

MINUTES
Mayoral Annual Budget Address
September 24, 2019
7:15 p.m.
Government Center
6601 Main Street
Miami Lakes, Florida 33014

Mayor Manny Cid made some remarks about the Budget before the Second Budget Hearing. He made a parallel comparison between the Town of Miami Lakes and the Miami Dolphins Team, regarding the restructuring of the organizations and about the way their budgets were analyzed in detail. Mayor Cid emphasized that taxes were kept low with the same level of service.

He acknowledge the good leadership of the Town administration and thank all his colleagues, specially Councilmember Dieguez, for the pivotal role he played during this year's budget cycle; he thanked him for calling the Sunshine Meetings and making it possible for the town council to work in every single detail of the budget, making this process the first time ever in the Town's history. Mayor Cid stated that this year "we had a participatory budget in process".

Mayor Cid thanked the Town Staff, Town Council and the Town Manager for the great work during the budget cycle.

Mayor Cid also stated that once again, the Town of Miami Lakes is rated 11th out of 114 cities in Florida. He said that it pays off to invest in the future and in Public Service. He finished by saying that the response time is down from 8 minutes to 6 1/2 minutes.

Approved on this 8th day of October, 2019.

Manny Cid, Mayor

Attest:

Gina Inganzo, Town Clerk