CITY OF MIAMI BEACH CHARTER REVIEW BOARD

Join the Charter Review Board on **Thursday, May 29, 2003 at 4:30 p.m.**

Do YOU want to make a difference in YOUR City? Do you want YOUR voice heard? The City of Miami Beach Charter Review Board wants YOUR comments and ideas.

As a City of Miami Beach resident, do YOU have any suggestions on how to change YOUR City of Miami Beach government? The Charter Review Board wants YOUR input.

The Miami Beach City Charter is equivalent to the State Constitution, establishing the City's form of government **setting forth the powers and duties of [YOUR] governing body**.

A review of the Charter occurs every ten years. It's YOUR opportunity to participate in shaping the form of YOUR government.

The next meeting of the Charter Review Board is Thursday, May 29, 2003 at 4:30 p.m., in the City Commission Chambers, 3rd floor, City Hall, 1700 Convention Center Drive. This meeting will be televised "live" on Miami Beach Governmental Channel 20.

Topics to be discussed

City Charter topics to be discussed on May 29 include Form of Government/Commission Powers and City Manager/Administrative Changes.

Are YOU interested in considering having a provision in the City Charter that changes the form of government from City Manager to Strong Mayor, or increase Mayor's term? Are YOU interested in changes to the Charter to consider the long term economic impact when adopting resolutions and allocating funds? Are you interested in changing election dates to even years?

These are some of the issues that will be discussed on May 29, 2003 at 4:30 p.m.

Do YOU have other ideas about YOUR City of Miami Beach government? Attend the meeting.

HOW TO CONTACT THE CHARTER REVIEW BOARD:

YOUR attendance at the meeting is wanted, however if you are unable to attend the meeting, YOUR input is still important. Interested individuals may submit suggestions to the CRB via email at Charterreview@miamibeachfl.gov, or by mail addressed to the City Clerk, 1700 Convention Center Drive, Miami Beach, FL, 33139, or via telefax at (305) 673-7254 to "Attention Charter Review Board".

The CRB has identified a number of issues to be discussed. The list of current issues is available at http://www.miamibeachfl.gov/newcity/cityhall/charter_review/main.asp or by calling the City Clerk's Office at 305-673-7411.

A copy of the Miami Beach City Charter is available at http://www.miamibeachfl.gov/newcity/cityhall/chart_review/main.asp.

If there are any questions regarding this process, please contact the Miami Beach City Clerk's Office at (305) 673-7411.

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