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Great Park Summit 2010 – Program

Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden March 5, 2010

Partnerships and an Economic, Social and Environmental Health Plan

The Parks and Open Space Master Plan envisions that great parks, public spaces, natural and cultural areas, streets, greenways, and trails form the framework for a more livable and sustainable community. Through partnerships, the plan will be integrated into the overall fabric of the community to build a place where residents want to live; employers want to do business and tourists want to visit.

Great Park Summit

8:00 – 8:45 Registration
Continental Breakfast; Exhibitors

9:00 Welcome Remarks

9:00 – 9:30 Opening Remarks:
Honorable Carlos Alvarez, Mayor, Miami-Dade County
Honorable Carlos A. Gimenez, Miami-Dade County Commissioner
George M. Burgess, Miami-Dade County Manager
Jack Kardys, Director, Miami-Dade County Park and Recreation

9:30 Morning Session

9:30 – 10:20 Keynote Speaker:
[Steve Coleman](#)
[Director](#) & President
[Washington Parks & People](#)

10:25 – 11:15 Partnerships
Kevin Caravati, P.G.
Senior Research Scientist
Georgia Tech Research Institute

11:15 – 11:30 Partnership Workshop Presentation / Open Space Master Plan Update
Jack Kardys, Director – Miami-Dade Park and Recreation Department

11:30 – 12:45 Lunch – Exhibitors

12:45 Afternoon Session

1:00 – 2:00 Health and the Built Environment
Peter N. Wood, MPA
Vice President of Programs & Community Investments
Health Foundation of South Florida

2:00 – 2:30 Closing Remarks