

Neighborhood Resiliency Projects Advisory Committee

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MEETING AGENDA

Thursday, January 29th , 2026 – 4:00 - 5:30 PM

City Manager's Large Conference Room

1700 Convention Center Drive, 4th Floor
Miami Beach, FL 33139

Zoom Information:

Please click the link below to join the webinar:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87629999648>

Webinar ID: 876 2999 9648

****Please note that Committee members are required to attend in person****

Call to Order/Roll Call

Committee Business

- 1) Selection of Chair/Vice Chair**
- 2) Approval of Minutes**
- 3) West Avenue Project Updates/News**
- 4) 2026 Meeting Dates**
- 5) Future committee Topics/Focus Discussion**
 - a. Sunshine Law Review**

Public Comment

Adjournment

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Committee Purpose

The purpose of the Neighborhood Resilience Projects Advisory Committee is to act as an advisory board to City Commission and City Manager on neighborhood infrastructure programs and private property matters related to the City's resilience projects. This includes helping build awareness of existing and future projects within the community and seeking resident ideas and feedback to improve the planning and delivery of future projects. The Committee will not advise on matters that have specifically been reviewed by the City Commission to avoid creating fiscal impacts or undue delays in the implementation of critical resiliency projects.

Powers and Duties

The Committee shall have the following powers and duties:

- (1) Provide advisory recommendations and feedback on best approaches to enhance resident education and resident engagement.
- (2) Provide advisory recommendations and feedback regarding process improvements for flood mitigation.
- (3) Share input and evaluate general neighborhood aesthetics and utility and infrastructure improvements, such as location decision criteria for pump stations or other improvements.
- (4) Provide a forum for the Committee to share best practices and lessons learned from completed projects and/or ongoing projects, for potential incorporation as part of future projects.

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