

Aloha Members of the Miami surf community:

We're continuing to work hard to try to protect our iconic surf break, and have the following updates concerning the Reefline project:

1. We've continued working with the Reefline team to try formalizing our agreement, which we described in the June update (see also the August 30<sup>th</sup> update on our website), in a written memorandum of understanding (MOU). While they are willing to put in writing that it will not be located south of 4<sup>th</sup> Street (as in their modified plans), they are unwilling to commit to, if the modeling predicts an adverse impact on the waves, locate the structures somewhere other than the south of 5<sup>th</sup> street permitted area.
2. While we were trying to resolve the MOU issues Miami-Dade County DERM issued a permit for the project, which may be viewed [here](#). Since we did not yet have an MOU, we filed an appeal of the permit, which may be viewed [here](#). The hearing for this is expected to be on October 14<sup>th</sup>. Since they are unwilling to agree to locate the structures elsewhere if the modeling predicts that they will harm the surf, we will follow through on the appeal.
3. We will follow up soon with details of how you can help to let Miami-Dade County know that the surf community is concerned about the potential effects of this on this iconic surf break. Further, we respectfully request any input or thoughts that you may have on this.

The previous updates and more information are available on the Chapter's website [here](#). There is also information about this campaign on Surfrider HQ's website [here](#).