

MIAMI BEACH

COMMITTEE MEMORANDUM

TO: Public Safety and Neighborhood Quality of Life Committee Members

FROM: Rickelle Williams, Interim City Manager

DATE: July 10, 2024

TITLE: DISCUSS THE CREATION OF CODE COMPLIANCE AREA CAPTAIN POSITIONS FOR SOUTH BEACH, MID BEACH AND NORTH BEACH.

RECOMMENDATION

The Administration recommends that the Public Safety and Neighborhood Quality of Life Committee (PSNQLC) discuss the item and provide a recommendation.

BACKGROUND/HISTORY

At the May 15, 2024 Commission meeting, at the request of Commissioner Alex Fernandez and co-sponsor Joseph Magazine, the Mayor and City Commission approved a dual referral to the Public Safety and Neighborhood Quality of Life Committee (PSNQLC) and the Finance and Economic Resiliency Committee (FERC) to discuss the creation of Code Compliance Area Captain positions for South Beach, Mid Beach and North Beach.

The referral requested that the Code Compliance, Human Resources and Finance Departments be prepared to discuss this matter before the Committees.

The referral was scheduled to be heard at the June 5, 2024 Public Safety and Neighborhood Quality of Life Committee but was deferred by sponsor Commissioner Fernandez to a future meeting.

ANALYSIS

The City, through the Code Compliance Department, currently employs Code Compliance Administrators who are strategically assigned to zones like South Beach, Mid Beach, and North Beach, catering to the specific challenges and needs of each area. In addition to these Code Compliance Administrators, there are also assigned Code Compliance Officers who work within their designated zones, allowing for a more targeted approach to addressing area-specific concerns and ensuring effective enforcement of codes and regulations. This zoning system enables the department to provide focused attention and resources to each neighborhood, enhancing the quality of service and compliance efforts in the community.

The Code Compliance Department acknowledges there is an opportunity to create greater awareness of district 'go-to' supervisors, aligning their role more closely with the concept of a Single Point of Contact (SPOC) for neighborhoods. This initiative can be implemented without any additional fiscal impact or the need to add any Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) staffing.

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

N/A

Does this Ordinance require a Business Impact Estimate?

(FOR ORDINANCES ONLY)

The Business Impact Estimate (BIE) was published on . See BIE at:
<https://www.miamibeachfl.gov/city-hall/city-clerk/meeting-notice/>

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

N/A

CONCLUSION

Staff will be present to discuss and provide any information regarding the potential creation of Code Compliance Area Captain positions for South Beach, Mid Beach and North Beach.

Applicable Area

Citywide

**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

Code Compliance

Sponsor(s)

Commissioner Alex Fernandez

Co-sponsor(s)

Commissioner Joseph Magazine

Condensed Title

Creation of Code Compliance Area Captain Positions. (Fernandez/Magazine) CO