



**CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE**  
**City Commission Agenda Memo**  
**REGULAR MEETING**

**#23-0545**

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**TO:** Honorable Mayor & Members of the  
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

**FROM:** D'Wayne M. Spence, Interim City Attorney

**DATE:** June 6, 2023

**TITLE:** Second Reading - Ordinance Amending the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida Code of Ordinances and Unified Land Development Regulations to Provide for the Designation of Alternative Locations for Public Meetings of the City Commission and Advisory Boards and Committees and for the Designation of Alternative Locations for Posting of Notices, and Providing for an Effective Date – **(Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)**

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**Recommendation**

Staff recommends the City Commission adopt an ordinance authorizing the City Commission to designate by resolution alternative locations for public meetings of the city commission and advisory boards and committees and for the designation of alternative locations for the posting of notices.

**Background**

On April 12, 2023, the City of Fort Lauderdale experienced record-breaking rainfall of over 25 inches resulting in localized flooding. City Hall sustained substantial damage which has rendered the building inaccessible. Certain provisions of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, Code of Ordinances, Unified Land Development Regulations, ordinances, and resolutions require certain public meetings be conducted at City Hall and that certain notices be posted at City Hall. The proposed ordinance will allow the City Commission to adopt a resolution designating alternative locations for these purposes.

**Resource Impact**

There will be no current fiscal year impact to the City.

**Attachment**

Exhibit 1 - Ordinance

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