

MEMORANDUM

Supplement to
Agenda Item No. 11(A)(48)

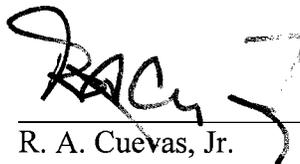
TO: Honorable Chairman Dennis C. Moss
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: June 2, 2009

FROM: R. A. Cuevas, Jr.
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Letter requesting waiver of
conflict of interest

The letter from Greenberg and Traurig referenced in this item was inadvertently not attached. This supplement provides this document.



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April 14, 2009

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL and HAND DELIVERY

Jose Rasco, Director
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111 N.W. 1st Street
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Re: Request for Waiver of Conflict of Interest

Dear Mr. Rasco:

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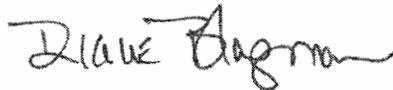
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We appreciate your, and the Board's consideration of this request. Please feel free to contact us with any questions you may have.

Very truly yours,



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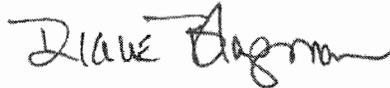
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