



COMMISSION MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Commission  
FROM: Commissioner David Suarez  
DATE: March 19, 2025  
TITLE: REFERRAL TO THE FINANCE AND ECONOMIC RESILIENCY COMMITTEE -  
DISCUSS POTENTIAL CONFLICT OF INTEREST AND ETHICAL CONCERNS  
RELATED TO MIAMI DESIGN PRESERVATION LEAGUE'S MULTIPLE ROLES.

**RECOMMENDATION**

N/A

**BACKGROUND/HISTORY**

N/A

**ANALYSIS**

See revised Memorandum attached.

**FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT**

N/A

**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**

N/A

**CONCLUSION**

N/A

**Applicable Area**

Citywide

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

No

**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): N/A

**Department**

Office of Commissioner David Suarez

**Sponsor(s)**

Commissioner David Suarez

**Co-sponsor(s)**

**Condensed Title**

Ref: FERC (3/26/2025) - Conflict of Interest/Ethical Concerns Related to MDPL's Multiple Roles.  
(Suarez)

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