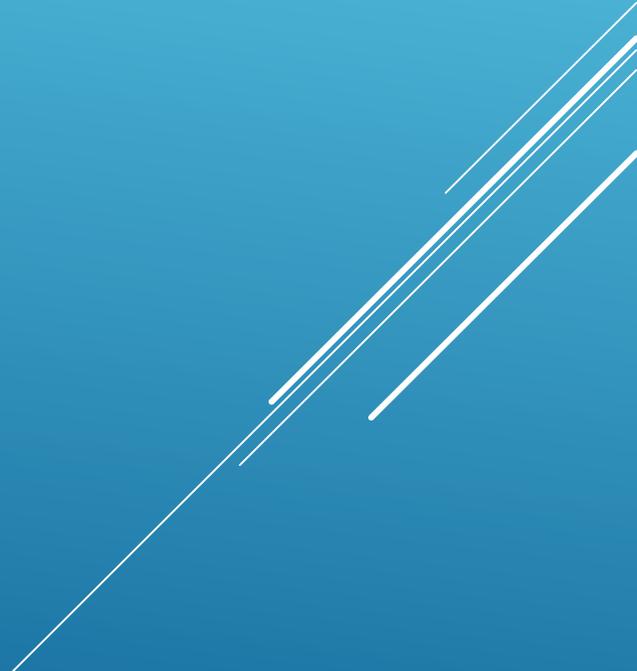


DOWNTOWN VENICE PUBLIC SPACE WORKSHOP

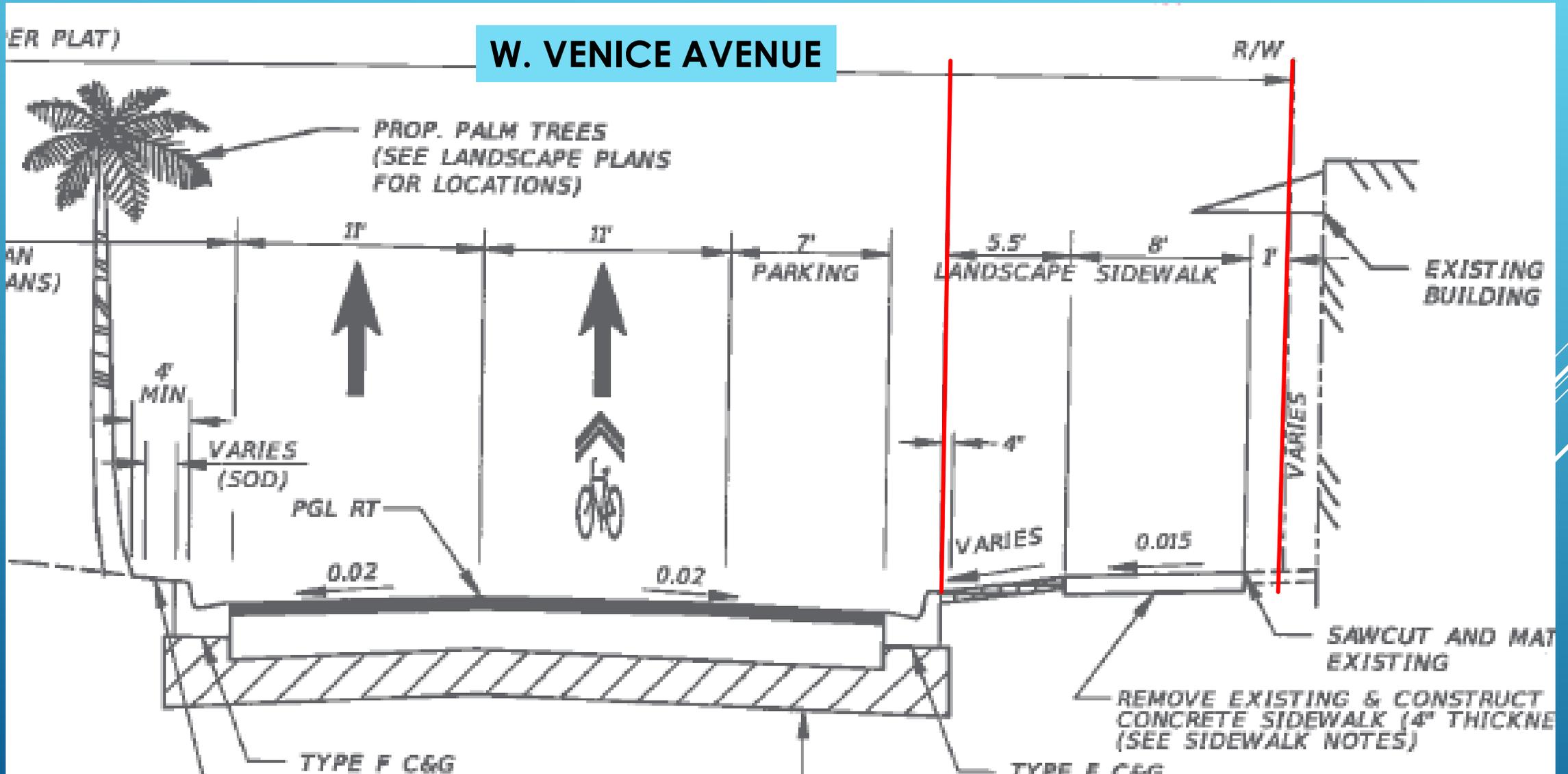


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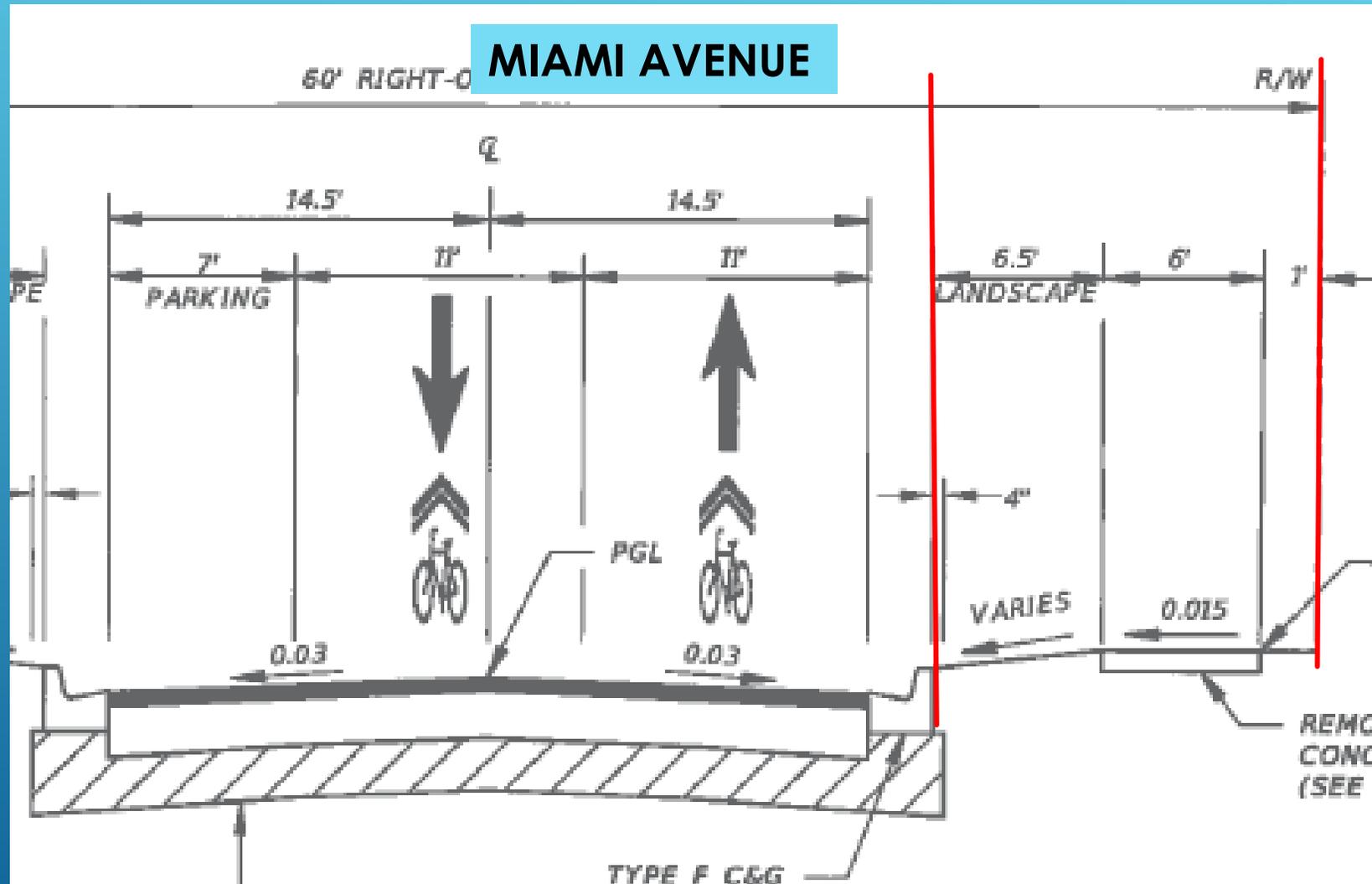
AGENDA

- 1) GOAL: PUBLIC INPUT & DISCUSSION
 - 2) WHAT IS THE DOWNTOWN PUBLIC SPACE?
 - 3) WHY IS IT IMPORTANT?
 - 4) PERMITTING FOR PUBLIC SPACE
 - 5) PERMIT CONDITIONS AND FEES
 - 6) NEXT STEPS
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WHAT IS THE DOWNTOWN PUBLIC SPACE?



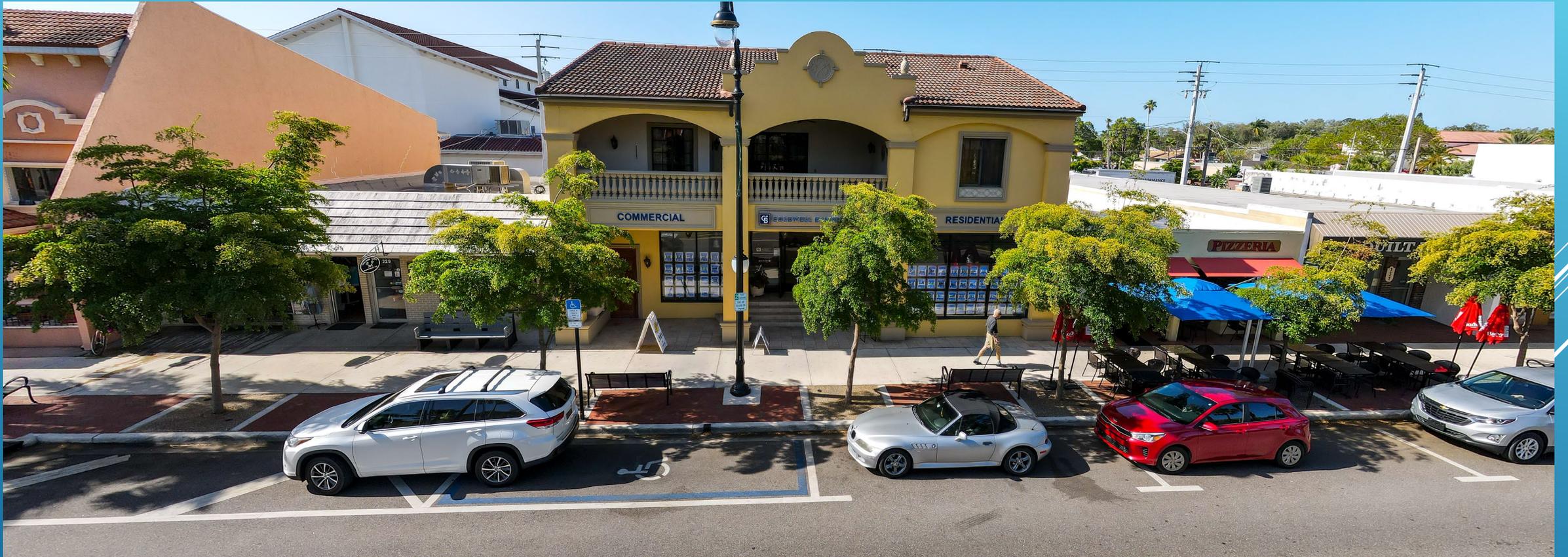
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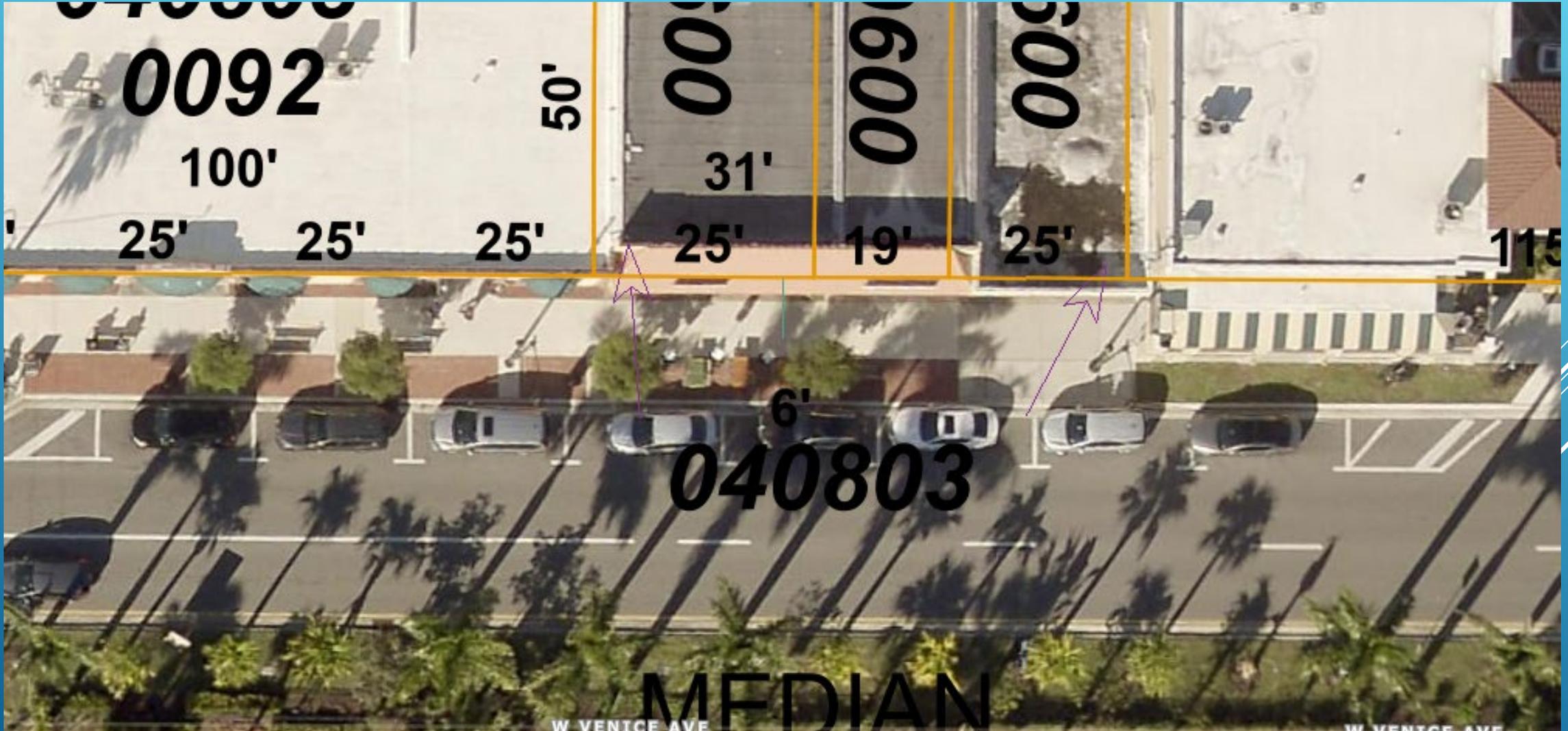
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WHY IS PUBLIC SPACE IMPORTANT?

1) BOTH PUBLIC / PRIVATE VALUE

2) PUBLIC VALUE:

- Benches, trash cans, public art, flower baskets, trees, landscaping, bike racks, light poles, public signs

3) PRIVATE VALUE:

- Outside dining, umbrellas, heaters, merchandise, signage, entertainment

WHY IS PUBLIC SPACE IMPORTANT?

1) BOTH PUBLIC / PRIVATE NEEDS

2) PUBLIC NEED:

- ADA accessibility, trash control, public safety (benches, lighting, signage), beautification

3) PRIVATE NEED:

- Business model, seat counts, customer appeal

PERMITTING PUBLIC SPACE

1) CAFÉ OR DISPLAY PERMIT - APPLICATION



CITY OF VENICE FLORIDA

Application for

Open Air Café/Display Permit Or Other Use Of Public Property

This is an application to obtain the City's permission to use public property in accordance with the City of Venice Code of Ordinances, Chapter 62, Article V. Public Right-of-Way and Property Permits. There is an application fee of \$25.00 which shall accompany the application. **This permit is non-transferable.**

It is the City's desire to maintain a "European Community" style atmosphere in certain areas of the city and also desires to promote an environment that encourages pedestrian traffic and assists the normal activities of a business, while assuring that we do not create a public health or safety hazard or any type of public nuisance. Your application will be considered on the basis of how your plans will enhance this atmosphere.

The actual area that will be approved for your business will be subject to the physical characteristics of the City public right-of-way or other public property directly in front of your business. Existing right(s)-of-way uses or other public property on neighboring properties and City right-of-way may also affect your plans. Street corners have special limitations to maximize visibility for pedestrians and motorists.

In the event of a declared emergency or in a situation where exigent circumstances arise, the permit holder shall remove all articles from the right-of-way when directed to do so by any law enforcement officer, fire official or other city official.

Permit Type (check one): Open Air Café Permit Display Permit Other

Applicant Information:

Property Owners Name: City of Venice

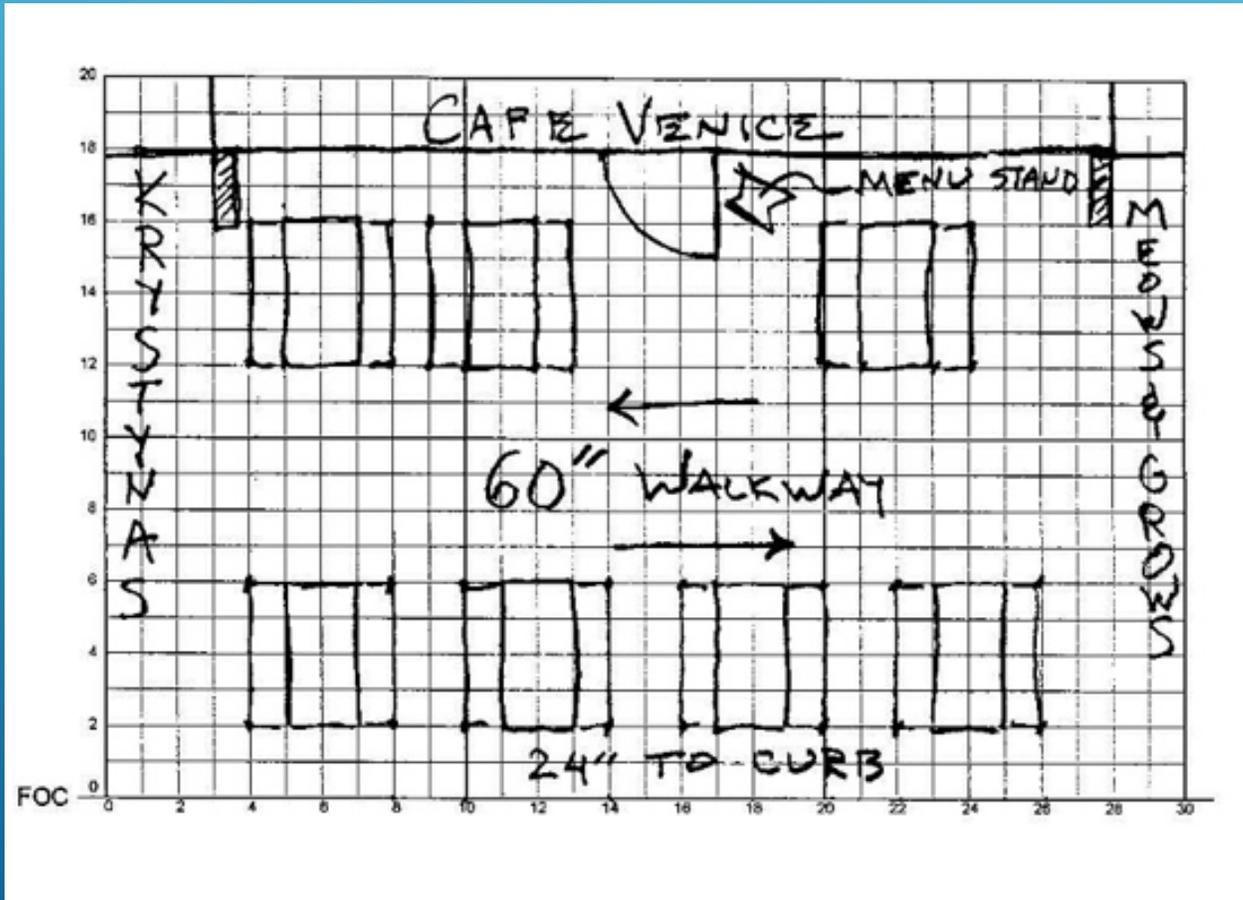
Applicants Name: Lee A. Perron Business Name: Friends of Sarasota County Parks

Address (physical location of business): 200 block of Tampa Avenue

Mailing Address: 224 Nippino Trail E., Unit 101 Nokomis, FL 34275

PERMITTING PUBLIC SPACE

1) CAFÉ OR DISPLAY PERMIT – SITE PLAN



PERMITTING CONDITIONS & FEES

1) EXISTING PERMIT CONDITIONS (CH62, ART. V):

- 72" wide accessible walkway for pedestrians
- 24" clear zone from back of curb
- Site plan posted visibly on site
- Seating expansion permitted onto one adjacent frontage
- Cleanliness – maintenance of area, pressure washing
- Insurance coverage

2) OTHER PERMIT CONDITIONS:

- Permit Term and Public Space Fees

PERMITTING CONDITIONS & FEES

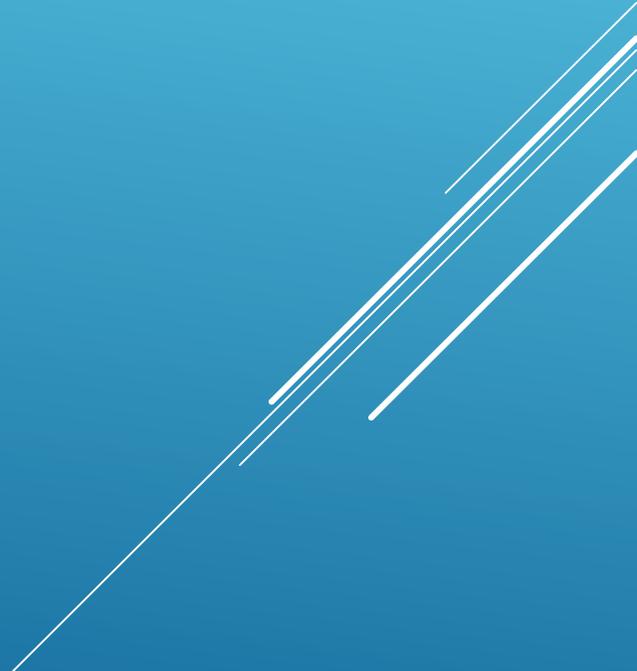
1) PERMIT TERM: 1-5 YEARS, SITE PLAN UPDATES

2) PUBLIC SPACE FEES:

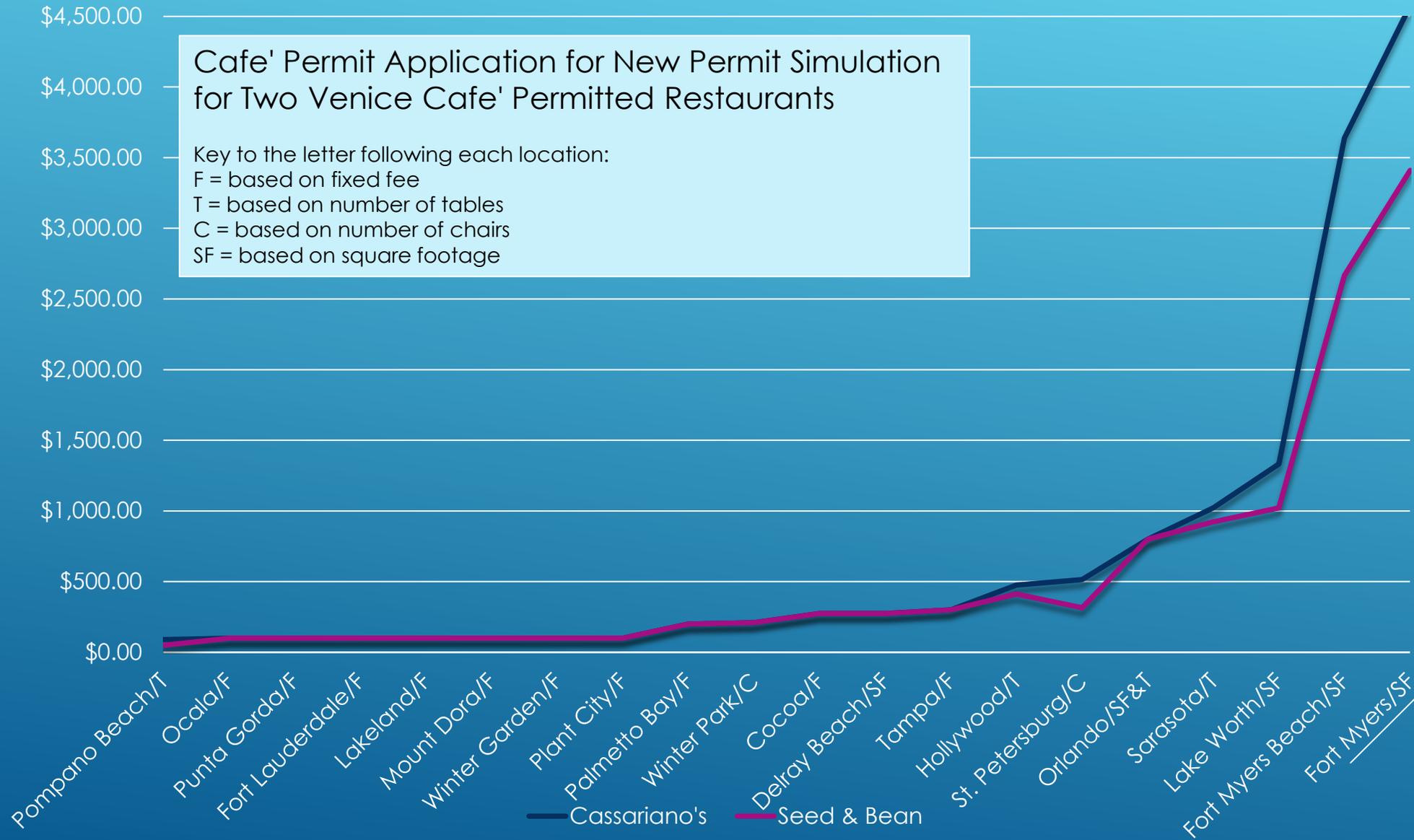
- Application Fee = Set by City Manager to cover administrative costs (Formerly \$25)
- Public Space Fees = Set by Resolution for use of public space

PERMITTING CONDITIONS & FEES

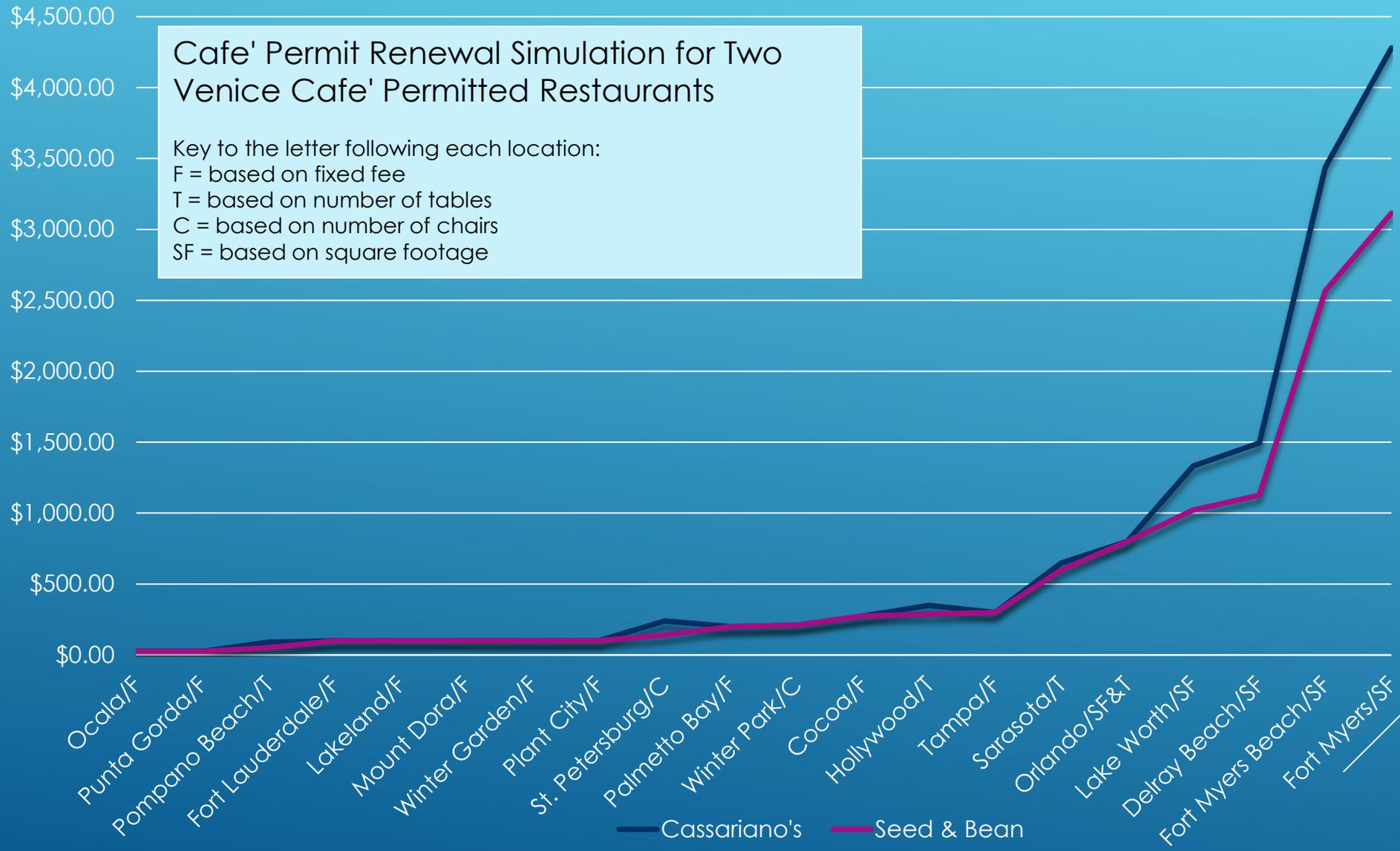
PUBLIC SPACE FEES:

- Fairly standard in other communities
 - Fee structure and amounts vary greatly
 - Fees vary from \$100 - \$4,500 annually
 - Charged by SF, by Table or by Chairs
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NEXT STEPS

1) UPDATE CAFÉ PERMIT PROCESS

2) CITY COUNCIL APPROVAL

(CODE UPDATE, PERMIT & FEES)

3) RE-ISSUE NEW CAFÉ PERMITS



DISCUSSION AND INPUT

CITY FOCUS = DOWNTOWN PARTNERSHIP

MERCHANTS



VOLUNTEERS



CITY STAFF



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