

**Meyers, Robert (COE)**

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**From:** Meyers, Robert (COE)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, May 31, 2006 4:32 PM  
**To:** Rowe, Leslie (MDPR)  
**Subject:** RE:

Ms. Rowe,

According to the conversation we had yesterday about your duties as the Special Events Coordinator for the Deering Estate and your spouse's business, which may entail his clients holding events at the Deering Estate. You indicated to me that your role in booking is to take the information from a party who wishes to hold a function at Deering and to determine whether the Estate is available. Further, the fees charged for hosting an event are set by the County and you have no discretion to change these fees.

Based on the information you have provided me, there is no conflict of interest that would prevent you from assisting your husband's clients who wish to use the Deering Estate for their special events.

If you have any questions concerning the above, please do not hesitate to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Robert Meyers, Executive Director  
Miami-Dade Commission on Ethics and Public Trust

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**From:** Rowe, Leslie (MDPR)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, May 31, 2006 12:11 PM  
**To:** Meyers, Robert (COE)  
**Subject:** FW:

Hi Mr.. Meyer,

Just a quick reminder to e-mail me that information we spoke of yesterday.

Thanks

**Leslie Rowe**, Special Event Coordinator  
The Deering Estate at Cutler  
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-----Original Message-----

**From:** Rowe, Leslie (MDPR)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 30, 2006 11:49 AM  
**To:** Meyers, Robert (COE)  
**Subject:**

Hi Mr. Meyer,

My husband has an Event Planning and Design business and from time to time some of his client want to use the Deering Estate as the sight to host their event. I am the Special Event Coordinator for the Deering Estate. Is there a conflict of interest? How should this be handled? Please advise.

Regards

**Leslie Rowe**, Special Event Coordinator  
The Deering Estate at Cutler