



To: Meighan Alexander
Village Clerk

Date: September 04, 2013

From: Darby P. Delsalle, AICP, Director
Department of Planning and Zoning

RE: VPB-13-001 South Motor
Company of South Dade

Pursuant to Section 30-30.12(a), Simon Ferro of Gunster, PA, on behalf of the applicant has submitted the following supplemental information. The item attached was received before the end of business day on September 3, 2013, and within the required deadline. However it was received after the last supplement was submitted to the Mayor and Village Council. Attached please find the following document to be distributed as part of South Motors Company of South Dade, Co. public hearing application:

An email correspondence providing the curriculum vitae of Bruce Arthur, as submitted on September 3, 2013.



Summary of Qualifications for South Motors Public Hearing:

During his first year of college, **Bruce Arthur** obtained early professional experience working for his family's Architectural Practice as an apprentice. Through perseverance, ambition, initiative and hard work, Bruce quickly started to oversee the production of the office's smaller commercial projects.

After College, Bruce joined the firm full time as an architectural designer and liaison between the office and the local Building Departments they were working within. He soon was designing, preparing Construction Documents and supervising the Construction of the Company's higher profile projects.

Bruce developed relationships with the Food Industry having commissioned over 250 restaurants from both local and National Brands.

In 1993, Bruce built a relationship with South Motors by closing out their building permits from Hurricane Andrew. Because of his impact, to this day *wha design* enjoys a successful long-term, on-going partnership with South Motors. Bruce has designed facilities for BMW, Mini, Volkswagen, Suzuki, Honda, Infiniti, Mazda, Chevrolet and the Harley Davidson Marque too.

Bruce added other new clients to the *wha* portfolio by bringing in such companies as; CREC, Global, Equity One, Orion, Suchman and Goodwill Industries amounting to well over 3-million square feet of Retail work.

After William Hamilton Arthur Sr. passed away in 2007, Bruce became the managing partner of the company. He along with his brother continues to operate the company with the same dedication and spirit as their father did some 52 years ago when he founded the company.

Bruce has been carrying out his father's focus on environmentally sustainable design. His commitment is to reach the highest level of environmental protection and social responsibility in everything the firm does today. It is this commitment that is driving South Motors new Service Facility located on the BMW / Honda Campus. *wha design* and TLC for Architecture collectively are designing this facility toward a Gold LEED Certification or better.

Unrelated to South Motors, however, environmentally considerate in design as the Service Facility, find Bruce's LEED Certified Boutique Hotel located in the City of Coral Gables.

Currently the firm is licensed in the State of Florida AR-001274, State of Kentucky; No. 3546, National Council of Architectural Registration Boards; No. 37,722.

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