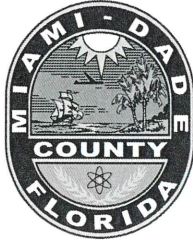


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## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** The Honorable Anthony Rodriguez, Vice Chairman,  
and Members, Miami-Dade Board of County Commissioners

**FROM:** The Honorable Oliver G. Gilbert III, Chairman  
Board of County Commissioners, District 1

**DATE:** March 27, 2023

**RE:** Committee Updates and Chairman's Board Appointments

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This memo serves to clarify policy areas for each commission committee and present information regarding the Chairman's board appointments.

- **Chairman's Policy Council and Intergovernmental Affairs Committee**

**Chair:** Oliver G. Gilbert, III  
**Vice-Chair:** Anthony Rodriguez

*The Chairperson's Policy Council and Intergovernmental Affairs Committee will meet on call of the Chair. All County departments may, at one point or another, have matters before the Chairman's Policy Council.*

- **Airport and Economic Development Committee**

**Chair:** Keon Hardemon  
**Vice-Chair:** Raquel A. Regalado  
**Members:** Marleine Bastien  
Kevin Cabrera  
Juan Carlos Bermudez  
Danielle Cohen Higgins

**Departments:** Aviation, Regulatory and Economic Resources  
(Economic Development)

*The committee is tasked with addressing issues involving Miami International Airport, the Executive Airports and other aviation properties, including development of support areas surrounding MIA. The committee will also work with the Community Redevelopment Agencies, Chambers, and other economic development entities such as the Beacon Council, the Greater Miami Convention and Visitors Bureau and the various groups tasked with bringing major sporting events to South Florida to promote economic development opportunities for the region.*

- **Community Health Committee**

**Chair:** Micky Steinberg  
**Vice Chair:** Kionne L. McGhee  
**Members:** René Garcia  
Kevin M. Cabrera  
Roberto J. Gonzalez

**Departments:** Public Health Trust, Emergency Management, Office of Management and Budget (health related federal grants), Medical Examiner

*The committee is tasked with addressing, mitigating, and continuing recovery from the COVID-19 pandemic. The committee will shore up the county's management of health-related emergencies by adding policy to include intergovernmental cooperation and equality in the delivery of public health resources to our community. Committee will also address items related to the Health Council of South Florida.*

- **Community Safety, Security and Emergency Management Committee**

**Chair:** Juan Carlos Bermudez  
**Vice Chair:** Kevin M. Cabrera  
**Members:** Roberto J. Gonzalez  
Keon Hardemon  
Eileen Higgins

**Departments:** Animal Services, Communications and Customer Experience, Corrections and Rehabilitation, Fire Rescue, Juvenile Services, Police

*The committee is tasked with developing policy that ensures fair policing, safe corrections and rehabilitation services, compassionate animal care, properly equipped fire and rescue service and effective communication with the community. This committee will also collaborate with Federal and State law enforcement agencies to achieve common goals.*

- **County Infrastructure, Operations and Innovations Committee**

**Chair:** Raquel A. Regalado  
**Vice Chair:** Micky Steinberg  
**Members:** Keon Hardemon  
Kionne L. McGhee  
Anthony Rodriguez

**Departments:** Audit and Management Services, Elections, Finance, Human Resources, Information Technology, Internal Services, Office of Management and Budget, Regulatory and Economic Resources, Solid Waste Management, Water and Sewer

*The committee is tasked with promoting efficient and effective delivery of the core services of Miami-Dade County government, both to internal and external customers. Such services include but are not limited to the procurement process for the County, septic to sewer conversions, and revamping the permitting process.*

- **Housing, Recreation, Culture and Community Development Committee**

**Chair:** Marleine Bastien  
**Vice Chair:** Eileen Higgins  
**Members:** René Garcia  
Roberto J. Gonzalez  
Kionne L. McGhee

**Departments:** Community Action and Human Services, Office of Management and Budget (Community based organizations), Public Housing and Community Development, Library, Parks and Recreation, Cultural Affairs

*The committee is tasked with promoting the development of affordable and workforce housing, clean and safe public housing, and the provision of services to children, the disabled and the elderly. The committee will collaborate with the Community Relations Board and other advisory boards. This committee will also maintain the critical role of supporting the acquisition, development and programming of Miami-Dade County parks and facilities, green spaces and libraries including cultural programs.*

- **PORT Miami, Resiliency, and Sustainability Committee**

**Chair:** Danielle Cohen Higgins  
**Vice Chair:** Micky Steinberg  
**Members:** Marleine Bastien  
Keon Hardemon  
Anthony Rodriguez

**Departments:** Regulatory and Economic Resources (DERM, Office of Resilience), Seaport, Transportation and Public Works (Stormwater Utility Management)

*The committee is tasked with the continued development of Port Miami cargo and cruise business. The committee is also tasked with implementing the recommendations of the Back Bay Study and monitoring the health of Biscayne Bay. The committee will also collaborate with the Office of Resilience to develop and support policies to improve the environmental resilience of the region.*

- **Transportation, Mobility, and Planning Committee**

**Chair:** Eileen Higgins  
**Vice Chair:** Danielle Cohen Higgins  
**Members:** Juan Carlos Bermudez  
René Garcia  
Raquel A. Regalado

**Departments:** Regulatory and Economic Resources, Transportation and Public Works

*The committee is tasked with addressing traffic congestion & improving mobility. It is also tasked with implementing land use and planning policies that incentivize transit-oriented development, such as the development of rapid transit zones.*

Pursuant to the BCC Rule of Procedure 2.0 (a)(2)k the Chairman shall have the right to vote on every committee. The Chairman's presence at committee or absence from committee shall not be considered for the purposes of quorum.

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### **Chairman's Board Appointments**

Board	Appointment(s)
Beacon Council	Chairman Gilbert
Great Miami Convention & Visitors Bureau	Commissioner Hardemon
Elections Canvassing Board	Chief Judge of the Circuit
International Trade Consortium	Chairman Gilbert
Military Affairs Board	Commissioner McGhee
Neat Streets Miami	Commissioner Cabrera
Public Health Trust Nominating Council	Commissioner Bastien
Public Health Trust-Compensation and Evaluation Committee	Chairman Gilbert and Vice Chairman Rodriguez
Public Health Trust/Medical Schools Annual Operating Agreement Negotiating Committee	Commissioner Garcia
Public Health Trust/Miami-Dade County Annual Operating Agreement Committee	Chairman Gilbert
Children's Trust	Commissioner Hardemon
Jackson Health System's General Obligation Bond Citizen's Advisory Committee	Commissioner Steinberg
Zoo Miami Oversight	Commissioner Gonzalez
Miami-Dade County Performance and Efficiency Commission	Vice Chairman Rodriguez
Tourist Development Council	Commissioner Hardemon
Youth Commission	Commissioner Gonzalez
Youth Crime Task Force	Commissioners Gonzalez and McGhee
Miami-Dade Criminal Justice Council	Commissioner Bermudez
Miami-Dade League of Cities	Commissioner Bermudez
Miami-Dade Biscayne Bay Watershed Management Advisory Board	Commissioner Cabrera

C: Honorable Daniella Levine Cava, Mayor  
 Geri Bonzon-Keenan, County Attorney  
 Gerald K. Sanchez, First Assistant County Attorney  
 Jess M. McCarty, Executive Assistant County Attorney  
 Basia Pruna, Director, Clerk of the Board