

RULES & REGULATIONS FOR LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE CONTRACTORS

NOISE

Allowed hours of operation:

- Monday through Thursday: 8:00 AM – 6:00 PM
- Fridays: 8:00 AM – 6:30 PM
- Saturdays: 9 AM – 5 PM
- Sundays and Holidays: No Work Allowed

Noise restrictions per City Code section 34-124

MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC (MOT)

Vehicles should be parked on private property or in the grass swale area of the right of way whenever possible.

Parking a vehicle on a State or County roadway requires the use of proper FDOT Standard Index 600 Maintenance of Traffic (MOT) procedures.

On City residential streets, parked vehicles or trailers on the roadway must meet or exceed the following MOT requirements:

- A travel lane with a minimum width of 9 feet on the asphalt roadway must be maintained around the parked vehicle.
- A minimum of 5 cones must be placed in the rear of the vehicle at approximately 5 foot intervals extending 10 feet straight back from the driver's side of the vehicle and then angling to the edge of the roadway 25 feet from the back of the passenger side of the vehicle.*
- One cone must be placed 5 feet in front of the front driver's side corner of the vehicle.
- Vehicles may not park within 75 feet of an intersection.
- Vehicles may not park on center medians within 100 feet of an intersection.
- Vehicles may not park facing wrong direction of traffic.
- Vehicles may not park blocking sidewalks.
- When there is an adjacent parked vehicle on the same street, vehicles must park in a manner that allows adequate distance for safe navigation of traffic around both parked vehicles.
- A trailer cannot be detached from the vehicle and left on the roadway.

DISPOSAL OF LANDSCAPE DEBRIS

- The City swale trash deposit locations can be used only for landscape debris generated by work on the properties directly adjacent to the trash deposit locations per City code sections 54-153 and 54-154.
- Landscape debris piles must be placed at least 5 feet away from the trunk of trees.

PRUNING, REMOVAL OR RELOCATION OF TREES

- Any tree or palm removal or relocation requires a tree permit for trees that meet or exceed 12 feet in height on the pruning branches or 4 inches in diameter or greater. This includes dead and invasive trees and palms.

LOCAL LANDSCAPE VEHICLE REGISTRATION

The placement of the Local Landscape Vehicle Registration decal must be on the rear of the vehicle on the left side below the rear window or on the rear of the vehicle on the left side of the truck bed (when facing the rear of the vehicle).

FOR MORE INFORMATION

contact the City of Coral Gables Finance Department at 305-446-6800. For a list of registration requirements and other information, visit

www.coralgables.com/landscapers