To: Miami Marines

The Urban Environment League (UEL) is sponsoring a Public Design Workshop for Virginia Key, which includes the Miami Marine Stadium site.

When: Saturday, September 26, 9:00 AM -1:00 PM

Where: The Rusty Pelican, 3201 Rickenbacker Causeway,

Virginia Key (first left after you cross the bridge)

To RSVP or request more information contact: uelinfo@bellsouth.net

The event is free. Please bring a brown bag lunch.

We urge you to attend. As you know, the City has been developing a Master Plan for Virginia Key, which includes the Miami Marine Stadium. This public workshop will provide citizens with an opportunity to provide planning ideas and concepts. Jorge Hernandez of Friends of Marine Stadium will be one of several speakers. He will discuss planning principles for the Basin, the Stadium, and the land immediately surrounding the Stadium.

The UEL is still looking for architects and planners to assist at this event. If you would like to help, please contact Jennifer at j-garcia18@hotmail.com

As of this writing, we are not sure when the City Administration will bring the redrafted plan for Virginia Key to the City Commission. We'll let you know when we find out.

Feasibility Issues: Management And Potential Users of Miami Marine Stadium

The Marine Stadium has been in the news lately in a variety of magazines, newspapers and electronic media. We work hard to attract publicity as we seek to generate more public awareness.

We also continue to quietly investigate the feasibility of the Stadium. One of the most important tasks is to find potential users.

We have now identified 24 experienced event organizations and promoters who have expressed a strong interest in using the Stadium. Not only does this demonstrate feasibility, but we are now in a position to sit down with groups who might manage the Stadium and show them how they can create a very successful business model. This will be very important to us going forward.

You can help. If you know of a promoter or organization who might be interested in presenting events at the Stadium, please refer them to us. As our survey becomes more comprehensive, our case becomes even more compelling.

Jorge Hernandez Becky Roper Matkov Don Worth

Friends of Marine Stadium www.marinestadium.org