

# CRA Advisory Committee Meeting

May 5, 2014

Minutes

The following members were present:

Mike Mc Dearmaide

Marie Irvin

Roseline Philippe

Kenny Each

Clark Reynold

Clint Bower

The meeting was called to order by the chair at 6:35 PM

The minutes of the April 7, 2014 meeting weren't approved for lack of a quorum, the chair indicated that the items presented would be for discussion only. Some of the members came late, others left early.

Dr. Frank Schnidman gave a status report on the progress and process to update the redevelopment Plan and extend the life of the CRA. He reiterated the fact that the CRA needs to identify long term projects to justify a petition to the County to extending the life of the CRA. He also made it clear that it is up to the CRA Board to formulate a vision that staff can mold into projects acceptable to County.

The Advisory Committee had a short discussion regarding the apparent lack of progress in the process to extend the life of the CRA. The CRA Coordinator, Mr. Lesly Prudent Stated that even though major projects are not yet identified, trough collaboration with the Community Planning and Development a concept plan together with the costs should be available within a few months.

Trough the discussion that followed, the point was made that the North Miami CRA must get consensus within its Board in order to present a united front when the request to extend the life of the CRA is presented to the County.

The meeting adjourned at 7:30 PM