

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSION ON ETHICS & PUBLIC TRUST



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In re:
William Alonso

C 20-06-01

PUBLIC REPORT AND FINAL ORDER

Wallace Clark (Clark) filed this complaint against William Alonso (Alonso), City Manager of Miami Springs, alleging that the City of Miami Springs, by and through Alonso, barred him from taking photographs at the city's Daddy-Daughter Dance, discriminated against him (Clark) by telling the City Council not to speak to him, and failed to comply with a public records request.

A legally sufficient complaint exists where there are allegations of a violation of an ordinance within the jurisdiction of the Ethics Commission, purportedly committed by an individual within the authority of the Ethics Commission, and filed with the Ethics Commission within three years of the alleged violation.

The City made an administrative decision concerning the operation of a city-sponsored event attended by minor children. Dissatisfaction or disagreement with such administrative decisions is not the basis for an ethics violation. In addition, the City complied with Clark's public records request.

On March 11, 2020, in closed session, the Ethics Commission's General Counsel recommended that the case be dismissed. In open session, the Ethics Commission voted unanimously to find No Legal Sufficiency and dismissed the case.

Wherefore it is:

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that COMPLAINT C20-06-01 against Respondent, William Alonso is hereby dismissed.

DONE AND ORDERED by the Miami-Dade County Commission on Ethics & Public Trust in public session on March 11, 2020.