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Florida Department of Economic Opportunity
Attn: James D. Stansbury, Chief
Bureau of Community Planning and Growth
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107 East Madison Street, MSC 160
Tallahassee, FL 32399-6545

*Subject: City of Miramar Adopted Comprehensive Plan Text
Amendment (Amendment 19-01ESR)*

Dear Mr. Eubanks,

Pursuant to Section 163.3184(3), Florida Statutes ("F.S."), the City of Miramar is pleased to submit to your Department the newly adopted City of Miramar Comprehensive Plan Text Amendment (Amendment 19-01ESR). The adopted amendment package consists of one paper copy and two electronic copies in Portable Document Format ("PDF") on a CD ROM of the Amendment in strike-through/underline format, a copy of the adoption hearing staff report with pertinent findings and analysis justifying the adoption, along with an executed copy of the ordinance (Ordinance No. 20-06) adopting the Amendment. Electronic copies of the Amendment have also been provided in PDF format to the appropriate review agencies (as listed below).

The Amendment area is designated Regional Activity Center ("RAC") on the City Future Land Use Map. The Amendment involves certain text changes to Policy 1.13 of the Future Land Use Element of the City Comprehensive Plan in order to modify the approved land use program within that land use category. Pursuant to Section 163.3184(3), F.S., the Amendment was previously transmitted to your Department and other review agencies for their review.

In a letter dated September 25, 2019, your Department offered no comment on the Amendment. In an email dated September 24, 2019 the South Florida Water Management District offered one technical assistance comment regarding the need to revise by May 2020 the City Water Supply Facilities Work Plan, in light of the recent approval of the Lower East Coast Water Supply Plan Update by the District's Governing Board. The City is in the process of updating its Water Supply Facilities Work Plan and will submit the required Comprehensive Plan Amendment to your Department and other review agencies by the May 2020 deadline. In an email dated September 25, 2019, the Florida Department of Environmental Protection Department reviewed the submitted amendment package and found that the amendment did not have adverse impacts to important state resources. No other comments were received from the other state review agencies.



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Pursuant to state statutes and the City Land Development Code, the Miramar City Commission held a duly advertised public hearing on January 15, 2020 to adopt the Amendment and further authorized its transmittal to your Department for a determination of completeness, by passage of Ordinance No. 20-06 herein enclosed.

Should you have any questions regarding the transmittal package, please feel free to contact Nixon Lebrun, AICP, Senior Planner, City of Miramar Community and Economic Development Department, 2200 Civic Center Place, Miramar, FL, 33025, or by phone at (954) 602-3281 or email: Nlebrun@miramarfl.gov.

Sincerely,

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Lindsay Weaver, Environmental Specialist, Florida Department of Environmental Protection

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Attachments: City of Miramar *Adopted* Comprehensive Plan Amendment
Adoption Hearing Staff Report
Executed City Ordinance Adopting the Comprehensive Plan
Text Amendment (Ordinance 20-06)

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