed daily Situation Reports and periodic Incident Action Plans from Miami-Dade County Office of Emergency Management.
06/11-07/08	Florida Department of Health	COVID-19 Florida Department of Health Updates: New Cases Reports	During this time, I have received and reviewed daily Florida Department of Health Update on <i>Summary of Persons Being Monitored, Persons Under Investigation, and Cases and Characteristics of Florida Resident Cases whom Tested Positive</i> .
06/11-07/08	Miami-Dade County	Moving to a New Normal Dashboard	During this time, I reviewed daily <i>Moving to a New Normal Dashboard</i> reports issued by Mayor Gimenez.

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06/15	Town of Cutler Bay	Miami-Dade Back Bay Coastal Storm Risk Management (CSRM) Study Update	Participated in the South Florida Water Management District's virtual meeting to discuss the Miami-Dade Back Bay CSRM Study Updates with Vice Mayor Loyzelle, Council Member Duncan, Council Member Coriat and Town Manager Casals.
06/17	Town of Cutler Bay	Monthly Town Council Meeting	Attended the regularly scheduled Town Council Meeting held virtually.
06/23	Town of Cutler Bay	Free Food Distribution	Participated in the <i>Free Food Distribution</i> event hosted by State Representative Fernandez, M-DC Commissioner Cava, and the Town of Cutler Bay with Mayor Meerbott, Vice Mayor Loyzelle, Council Member Duncan, and Town Manager Casals.
05/20	Town of Cutler Bay	Public Service Announcement	Recorded a Public Service Announcement for 2020Census statistics, face coverings, the cancellation of the Town's Annual 4 th of July Parade, Golf Cart Rules and Regulations, and COVID-10 testing locations in Miami-Dade County.
07/01	Rodbenders Rawbar	Public Service Announcement	Recorded a Public Service Announcement regarding social distancing, wearing face masks, and 2020Census at Rodbenders Rawbar, and distributed Cutler Bay promotional facial masks and materials.
07/01	Party Cake Bakery	Face Mask Distribution and 2020Census Promotional Materials Giveaway	Participated in the Face Mask Distribution and 2020Census Promotional Materials Giveaway at Party Cake Bakery.
07/01	Rinconcito Superlatino III	Face Mask Distribution and 2020Census Promotional Materials Giveaway	Participated in the Face Mask Distribution and 2020Census Promotional Materials Giveaway at Rinconcito Superlatino III.
07/01	Fortis College in Cutler Bay	Face Mask Distribution and 2020Census Promotional Materials Giveaway	Participated in the Face Mask Distribution and 2020Census Promotional Materials Giveaway at Fortis College in Cutler Bay.
07/06	Town of Cutler Bay	Financial Forecast and Debt Consolidation Opportunities Virtual Meeting	Participated in the Financial Forecast and Debt Consolidation Opportunities Virtual Meeting with Town Manager Casals, Finance Director Daddario, and Financial Advisor to discuss the <i>Fund Balance Replenishment Plan 2020-2023</i> and provide feedback.

PLEASE NOTE: The next regularly scheduled Council Meeting will take place on Wednesday, July 15, 2020 at 7:00 PM. Please visit our website for additional information at: www.cutlerbay-fl.gov

Our Commitment to Keeping You Informed:

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Updates, Information and Resources

In an effort to keep you informed, the Town continues to provide updates regarding our operations during the Coronavirus Disease 19 (COVID-19) pandemic through this designated webpage, <http://cutlerbay-fl.gov/your-community/coronavirus>. For the most up-to-date information regarding the disease, please visit the Centers for Disease Control, (<https://www.cdc.gov/>) and Prevention and the Florida Department of Health's (<http://www.floridahealth.gov/>) websites.

Moving to a New Normal

Mayor Carlos A. Gimenez's *Initial Reopening Plan* identifies non-essential businesses allowed to open Monday, May 18 with stringent capacity and safety rules in place. Businesses may wish to enforce more stringent guidelines or procedures. Municipalities may choose to follow Miami-Dade County's guidelines or enact stricter requirements, but they cannot be more lenient. In addition, some businesses cannot reopen until a later date.

For information regarding the *Initial Reopening Plan* visit:

<https://www.miamidade.gov/global/initiatives/coronavirus/business/reopening-plan.page>

#2020Census

The results of the #2020Census will inform decisions and proportionately allocate hundreds of billions of dollars in federal funding to communities across the country based on the amount of people that get counted—that includes hospitals, fire departments, school lunch programs, and other critical programs and service. It will also determine how many seats in Congress each state gets. If you have any questions about the 2020 Census, contact Florida's Census Regional office at (470) 889-6800.