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RE: Miami Marine Stadium Restoration

Dear Mayor Higgins and Commissioners,

On behalf of the Florida Inland Navigation District (FIND), I am honored to provide this letter of strong support for the City of Miami's Restoration of the Miami Marine Stadium. The Miami Marine Stadium exemplifies the core tenets of FIND's mission—most notably, ensuring public access to Florida's waterways and supporting continued public access for on-water recreation. This iconic facility further underscores the cultural, recreational, and economic value of Biscayne Bay to the community.

The restoration effort also complements the City of Miami's ongoing commitment to maintaining the safety, accessibility, and cleanliness of its jurisdictional waters. This impressive work reflects a strong dedication to public safety, environmental stewardship, and the enhanced utility of Miami's waterways.

FIND wholeheartedly supports the City of Miami's efforts to secure renovation funding for this critical project. Over the years, FIND has proudly partnered with the City in the Miami Marine Stadium area by providing grants for derelict vessel removal, Marine Stadium piling replacement, fuel tank replacement, boat ramp docks and pilings, and boat racks for vessel storage. FIND has also provided a grant for the Marine Stadium mooring field. These investments help ensure that Biscayne Bay remains a safe, vibrant, and sustainable resource for residents, visitors, and future generations.

We commend the City of Miami for its proactive approach and steadfast commitment to preserving the integrity of its waterways. FIND respectfully urges your favorable consideration of this restoration and is proud to endorse this vital initiative.

Should you require any additional information or wish to discuss this matter further, please do not hesitate to contact me at (305) 982-5549 or ts Crowley@aicw.org.

Sincerely,

T. Spencer Crowley
Commissioner, Florida Inland Navigation District