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Cc: Centorino, Joseph (COE); Thompson, Robert A. (COE)
Subject: INQ 11-138 Planning Advisory Board

Mr. Bared,

As we discussed today, you have a voting conflict regarding a report that will be presented to the County Planning Advisory Board on September 19, 2011. Under the Miami-Dade County Code at Sec. 2-11.1 (v), advisory board members may not vote on matters that will directly affect them *and* if they have certain enumerated relationships with the entity before them.

The vote involves long-range plans for the Palmer Lake Charrette area. You acknowledged that the vote will directly affect you because you own the Jones Boat Yard property, which lies within the Palmer Lake Charrette area. Additionally, you are the chair of the Palmer Lake Charrette Committee—the entity bringing this matter before the Planning Advisory Board. Consequently, you must recuse yourself from voting and not participate in discussions regarding the Palmer Lake Charrette.

You said that because you were appointed to the board very recently, you were not aware that all advisory board members are required to complete a two-hour ethics course conducted by the Miami-Dade Ethics Commission. You may contact your board secretary or Robert Thompson in our office to schedule a time to attend. Mr. Thompson can be reached at 305 350-0630 or ROBTHOM@miamidade.gov.

If you have additional questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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