



**MEMORANDUM**

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Agenda Item No. 2(F)

**TO:** Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez  
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

**DATE:** September 14, 2011

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

**SUBJECT:** Resolution directing the County Mayor to develop a program for securing and covering bulky waste trash piles and placing signs on bulky waste trash piles to inform the public of the status of the removal of said bulky waste trash piles

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Senator Javier D. Souto.



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County Attorney

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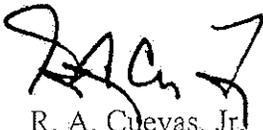


# MEMORANDUM

(Revised)

**TO:** Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez  
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

**DATE:** October 4, 2011

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

**SUBJECT:** Agenda Item No.

**Please note any items checked.**

- "3-Day Rule" for committees applicable if raised**
- 6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing**
- 4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing**
- Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget**
- Budget required**
- Statement of fiscal impact required**
- Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing**
- No committee review**
- Applicable legislation requires more than a majority vote (i.e., 2/3's \_\_\_\_, 3/5's \_\_\_\_, unanimous \_\_\_\_) to approve**
- Current information regarding funding source, index code and available balance, and available capacity (if debt is contemplated) required**

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor  
Veto \_\_\_\_\_  
Override \_\_\_\_\_

Agenda Item No.  
10-4-11

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COUNTY MAYOR TO DEVELOP A PROGRAM FOR SECURING AND COVERING BULKY WASTE TRASH PILES AND PLACING SIGNS ON BULKY WASTE TRASH PILES TO INFORM THE PUBLIC OF THE STATUS OF THE REMOVAL OF SAID BULKY WASTE TRASH PILES

**WHEREAS**, the current system for the collection of bulky waste involves the placement of bulky waste at the curb and calling for a pickup by the Solid Waste Department; and

**WHEREAS**, from the public perception there is no method to tell the status of the pickup of the bulky waste pile; and

**WHEREAS**, there is no outward method to differentiate between an illegally placed bulky waste pile and a pile which has been appropriately placed and pickup called for; and

**WHEREAS**, unsecured bulky waste trash piles often flow into the street or sidewalks, attract rodents and vermin and foster conditions for illegal dumping of waste onto the existing bulky waste pile; and

**WHEREAS**, the unsightly and unsanitary conditions often created by unsecured bulky waste trash piles hurt the image of the community, damage neighborhood pride, affect property values, create conditions of slum and blight and may foster vandalism and crime,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA**, that the County Mayor is hereby directed to develop a plan for containing bulky waste trash piles to prevent the scattering of yard waste or debris into the street or sidewalk by enveloping the waste pile with a re-usable, flexible cover material. When the homeowner calls the Solid Waste Department for one of their

annual bulky waste pickups, the Solid Waste Department will deliver to the homeowner the supplies for covering the bulky waste pile and charge the homeowner an additional nominal fee for the delivery and temporary use of the cover, along with the installation of a sign on the bulky waste cover to notify the public the approximate date of the pickup of bulky waste pile. The crew collecting the bulky waste pile shall retrieve the bulky waste cover. Said report shall include the cost of implementation of this program and the proposed fees to be charged the homeowners for this service. Said report shall be provided to this Board of County Commissioners within sixty (60) days of the approval of this resolution.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Sen. Javier D. Souto. It was offered by Commissioner \_\_\_\_\_, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner \_\_\_\_\_ and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Joe A. Martinez, Chairman	
Audrey M. Edmonson, Vice Chairwoman	
Bruno A. Barreiro	Lynda Bell
Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.	Jose "Pepe" Diaz
Sally A. Heyman	Barbara J. Jordan
Jean Monestime	Dennis C. Moss
Rebeca Sosa	Sen. Javier D. Souto
Xavier L. Suarez	

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2011. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA  
BY ITS BOARD OF  
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as  
to form and legal sufficiency.



Thomas H. Robertson

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