



***City of North Miami Beach, Florida***

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MAYOR AND COUNCIL

**COUNCIL CONFERENCE**

**Tuesday, February 2, 2010**

**6:00 pm**

**Fourth Floor, Council Chambers**

**AGENDA**

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**6:00 P.M.**

- 1. Presenting of awards and citations at Council meetings (Councilwoman Spiegel)**  
*(Approximately 30 minutes)*
- 2. Haiti Relief Efforts Update (City Manager)**  
*(Approximately 30 minutes)*

**7:00 P.M.**

- 1. Open Discussion- Open Discussion will last until 7:20 P.M., at which time the Council will adjourn to the Council Chambers (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor) to begin the Council Meeting.**



# City of North Miami Beach, Florida

Councilwoman Beth E. Spiegel

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TO: Mayor Myron Rosner  
City Manager  
City Attorney  
City Clerk

FROM: Beth E. Spiegel

RE: Council Conference agenda item: presenting of awards and citations

DATE: December 21, 2009

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## MEMO

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I would like to have a discussion at Council Conference on the awarding of various recognitions and honors at the Council meetings. I would like to discuss how they are determined, the criteria used, and I would like to discuss rotating the awarding of these awards and citations amongst the various Council Members.

Since I have come onto the Council there has never been a discussion with regard to the determination of the awards or citations, there has never been a vote on the awards or citations, and there has never been a discussion as to whose turn it is to present the awards or citations. As there are new Council Members what may have happened with the old Council should not be determinative of what happens with this Council. As all Council Members have to run for election, as the presentations of these awards at the beginning of Council meetings are televised and it is an opportunity for all Council Members to be seen by their constituents, and as the awards are on behalf of the City the duty/privilege of presenting should be rotated, I would think. At least, this is the discussion I would like to have.