

MINUTES
Town Hall Meeting
to Discuss
Traffic Concerns (East/West)
January 13, 2026
6:30 PM
Government Center
6601 Main Street
Miami Lakes, Florida 33014

1. Call to Order:

The meeting began at 6:31 PM.

The following Councilmembers were present: Mayor Josh Dieguez, Vice Mayor Morera, Councilmember Ray Garcia, Councilmember Angelo Cuadra Garcia, Councilmember Steven Herzberg and Councilmember Alex Sanchez.

The following Town Staff members were present: Town Manager Edward Pidermann, Town Attorney Raul Gastesi, Deputy Town Attorney Lorenzo Cobiella, Deputy Town Clerk Alexis P. Martinez, Public Works Director Omar Santos, Principal Town Planner Susana Alonso and Lieutenant Eddy Ulloa.

2. Public Comments:

Mr. Rick Gonzalez came before the Town Council to provide public comments. He posed questions to Public Works Director Santos regarding planning for potential traffic that would be created by the new buildings going up next to the Miami Lakes Golf Club.

Mr. Ludwig Dorfmeirer came before the Town Council to provide public comments. He spoke about traffic concerns on NW 87th Ave.

Ms. Susan Camp came before the Town Council to provide public comments. She spoke about concerns with the off-ramps from the Palmetto onto Miami Lakes Drive and speeding issues on Miami Lakeway South.

Ms. Martha Gonzalez came before the Town Council to provide public comments. She spoke about the synchronization of traffic lights.

Mr. Omar Sepulveda came before the Town Council to provide public comments. He spoke about potential traffic concerns during the upcoming University of Miami football championship game.

Ms. Maria Borgess came before the Town Council to provide public comments. She spoke about her concerns regarding the plans for the Gratigny off-ramps onto NW 67th Ave.

3. Item Discussed:

Mayor Dieguez opened the meeting and Deputy Town Attorney Cobiella provided explanations for jurisdiction and traffic laws.

Public Works Director Santos and Principal Town Planner Alonso presented status updates on traffic projects. She also answered questions posed by the Town Council and residents who participated in public comments.

Town Manager Pidermann and Town Attorney Gastesi provided additional feedback and answered questions posed by Town Council and residents who participated in public comments.

Lieutenant Ulloa provided day-to-day operational procedures for traffic, feedback regarding traffic light synchronization and answered questions posed by Town Council and residents who participated in public comments.

Mayor Dieguez gave closing remarks.

4. Adjournment:

This meeting was adjourned at 8:23 p.m.

Approved this 17th day February 2026.

Joshua Dieguez, Mayor

Attest:

Gina M. Inguanzo, Town Clerk

MINUTES
Quarterly Special Taxing District
Town Council Workshop

January 15, 2026
6:30 PM
Government Center
6601 Main Street
Miami Lakes, Florida 33014

1. Call to Order:

The meeting began at 6:32 p.m.

The following Councilmembers were present: Vice Mayor Bryan Morera, Councilmember Angelo Cuadra Garcia, Councilmember Steven Herzberg, Councilmember Alex Sanchez. Councilmember Ray Garcia participated via Zoom.

The following Town Staff members were present: Town Clerk Gina M. Inguanzo, Parks & Recreation Director Jeremy Bajdaun, Attorney Mirelis Castilla, Esq., with the law firm Gastesi Legal and Deputy Town Clerk Alexis P. Martinez. Special Projects Manager John Yanes participated via Zoom.

2. Public Comments:

(Phonetically the spelling of each speaker's name will be used throughout the minutes unless correct spelling is known)

Vice Mayor Morera opened the meeting up for public comments. Town Clerk Inguanzo read the public comments instructions.

Mr. Boris Foster participated in public comments via Zoom and spoke about the cleaning of the sidewalks on NW 82nd Ave.

3. Item Discussed:

Special Projects Manager Yanes presented his staff report and answered questions posed by Town Council.

He provided reports including but not limited to the lake maintenance contract, updated lake standards within the contract, fish stocking timeline, Special Taxing District decal updates, auto gate arm switch for visitor lanes, discussion on content for digital signage and the current testing and implementation phase for Glencairn Terrace.

Vice Mayor Morera requested that Special Projects Manager Yanes send him the updated lake standards that will be included in the lake maintenance contract.

Parks & Recreation Director Bajdaun provided feedback and answered questions posed by Town Council.

4. Adjournment:

This meeting was adjourned at 7:24 p.m.

Approved this 17th day February 2026.



Joshua Dieguez, Mayor

Attest:



Gina M. Inguanzo, Town Clerk