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DDA SEEKS .5 MILL: Miami's Downtown Development Authority is to ask the city commission today (7/24) to approve its millage rate at .5 for the fiscal year starting on Oct. 1 and ending Sept. 30, 2009. The mill is the rate at which the authority taxes properties within its districts: central business district, media entertainment district, Brickell and Park West, said **Meredith J. Nation**, the authority's interim deputy director. "We are optimistic the commission will see that the DDA is committed to getting money out to the streets and making positive changes. We are hopeful they will maintain the current millage rate."