

Building and Planning Department

DATE: March 31, 2025

TO: Yocelyn Galiano Gomez, ICMA-CM

Village Manager

FROM: Stephen R. Olmsted, AICP, LEED-GA

Planning Director

RE: Petition to Vacate Public Right-of-Way

Western 25 Feet of SW 57 Avenue Adjacent to 5720 SW 128 Street

REQUEST

Mr. Armando Diaz, and Ms. Sylvia Diaz, owners of the property located at 5720 SW 128 Street are requesting approval of a petition to vacate the western 25 feet of the 100-foot-wide right-of-way of Southwest 57 Avenue immediately east of their property, lying south of SW 128 Street, within the Rockdale Estates Subdivision.

This request is similar to previous requests approved by the Village Council in 2006 for vacation of the western 50 feet of the right-of-way on the east side of properties located at 5704 and 5705 SW 131 Terrace; and in 2013 for vacation of the western 50 feet of right-of-way abutting the eastern boundary of property located at 5701 SW 132 Terrace.

LOCATION MAP

SUBJECT PROPERTY



EXISTING CONDITIONS

The petitioner's property at 5720 SW 128 Street is zoned EU-S, Residential Suburban Estate. The portion of the right-of-way proposed to be vacated is 25 feet wide and 4,665 square feet or 0.11 acres in area. A copy of a survey showing the right-of-way to be vacated is attached for the Village Council's consideration.

ANALYSIS

Section 26-81 of the Pinecrest Code of Ordinances includes requirements for the vacation of a public right-of-way. For the Village Council to approve the vacation of the right-of-way as proposed by Mr. and Mrs. Diaz, the Village Council should first confirm that no current or future public purpose is served by the right-of-way.

The subject right-of-way appears to have been dedicated with the platting of Rockdale Estates Subdivision in 1940. Pursuant to information obtained by the Building and Planning Department, Southwest 57 Avenue was formerly designated as a Major Arterial Street on the County Trafficways Plan. Pursuant to this designation, Miami-Dade County formerly required 100 feet of right-of-way. The classification of SW 57 Avenue as a Major Arterial has since been amended, and the 100-foot right-of-way requirement has been reduced to that of a local street or 50 feet.

Florida Power and Light (FPL) and Miami-Dade County Water and Sewer Department have reviewed the request and determined that there are no utilities within the area to be vacated. They have no objections.

RECOMMENDATION

Subject to the findings of the Public Hearing, if it is determined and confirmed that no current or future public purpose can be identified for the subject right-of-way, the Building and Planning Department recommends that the Ordinance vacating the right-of-way be approved at first reading, subject to the following condition:

1. The vacated right-of-way shall be landscaped and maintained by the property owner.

If approved at first reading on Tuesday, April 8, 2025, staff will schedule the ordinance for final consideration at second reading in May 2025

ORDINANCE NO. 2025-____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE VILLAGE OF PINECREST, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE CONVEYANCE OF APPROXIMATELY 4,665 SQUARE FEET OF DEDICATED RIGHT-OF-WAY ALONG SW 57TH AVENUE, AS FURTHER LEGALLY DESCRIBED IN EXHIBIT "A," TO ARMANDO & SILVIA DIAZ; PROVIDING FOR AUTHORIZATION; PROVIDING FOR CONDITIONS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Village of Pinecrest (the "Village") is the owner of approximately 4,665 square feet of dedicated right-of-way with a width of 25 feet along SW 57th Avenue, as further legally described in Exhibit "A" (the "Right-of-Way"); and

WHEREAS, Armando & Silvia Diaz (collectively, the "Property Owners") own the property adjacent to the Right-of-Way located at 5720 SW 128th Street and have submitted a request to the Village for the conveyance of the Right-of-Way; and

WHEREAS, Section 4.3(a)(7) of the Village Charter provides that the conveyance or lease of any lands of the Village shall be done by Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Village Council desires to approve the conveyance of the Right-of-Way to the Property Owners and authorize the Village Manager to execute the deed conveying the Right-of-Way to the Property Owners in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit "B" (the "Deed"); and

WHEREAS, the Village Council finds it to be in the best interest of the public, health, safety, and welfare of the citizens to adopt this Ordinance vacating the identified right-of-way.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE
OF PINECREST, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS: 1

- Section 1. Recitals. That the above-stated recitals are hereby adopted and confirmed.
- <u>Section 2.</u> <u>Conveyance Approved.</u> The Village Council hereby approves the conveyance of the Right-of-Way to the Property Owners.
- <u>Section 3.</u> <u>Authorization.</u> The Village Manager is hereby authorized to execute the Deed in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit "B," subject to approval as to form, content, and legal sufficiency by the Village Attorney.
- Section 4. Conditions. The approval granted by this Ordinance is subject to compliance with the following conditions, which the Property Owners stipulated and agreed to at the public hearing:
 - a. The Property Owners shall ensure that the Right-of-Way is landscaped and maintained at all times.
- Section 5. Severability. The provisions of this Ordinance are declared to be severable and if any section, sentence, clause or phrase of this Ordinance shall for any reason be held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining sections, sentences, clauses, and phrases of this Ordinance but they shall remain in effect, it being the legislative intent that this Ordinance shall stand notwithstanding the invalidity of any part.
- Section 6. Conflict. All ordinances or parts of ordinances, and all Resolutions, or parts of Resolutions, in conflict with this Ordinance are repealed to the extent of such conflict.

| | Section 7. | Effective Date. | This Ordinance s | shall be effe | ective imme | diately upon | |
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| adopt | ion on second | reading. | | | | | |
| | PASSED on first reading this 8 th day of April 2025. PASSED AND ADOPTED on second reading this day of, 2025. | | | | | | |
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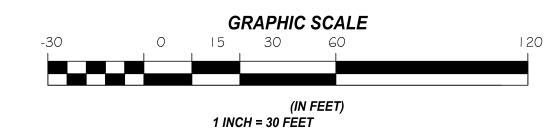
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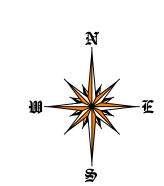
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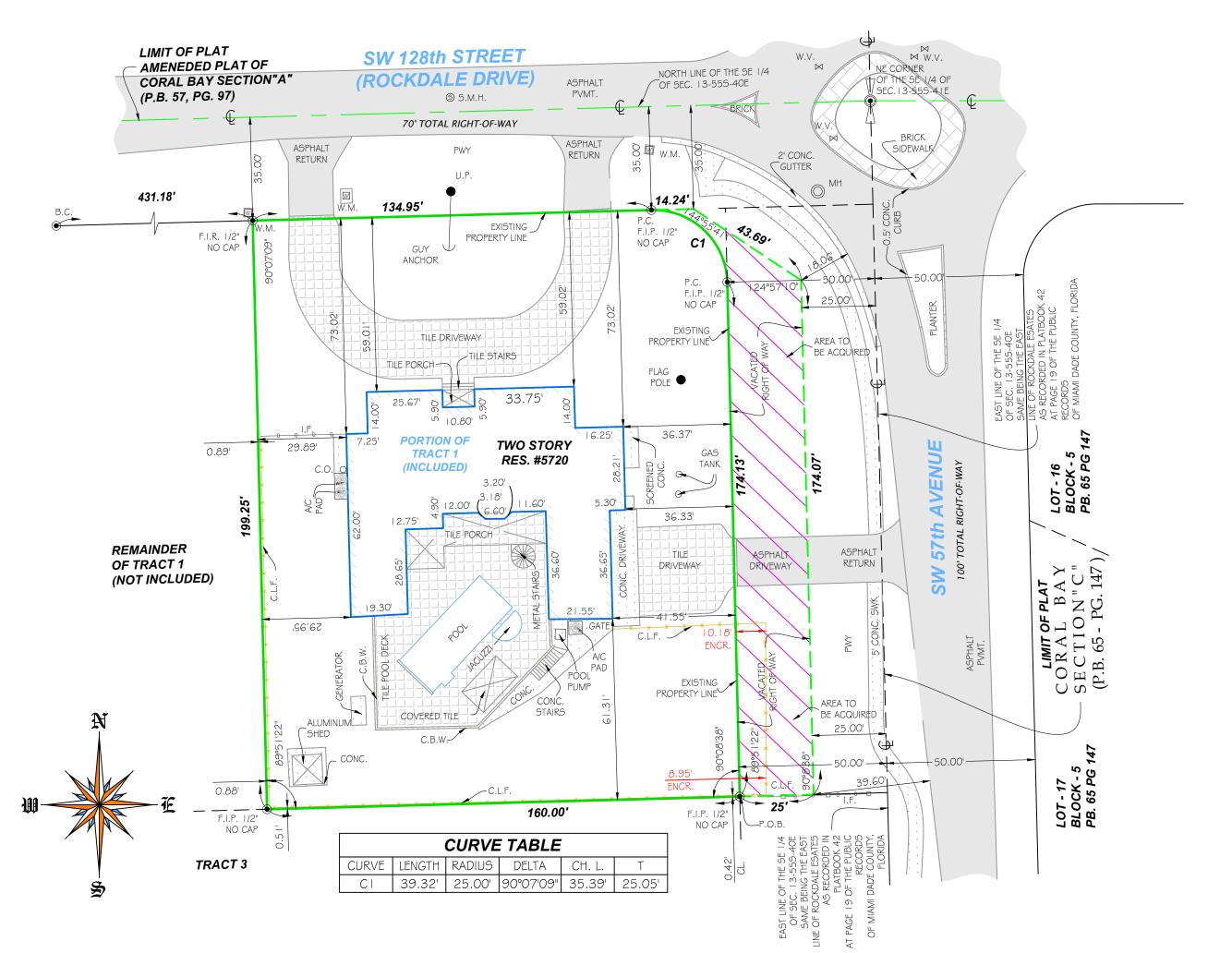
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M.F. = WOOD PORCH
W.P. = DELTA

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 5720 SW 128TH STREET,

MIAMI, FLORIDA. 33156

CERTIFICATION: BECKER & POLIAKOFF

LEGAL NOTES TO ACCOMPANY SKETCH OF SURVEY:

• THERE MAY BE EASEMENTS RECORDED IN THE PUBLIC RECORDS NOT SHOWN ON THIS SURVEY. • THE PURPOSE OF THIS SURVEY IS FOR USE IN OBTAINING TITLE INSURANCE AND FINANCING AND

SHOULD NOT BE USED FOR CONSTRUCTION PURPOSES. • EXAMINATIONS OF THE ABSTRACT OF TITLE WILL HAVE TO BE MADE TO DETERMINE RECORDED INSTRUMENTS, IF ANY, AFFECTING THE PROPERTY.

 $\bullet \ \textit{THIS SURVEY IS SUBJECT TO DEDICATIONS, LIMITATIONS, RESTRICTIONS, RESERVATIONS \ OR \\$ EASEMENTS OF RECORD.

• LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS PROVIDED BY CLIENT OR ATTESTING TITLE COMPANY.

 BOUNDARY SURVEY MEANS A DRAWING AND/ OR A GRAPHIC REPRESENTATION OF THE SURVEY WORK PERFORMED IN THE FIELD, COULD BE DRAWN AT A SHOWN SCALE AND/OR NOT TO SCALE; THE WALLS OR FENCES MAY BE EXAGGERATED FOR CLARITY PURPOSES.

• EASEMENTS AS SHOWN ARE PER PLAT BOOK, UNLESS DEPICTED OTHERWISE

• THE TERM "ENCROACHMENT" MEANS VISIBLE AND ABOVE GROUND ENCROACHMENTS.
• ARCHITECTS SHALL VERIFY ZONING REGULATIONS, RESTRICTIONS, SETBACKS AND WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SUBMITTING PLOT PLANS WITH CORRECT INFORMATION FOR "APPROVAL FOR AUTHORIZATION" TO THE PROPER AUTHORITIES IN NEW CONSTRUCTION.

• UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, THIS FIRM HAS NOT ATTEMPTED TO LOCATE FOOTING AND/OR FOUNDATIONS.

• FENCE OWNERSHIP NOT DETERMINED.

• THIS PLAN OF SURVEY, HAS BEEN PREPARED FOR THE EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE ENTITIES NAMED HEREON. THE CERTIFICATE DOES NOT EXTEND TO ANY UNNAMED PARTY

FLOOD ZONE INFORMATION:

THE NFIP FLOOD MAPS HAVE DESIGNATED THE HEREIN DESCRIBED LAND TO BE SITUATED IN:

BASE FLOOD ELEVATION: COMMUNITY: 120425 PANEL: 0468 SUFFIX: DATE OF FIRM: 09/11/2009

THE SUBJECT PROPERTY DOES NOT LIE IN A SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREA.

1. IF SHOWN, BEARINGS ARE REFERRED TO AN ASSUMED MERIDIAN, BY SAID PLAT IN THE DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY, IF NOT, BEARINGS ARE THEN REFERRED TO COUNTY, TOWNSHIP MAPS.

2. THE CLOSURE IN THE BOUNDARY SURVEY IS ABOVE 1:7500 FT.

SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATION:

OF THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREON, HAS RECENTLY BEEN SURVEYED AND DRAWN UNDER MY SUPERVISION, AND COMPLIES WITH THE STANDARDS OF PRACTICE AS SET FORTH BY THE FLORIDA BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS IN CHAPTER 5J-17, FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE PURSUANT TO 472 027 FLORIDA STATUTES

08/24/2023

JOHN IBARRA

PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR NO.: 5204 STATE OF FLORIDA (NOT VALID WITHOUT THE SIGNATURE AND THE ORIGINAL SEAL OF A FLORIDA LICENSED SURVEYOR AND

REVISED ON: 7/27/2024 - ADDED PROPOSED PROPERTY LINE + LEGAL DESCRIPTION

REVISED ON:

LEGEND

- = OVERHEAD UTILITY LINES = CONCRETE BLOCK WALL
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DRAWN BY: CARLOS D. FIELD DATE: 08/24/2023 SURVEY NO: 23-001254-3 SHEET: 1 OF 1

THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY AND AFTER RECORDING RETURN TO:

Judelande Jeune, Esq. Weiss Serota Helfman Cole & Bierman, P.L. 2800 Ponce de Leon Blvd., Suite 1200 Coral Gables, Florida 33134

Folio Number(s): 20-5013-008-0013 (A portion thereof)

EXHIBIT "B"

QUIT CLAIM DEED

THIS INDENTURE is made this 8th day of April 2025, between **The Village of Pinecrest, a Florida municipal corporation**, having its principal place of business in the County of Miami-Dade, State of Florida, whose mailing address is 12645 Pinecrest Parkway, Pinecrest, Florida 33156, hereinafter referred to as the Grantor, and the **Armando A. Diaz and Silvia Diaz, his wife**, whose mailing address is 5720 S.W. 128th Street, Miami, Florida 33156, of the County of Miami-Dade, in the State of Florida, hereinafter referred to as the Grantee.

WITNESSETH that the Grantor, for and in consideration of the sum of TEN DOLLARS (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration to it in hand paid by the Grantee, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, has granted, bargained and sold to the Grantee, its heirs, successors and/or assigns in interest, all right, title, interest, claim or demand of the Grantor, in and to the following described land, situated, lying and being in the County of Miami-Dade and State of Florida, to-wit:

See Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof (the "Property").

It is the intention of the Grantor hereto by this instrument to convey to the Grantee, and its heirs, successors and/or assigns in interest, the Property herein described for and for purposes incidental thereto.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the Property in fee simple forever.

[SIGNATURE PAGE TO FOLLOW]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Grantor has caused this Right-of-Way Deed to be executed as of the day and year first written above.

| WITNESSESS: | GRANTOR: |
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| SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED IN THE PRESENCE OF: | THE VILLAGE OF PINECREST, a Florida municipal corporation |
| Print Name Address: | By: Name: Title: |
| Print Name Address: | |
| STATE OF FLORIDA))ss. COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE) | |
| online notarization, this day of April THE VILLAGE OF PINECREST, a Florid | lowledged before me, by means of [] physical presence or [] 2025, by, as of the municipal corporation, who is [] personally known to me or as identification |
| [SEAL] | |
| | Notary Public, State of Florida Print Name of Notary Commission No. Commission Expires: |

EXHIBIT "A"

Legal Description and Sketch
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Right of Way
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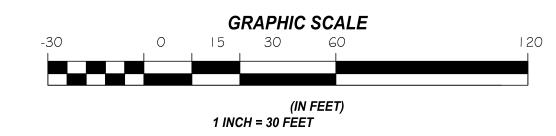
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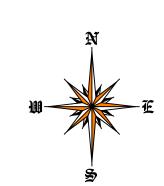
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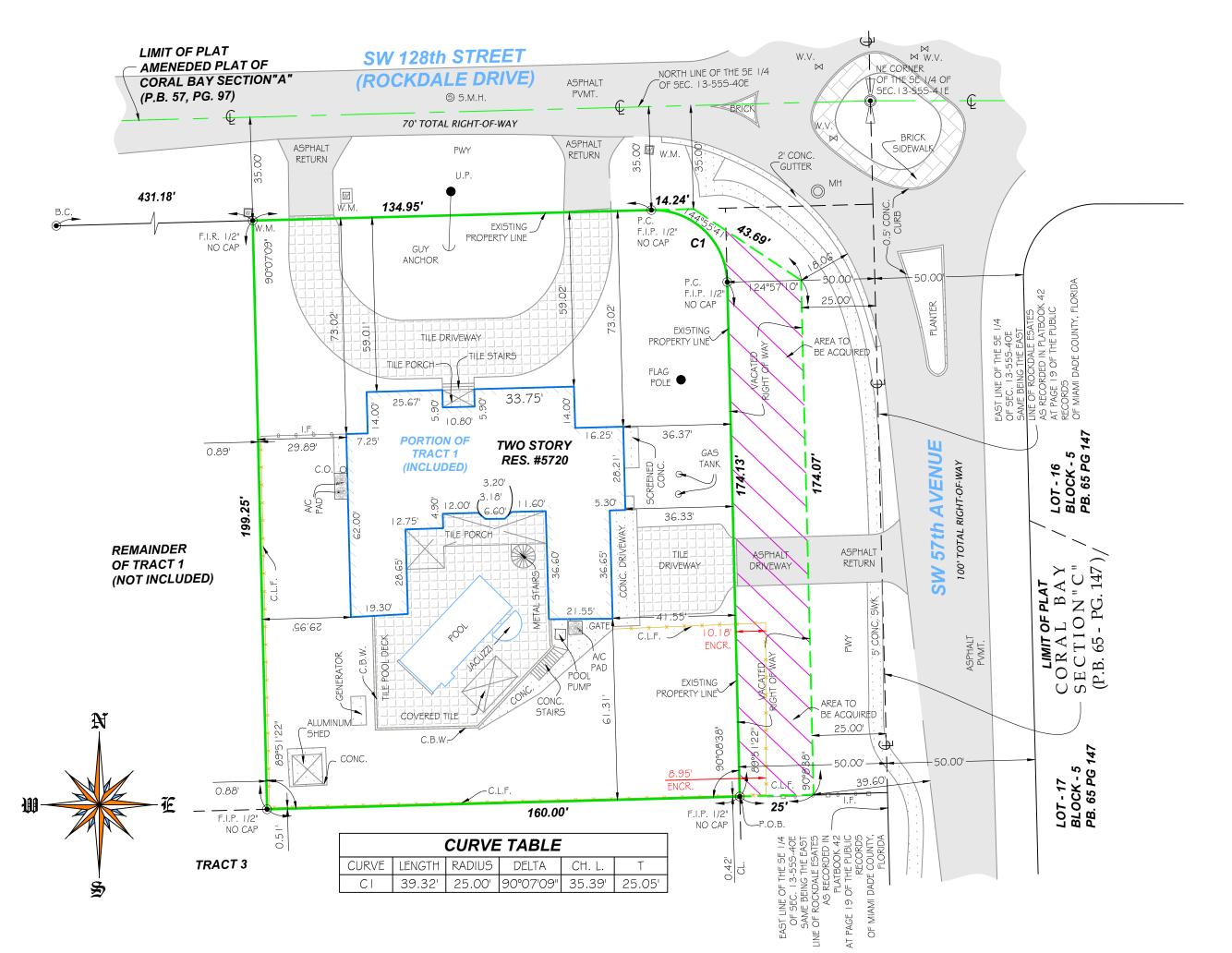
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TB = TELEPHONE BOOTH
T.B.M. = TEMPORARY BENCHMARK
T.U.E. = TECHNOLOGY UTILITY EASEMENT
TSB = TRAFFIC SIGNAL BOX
T.S.P. = TRAFFIC SIGNAL POLE
TWP = TOWNSHIP
UTIL. = UTILITY POLE
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W.R. = WOOD PORCH
W.V. = WATER METER
M.F. = WOOD PORCH
W.P. = DELTA

PROPERTY ADDRESS: 5720 SW 128TH STREET,

MIAMI, FLORIDA. 33156

CERTIFICATION: BECKER & POLIAKOFF

LEGAL NOTES TO ACCOMPANY SKETCH OF SURVEY:

• THERE MAY BE EASEMENTS RECORDED IN THE PUBLIC RECORDS NOT SHOWN ON THIS SURVEY. • THE PURPOSE OF THIS SURVEY IS FOR USE IN OBTAINING TITLE INSURANCE AND FINANCING AND

SHOULD NOT BE USED FOR CONSTRUCTION PURPOSES. • EXAMINATIONS OF THE ABSTRACT OF TITLE WILL HAVE TO BE MADE TO DETERMINE RECORDED INSTRUMENTS, IF ANY, AFFECTING THE PROPERTY.

 $\bullet \ \textit{THIS SURVEY IS SUBJECT TO DEDICATIONS, LIMITATIONS, RESTRICTIONS, RESERVATIONS \ OR \\$ EASEMENTS OF RECORD.

• LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS PROVIDED BY CLIENT OR ATTESTING TITLE COMPANY.

 BOUNDARY SURVEY MEANS A DRAWING AND/ OR A GRAPHIC REPRESENTATION OF THE SURVEY WORK PERFORMED IN THE FIELD, COULD BE DRAWN AT A SHOWN SCALE AND/OR NOT TO SCALE; THE WALLS OR FENCES MAY BE EXAGGERATED FOR CLARITY PURPOSES.

• EASEMENTS AS SHOWN ARE PER PLAT BOOK, UNLESS DEPICTED OTHERWISE

• THE TERM "ENCROACHMENT" MEANS VISIBLE AND ABOVE GROUND ENCROACHMENTS.
• ARCHITECTS SHALL VERIFY ZONING REGULATIONS, RESTRICTIONS, SETBACKS AND WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SUBMITTING PLOT PLANS WITH CORRECT INFORMATION FOR "APPROVAL FOR AUTHORIZATION" TO THE PROPER AUTHORITIES IN NEW CONSTRUCTION.

• UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, THIS FIRM HAS NOT ATTEMPTED TO LOCATE FOOTING AND/OR FOUNDATIONS.

• FENCE OWNERSHIP NOT DETERMINED.

• THIS PLAN OF SURVEY, HAS BEEN PREPARED FOR THE EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE ENTITIES NAMED HEREON. THE CERTIFICATE DOES NOT EXTEND TO ANY UNNAMED PARTY

FLOOD ZONE INFORMATION:

THE NFIP FLOOD MAPS HAVE DESIGNATED THE HEREIN DESCRIBED LAND TO BE SITUATED IN:

BASE FLOOD ELEVATION: COMMUNITY: 120425 PANEL: 0468 SUFFIX: DATE OF FIRM: 09/11/2009

THE SUBJECT PROPERTY DOES NOT LIE IN A SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREA.

1. IF SHOWN, BEARINGS ARE REFERRED TO AN ASSUMED MERIDIAN, BY SAID PLAT IN THE DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY, IF NOT, BEARINGS ARE THEN REFERRED TO COUNTY, TOWNSHIP MAPS.

2. THE CLOSURE IN THE BOUNDARY SURVEY IS ABOVE 1:7500 FT.

SURVEYOR'S CERTIFICATION:

OF THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREON, HAS RECENTLY BEEN SURVEYED AND DRAWN UNDER MY SUPERVISION, AND COMPLIES WITH THE STANDARDS OF PRACTICE AS SET FORTH BY THE FLORIDA BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS IN CHAPTER 5J-17, FLORIDA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE PURSUANT TO 472 027 FLORIDA STATUTES

08/24/2023

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PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR NO.: 5204 STATE OF FLORIDA (NOT VALID WITHOUT THE SIGNATURE AND THE ORIGINAL SEAL OF A FLORIDA LICENSED SURVEYOR AND

REVISED ON: 7/27/2024 - ADDED PROPOSED PROPERTY LINE + LEGAL DESCRIPTION

REVISED ON:

LEGEND

- = OVERHEAD UTILITY LINES = CONCRETE BLOCK WALL
- X X X = CHAIN LINK FENCE 0 0 0 0 = IRON FENCE#### = WOOD FENCE
 - = BUILDING SETBACK LINE —— = UTILITY EASEMENT
 - ###### = LIMITED ACCESS R/W ____ = NON-VEHICULAR ACCESS R/W × 0.00 = EXISTING ELEVATIONS

DRAWN BY: CARLOS D. FIELD DATE: 08/24/2023 SURVEY NO: 23-001254-3 SHEET: 1 OF 1

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May 17, 2024

Via E-mail: solmsted@pinecrest-fl.gov

Mr. Stephen Olmsted Planning Director Village of Pinecrest 12645 Pinecrest Parkway Pinecrest, FL 33156

Re: Petition to vacate the right of way with a legal description of: SW 57TH AVE, S RED RD" in Plat Book 42, Page 19 of the Public records of Miami Dade County (the "ROW", (collectively, the "Matter").

To: Mayor and Village Council Pinecrest, Florida

Mr. Armando Diaz, owner of the property located at 5720 SW 128 Street, Pinecrest, Florida 33156, by and through the undersigned law firm and retained counsel, pursuant to Sections 336.09 – 336.12, Florida Statutes, hereby petition the mayor and Village Council to vacate, abandon, discontinue, and close an existing public or private street, alleyway, road, highway, or other placed used for travel, or portion thereof, and to renounce and disclaim any right of the Village and the public in and to any land in connection therewith; or to renounce and disclaim any right of the Village and the public in and to certain land, or interest therein, acquired by purchase, gift, devise, dedication or prescription for street, alleyway, road or highway purposes; or to renounce and disclaim any right of the Village and the public in and to certain land delineated on a recorded map or plat as a street, alleyway, road, or highway.

The undersigned hereby certify:

I. LEGAL DESCRIPTION: The complete and accurate legal description of the road, right-of-way or aldn sought to be closed is as follows:

SW 57th Ave, S Red RD in Plat Book 42, Page 19 of the Public records of Miami Dade County: E 50' of TR 1 (42-19).

II. **PUBLIC INTEREST IN ROAD:** The title or interest of the Village and the public in and to the above described road, right-of-way or land was acquired and is evidenced in the following manner:

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Title or interest of the Village and the public and to the above described right of way was acquired by of dedication, March 14, 1940 and can be found in Recording Book 42, Page 19, of the Deed Books of the Miami-Dade County Clerk of Courts:

- III. **ATTACH SURVEY SKETCH:** Attached hereto is a survey or location sketch accurately showing and describing the above described road, right of way or land and its location and relation to surrounding property, and showing all encroachments and utility easements.
- IV. **ABUTTING PROPERTY OWNERS:** The following Constitutes a complete and accurate schedule of all property owners abutting the right of way:

| Property Address | Property Owner(s) | Signature of Property |
|------------------|---|-----------------------|
| | | Owaer(s) |
| 5740 SW 128 ST | MELINDA AGOSTINI WILD TRS BAVARIAN INTERNATIONAL TRUST WOLFGANG WILD TRS | Coff V. M. |
| 12850 SW 57 AVE | JOHN CRESPO GRACIELA CRESPO | J. Grantely |

- V. ACCESS TO OTHER PROPERTY: The undersigned certify that in the event this petition is granted no other property owners will be prevented from access to and from their property and no other property owners in the vicinity will be adversely affected.
- VI. NO FEDERAL OR STATE HIGHWAY AFFECTED: The undersigned certify that the above described road, right-of-way or land is not a part of any state or federal highway and was not acquired or dedicated for state or federal highway purposes; and that such road, right-of-way or land is under the control and jurisdiction of the Village Council.
- VII. GROUNDS FOR GRANTING PETITION: The undersigned submits as grounds and reasons in support of this petition the following:

This petition seeking a vacation of the right-of-way currently owned by the Village is grounded in three fundamental reasons. First, the right of way does not currently

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bring any value, whether practical or pecuniary to the Village. Because the right of way has already been partially vacated by the Village to at least one abutting owner, the continuity which is required for the right-of-way to serve as a lane for pedestrian access is not present. Further, neither the Village, nor any public body, including any public utility, has any use for the portion sought to be vacated by the Village.

Second, the character, step and rhythm of the frontage of the property abutting the right-of-way sought to be vacated is currently not aligned with that of the residential property abutting it on the south side. Vacating the right-of-way would harmonize the character, step, and rhythm of the frontage of the property abutting the right-of-way with that of its southernly neighbor bringing greater aesthetic appeal and an overall value to the abutting properties.

Third, vacating the right-of-way would allow for it to be incorporated as tax revenue producing property, where at present it merely incurs a cost to the Village as a result of the maintenance cost the Village takes on.

The undersigned requests the petition be granted to avoid future public nuisance for persons not to park or loiter in the street area that has not been installed. This right-of-way would not serve any future access to any other right-of-way and would not have a positive effect on the neighborhood.

Name

Address

Armando A. Diaz

5720 SW 128 ST, Pinecrest, Florida 33156

Silvia Diaz

5720 SW 128 ST, Pinecrest, Florida 33156

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

David J. Moscoso

Attorney for Petitioner

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Pinecrest, FL 33156 May 17, 2024 Page 4 For the Firm DJM/cl STATE OF FLORIDA)) ss.: COUNTY OF DADE) BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared DAVID J. Mossos , who first by me duly sworn, deposes and says that he/she is one of the petitioners named in and who signed the foregoing petition, that he/she is duly authorized to make this verification for and on behalf of all petitioners; that he/she has read the foregoing petition and that the statements therein contained are true. Signature of Petitioner Sworn and subscribed to before me this NORA E PORTUONDO Notary Public - State of Florida Commission # HH 97903 My Comm. Expires Feb 25, 2025 Bonded through National Notary Assn.

My Commission Expires: 2/25/2025

RIGHT OF WAY (ROW) PROPOSAL

5720 SW 128th Street, Pinecrest, FL 33156 Folio # 20-5013-008-0031

Below are the points of Mr. Armando Diaz to the Village of Pinecrest hereinafter referred as to "VOP" for the land located to the east of Mr. Diaz's property located at 5720 SW 128th Street, Pinecrest, FL 33156 hereinafter referred as to "Property".

- 1. The land in question was given to Miami Dade County by the property owner because at the time Miami Dade did not know where the street was going to be built. (See attached hereto "Exhibit A")
- 2. The County agreed to return the land to the property owner if not used as intended. (See attached hereto "Exhibit B")
- 3. The street was built, and the sidewalk was built but the remaining property was never returned as agreed. (See attached hereto "Exhibit C-1" and "Exhibit C-2")
- 4. The division between Coral Gables and Pinecrest on the side in question (East side of the property 57th Ave). Is right in the middle of the existing sidewalk. (See attached hereto "Exhibit D")
- 5. The Village of Pinecrest granted my neighbor the full extended land up to the VOP city limit. (See attached hereto "Exhibit D")
- 6. We agree to give up 15 feet from the east boundary line of the VOP ROW. (See attached hereto "Proposed Site Plan Master")
- 8. The new setback must be adjusted accordingly to the new property.
- 9. I agree to pay additional tax dollars for the land. This will generate income to the Village.
- 10. I plan to build a perimeter fence on the new property line according to all Village of Pinecrest building codes and regulations. (See attached hereto "Proposed Site Plan Fence")
- 11. I plan to plant at least 7 palm trees and other trees along the new proposed land on the east side and 2 palm trees on the North side, all approved by an arborist. This will beautify the Village of Pinecrest side the neighborhood. (See attached hereto "Proposed Site Plan New Trees")
- 12. I would agree to remove the dangerous coconut trees that would remain on the Pinecrest easement side. I would agree to plant more plants and trees on the Pinecrest easement side at my expense. (See attached hereto "Proposed Site Plan Tree Removal")



April 29, 2024

Armando & Silvia Diaz 5720 SW 128TH ST Pinecrest, FL, 33156

Dear Armnado & Silvia Diaz,

This letter is in response to your request for the release of a platted road right-of-way.

In meeting with your request, FPL has no objection to releasing our rights in the road right-of-way known as "SW 57TH AVE, S RED RD" in Plat Book 42, Page 19 of the Public records of Miami Dade County.

The release is restricted to the following description: E 50' OF TR 1 (42-19)

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Maria Castillo Chavez at 305-387-6688.

Sincerely,

Engineering Lead