

City of Miami

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Dear Customer:

Your business, based upon the issued Business Tax Receipt (“BTR”), has been identified as one which may, in certain circumstances, be operating in unpermitted areas. The possession of a BTR does not give any entity or person the authority to use a property or addresses owned by the City of Miami, Florida (“City”), without the consent and agreement of the City. Persons or entities are not permitted to use any City owned property for commercial use without first obtaining a valid lease agreement, revocable licensing agreement or other written authorization from the City for said location. As a result, please be advised that any person or entity operating against these requirements will have their BTR placed on hold, suspended or revoked as proscribed by Chapter 31 of the Code of the City of Miami. If you are currently operating on City property without permission and have not yet ceased operations you are further instructed to **immediately cease all operations**. If you are uncertain whether your business falls into this category, please contact the City of Miami Customer Service Section at (305) 416-1570.

The City property in question includes, but is not limited to, Watson Island, Curtis Park, Morningside Park, Legion Park, Antonio Maceo Park, Virginia Key Park, and Dinner Key.

The City is authorized to take any legal action necessary to enforce the City Code, so please govern yourself accordingly.

Sincerely,

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