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Subject: **OPERATION HEAT SHIELD**



On Saturday, February 6th, 2016, The Miami Police Department will join the Miami Dade Police Department and the Miami Fire Department in a multi-agency training exercise entitled, "Operation Heat Shield" at the Miami Dade Government Center, located at 111 NW 1st Avenue, and at Marlins Park located at 501 Marlins Way. The purpose of this event is to test the emergency response and capabilities of multiple agencies working in unison to achieve the mutual objective of mitigating a simulated threat from a fictitious terrorist group.

During this training exercise there will be road closures around the Miami Dade Government Center and the Juvenile Courthouse. The road closure will be from 7:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M... The closures will be on NW 2nd Avenue to NW 1st Avenue from NW 1st Street to NW 5th Street. The road closures around Marlins Park will be from 6:00 P.M. to 1:00 A.M. The closure will be on NW 14th Avenue to NW 16th Avenue from NW 3st Street to NW 7th Street. Miami Police officers will be posted throughout the event to assist motorists and pedestrians in the area.

All Media outlets interested in attending must contact Lieutenant Armando Rojas at <u>armando.rojas@miami-police.org</u> or Officer Kenia Fallat <u>kenia.fallat@miami-police.org</u> prior to the event date.

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Case: N/A

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