



**COMMISSION MEMORANDUM**

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission

FROM: Commissioner Alex Fernandez

DATE: February 3, 2025

TITLE: REFERRAL TO THE LAND USE AND SUSTAINABILITY COMMITTEE TO DISCUSS BEAUTIFYING THE FLYOVER BRIDGE LOCATED AT THE INTERSECTION OF MACARTHUR CAUSEWAY TO FIFTH STREET IN SOUTH BEACH.

**RECOMMENDATION**

Please place on the February 3, 2025, City Commission agenda a referral to the Land Use and Sustainability Committee to consider beautifying the flyover bridge located at the intersection of MacArthur Causeway to Fifth Street in South Beach. This location, as a major thoroughfare, offers an opportunity to enhance the city's visual character.

As part of this referral, the Administration is requested to present potential design options and development strategies for the project. Additionally, consideration should be given to how the community can be meaningfully engaged in the design consultation process, making sure the final design represents the desires of our residents.

**BACKGROUND/HISTORY**

**ANALYSIS**

**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

**Does this Ordinance require a Business Impact Estimate?**  
(FOR ORDINANCES ONLY)

If applicable, the Business Impact Estimate (BIE) was published on:  
See BIE at: <https://www.miamibeachfl.gov/city-hall/city-clerk/meeting-notices/>

**FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

**CONCLUSION**

**Applicable Area**

South Beach

**Is this a "Residents Right to Know" item,  
pursuant to City Code Section 2-17?**

Yes

**Is this item related to a G.O. Bond  
Project?**

No

**Was this Agenda Item initially requested by a lobbyist which, as defined in Code Sec. 2-481,  
includes a principal engaged in lobbying?** No

If so, specify the name of lobbyist(s) and principal(s):

**Department**

Office of Commissioner Alex Fernandez

**Sponsor(s)**

Commissioner Alex Fernandez

**Co-sponsor(s)**

**Condensed Title**

Ref: LUSC - Beautify Flyover Bridge at Intersection of MacArthur Causeway & Fifth Street.  
(Fernandez)

**Previous Action (For City Clerk Use Only)**