

MIDDLEBROOK PINES CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC. 5255 CYPRESS COURT • ORLANDO, FLORIDA 32811-3093 • (407) 648-9333

## Board of Directors Meeting February 21, 2012 Proposed Rule for Displaying the United States Flag

- 1) A unit owner/resident can display one portable, removable United States flag no larger than 3'x5'. In addition to the United States flag, a unit owner/resident can display one portable, removable Blue Star Mothers Service flag no larger than 3'x5'. Additionally on Armed Forces Day, Memorial Day, Flag Day, Independence Day, and Veterans Day, a unit owner/resident can display a portable, removable official flag, not larger than 41/2 feet by 6 feet, that represents the United States Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard. All flags must be hung in a respectful way.
- 2) The flag mount can be attached to the balcony railing using a clamp which does not utilize a fastener that penetrates the metal. The flag cannot exceed the height of the roof line. A flag mount can be attached to the fence within one foot of either side of the front gate.
- 3) If a flag is mounted on the fence, then the flag must be flown on a pole which is at an angle; so that the lowest end of the flag is between six and seven feet off the ground.
- 4) A flag can also be displayed on an aluminum, fiberglass, or wooden upright pole installed in the ground.
- 5) A flag pole that is installed in the ground cannot exceed twenty feet in height, and shall be installed in accordance with local building code.
- 6) The finish on an aluminum or fiberglass pole shall be brushed aluminum, bronze, or black.
- 7) The finish on a wooden pole shall be gray or cedar colored.
- 8) The flag should be flown in accordance with United States Flag Code.