

Memorandum

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M E M O R A N D U M

To: Honorable Mayor and Town Council

From: Rafael G. Casals, ICMA-CM, CFM, Town Manager

- **Date:** June 17, 2020
- Re: Proposed Water Supply Related Amendments to Growth Management Plan and Update to the Town's Water Supply Facilities Work Plan

<u>REQUEST</u>

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CUTLER BAY, FLORIDA UPDATING THE TOWN WATER SUPPLY PLAN AND ADOPTING WATER SUPPLY PLAN RELATED AMENDMENTS TO THE TOWN GROWTH MANAGEMENT PLAN; PROVIDING FOR TRANSMITTAL; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE. BACKGROUND AND ANALYSIS

Pursuant to Florida Statute Section § 163.3167, each municipality must update its Water Supply Plan every five (5) years and within 18 months of the adopted update to the Water Supply Plan of its respective Water Management District. In the Town's case, the applicable District is the South Florida Water Management District which adopted the Lower East Coast Water Supply Plan Update (LEC) on November 8, 2018.

For informational purposes the Miami-Dade County Water Supply Plan Update and related Amendments are in process and have not yet been adopted.

With the adoption of the Miami-Dade Water Supply Plan Update and the water supply related amendments to the Growth Management Plan the Town will be in compliance with State requirements and will be consistent with the above referenced plans.

According to The Corradino Group's (the "Consultant") report (*Attachment "A"*) the proposed major changes/amendments to the existing Water Supply Facilities Work Plan and Growth Management Plan consist of the following:

- 1. Amending adoption dates of the LEC Water Supply Plan and Miami-Dade County Water Supply Plan and amendments.
- 2. Referencing other agency capital improvement projects and funding.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Town Council approve the attached Ordinance amending the 10-Year Water Supply Facilities Work Plan and Growth Management Plan in compliance with Florida Statute Section § 163.3167.

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment "A" - Consultant Report

Attachment "B" - Miami Herald Advertisement (dated June 7, 2020)