

April 2016 Town Council Meeting



From the Desk of Mayor Peggy R. Bell

The Town is committed to operating in a manner that is transparent. Each month I have the privilege and honor to represent the Town at various intergovernmental and community meetings, workshops and events that allow me to gain greater insight about the needs of our community. I also learn of best practices that have been implemented by other municipalities and organizations throughout the country that may help to improve the quality of life for residents within the Town.

Below, is a brief report of the meetings and events that I attended between April 15, 2016 – May 12, 2016.

Date	Agency/Host	Topic	Meeting Summary
4/16/2016	Lakes by the Bay Park	Second Annual Earth & Arbor Day Celebration	Attended the Second Annual Earth & Arbor Day Celebration at Lakes by the Bay Park. Presented a Proclamation on behalf of the Town of Cutler Bay.
4/19/2016	Town of Cutler Bay	Youth Council Citizen Advisory Meeting	Monthly meeting of the Town's Youth Council Citizen Advisory
4/20/2016	Town of Cutler Bay	Town Council Meeting	Monthly meeting to address any new or pending Town business.
4/21/2016	Town of Cutler Bay	Economic Growth Committee Meeting	Monthly meeting of the Town's Economic Growth Committee.
4/22/2016	Bellinis Italian Kitchen	Grand Re-Opening	Attended the Grand Re-opening celebration of Bellinis Italian Kitchen (formerly Sal's) in Southland Mall.
4/25/2016	Cutler Bay Senior High	Distracted Driving Assembly	Attended the Annual Distracted Driving Event at Cutler Bay Senior High. Students from the Town's Executive Internship Program presented their Distracted Driving Public Service Announcement to their peers.

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4/26/2016	City of Homestead	State of the City Address	Attended the City of Homestead State of the City: The Excitement Continues hosted by Mayor Jeff Porter.
4/27/2016	Town of Cutler Bay	Open Mic Night	Attended the Town's Open Mic Night, where residents had an opportunity to speak directly to the Town Manager and voice any suggestions, questions, or concerns.
4/28/2016-4/29/2016	Miami-Dade County Port of Miami	Good Government Seminar	Attended the Good Government Seminar, speakers discussed and addressed Public and Private Partnerships and How to Effectively Communicate with Clarity and Purpose.
5/5/2016	Town of Cutler Bay	National Day of Prayer	Hosted a prayer in honor of National Prayer Day in conjunction with a local Church.
5/5/2016	Melreese Country Club	Miami-Dade League of Cities Board Meeting	Monthly meeting of the Miami-Dade League of Cities.
5/9/2016	Cutler Bay Middle School	Meeting in Civics Class	Participated in Palmetto Bay Councilmember Karyn Cunningham's meeting for Cutler Bay Middle School's Civics Class.
5/11/2016	Town of Cutler Bay	Town Zoning Workshop	Zoning Hearing to address the Village of Old Cutler Corp. Site Plan Application.
5/12/2016	Village of Palmetto Bay	Informational Town Hall on Turkey Point Cooling Canals	Co-hosted the Informational meeting addressing the questions and concerns of the citizens in regards to drinking water and water supply.

Feel free to contact me if you have questions about the monthly report via email at pbell@cutlerbay-fl.gov or (305)234-4262.

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