

ANNUAL REPORT 2019

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JORGE COLINA
Chief of Police

MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF

Welcome to the Miami Police Department's (MPD) 2019 Annual Report. This report will provide a glance into MPD activities for the year. The department launched our Real Time Crime Center (RTCC) equipped with camera networks, license plate recognition technology, and ShotSpotter program. These tools are integrated to enable us to quickly gather and analyze information, helping us in the fight against crime. The RTCC is a major component to providing investigative intelligence. Within the RTCC, the Crime Gun Intelligence Detail has been created to process all casings and firearms to identify shooting incidents. We also created a Shield Detail dedicated to information sharing, countering terrorism, and engaging the public through education. These are just two examples of the innovative measures we have taken to keep MPD in the forefront of law enforcement.

The men and women of MPD remain dedicated to serving the community. I have nothing but admiration for our sworn and civilian force whose duty to the public is witnessed every day. As they patrol their respective areas, officers form bonds with residents and business owners, and educate the community. Our investigative force works diligently to provide closure to those who have been wronged by various criminal acts. Civilian employees help those in need of assistance as well; emergency dispatchers are the first line of communication to those in distress and crime scene investigators meticulously process crime scenes. Together, this is the teamwork that defines MPD.

I am excited to announce that MPD has been awarded the prestigious TRI-ARC Award by the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA). The award is issued to agencies that concurrently hold accreditation in Law Enforcement, Public Safety Communications, and Public Safety Training Academy. MPD originally obtained CALEA accreditation in Law Enforcement in 1995. This year, after a grueling two-year process, we obtained accreditation for the Communications Center and Training Academy on the first attempt. MPD is currently the only agency in the State of Florida and 20th in the world to hold all three accreditations simultaneously. This was not an easy task; I am proud of our department and what it has been able to accomplish.

I am truly grateful to our citizens and community partners. As we work together to promote public safety and increase the quality of life within our diverse communities, I know that MPD would not be able to succeed without your continued trust and assistance. With the community as our partner, I am confident that we will continue to provide the services you deserve. We remain committed to making the City of Miami the safest city in the United States!

Sincerely,



Jorge R. Colina
Chief of Police

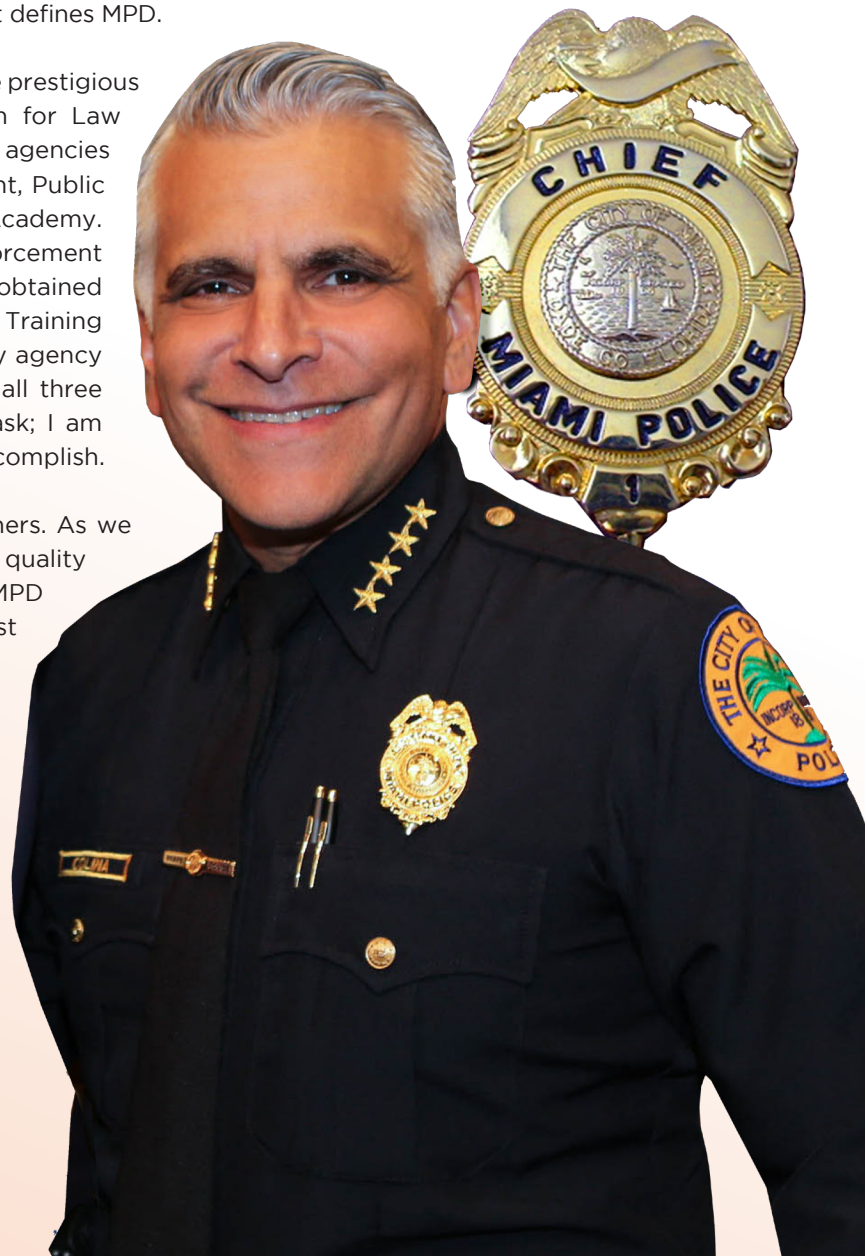


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MISSION, VISION & CORE VALUES



K-9 Unit

MISSION STATEMENT:

Our mission, together with the communities of Miami, is to make our city a place where all people can live, work, and visit safely without fear.

VISION:

The Miami Police Department will maintain the highest standards of professional ethics and integrity. We are committed to the philosophy of community and neighborhood policing. We will build partnerships and coalitions with the business, corporate, and residential communities to identify and recommend solutions to problems with the goal of improving the quality of life in our neighborhoods. We will employ time-tested police methods and promising innovative approaches to better protect our communities. We value the cultural unity and differences of our communities, recognizing that there is strength in both. Our commitment is to provide professional service to our citizens, residents, and visitors.

CORE VALUES:

IN OUR INDIVIDUAL CONDUCT AND IN OUR PERSONAL RELATIONSHIPS, WE VALUE:

- Integrity and ethical behavior at all times
- Respect for the rules of law and the dignity of all human beings
- Acceptance of full responsibility and accountability for our actions
- Empathy and compassion for others
- Direct communications that permit and encourage healthy disagreement
- Resolving differences in a mutually supportive and positive way

IN OUR PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES, WE VALUE:

- Individual and team effectiveness in solving crime and crime related problems
- Exceptional response to community needs
- Equal protection and service to all, regardless of economic status
- Continuous commitment to personal and professional growth
- Innovation, creativity, and reasoned risk-taking
- A methodical approach to problem solving
- Responsible and creative management of our resources
- Excellence and continuous improvement in all we do



QUICK FACTS

CITY OF MIAMI OFFICIALS

GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS

Year of Incorporation: 1896

Area of City: 35.87 Square Miles

Climate: Tropical

Temperature: Average High 89.0 degrees Fahrenheit

Average Low 61 degrees Fahrenheit

(Climate data for Miami, 2010-2019 normals)

POPULATION

Total Population: 490,947

MPD EMPLOYEES

Sworn- 1316

Civilian- 485



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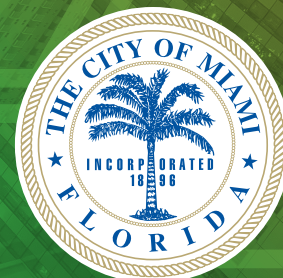
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- Legal Advisor, George Wysong III
- Legal Advisor, Juan Carlos Perez
- Executive Officer Eldys Diaz
- Executive Officer Sergio Diez
- Sgt. At Arms Detail

Public Information Office Commander Freddie Cruz

- Public Information Detail
- Social Media Detail
- Honor Guard Detail



DEPUTY CHIEF OF POLICE RONALD L. PAPIER

- Executive Officer Natalie Martinez



ADMINISTRATION DIVISION ASSISTANT CHIEF OF POLICE DENNIS M. JACKSON, II



CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS DIVISION ASSISTANT CHIEF OF POLICE LOUIS MELANCON

Business Management Section CMDR Jorge Blanco

- Alarms Ordinance Unit
- Budget Unit
 - Forfeiture Detail
 - Grants Detail
 - Legislation Detail
 - Travel Detail
 - Accounting Detail

Information Technology Support Section CMDR Joseph Pontillo

- Computer Support Unit
 - COMPSTAT Support Detail
 - Communications Technical Support Detail

Training & Personnel Development Section Miami Police College and Training Center Major Um Set Ramos

- Standards Detail
- Training Administration Unit
 - Officer Skills Development Detail
 - Professional Development Detail
- Miami Police Academy Unit
 - Drill Instructor / Testing Standards Detail
 - Instructor Detail
 - Fitness Center Detail
 - International Policing Institute Detail

Personnel Resource Management Section Major Esther Farmer

- Labor Relations Unit
 - Disciplinary Detail
 - Health Services Detail
 - Departmental Staffing Detail
- Payroll Unit
- Personnel Unit
- Recruitment and Selection Unit

Property and Evidence Management Section Major Dana Carr

- Property and Evidence Unit
 - Auto Pound Detail
 - Confiscations Detail
 - Counter Detail
 - Vault and Warehouse Detail
- Quartermaster and Fleet Unit
 - Fleet Management Detail
 - Mail and Office Supply Detail
 - Quartermaster Detail
 - Accounting Detail

Support Services Section Major Jose A. Rodriguez

- Court Liaison Unit
 - Civil Citations Program
 - Strategic Planning & Performance Detail
- Facility Maintenance Unit
- Virtual Policing Unit
 - Body Worn Camera Detail
 - CCTV Detail
 - LPR Detail
 - Shot Spotter Detail

Criminal Investigations Section Major Eric N. Gonzalez

- Assault Unit
- Domestic Violence Unit
- General Investigations Unit
 - Auto Theft Detail
 - Burglary Detail
 - Economic Crimes Detail
 - Environmental Crimes Detail
 - Burglary to Motor Vehicle Detail
 - Pawn Shop Detail
- Homicide Unit
 - Cold Case Detail
- Robbery Unit
 - Career Criminal Detail
- Special Victims Unit
 - Sexual Battery Detail
 - Missing Persons/DCF Detail
 - Internet Crimes Against Children

Communications Captain Winsor Lozano

- Computer Aided Dispatch Detail
- Emergency 911 Detail
- Quality Assurance Detail
- Communications Training Detail
- Records Unit
 - 24 Hour Desk Detail
 - Validation Detail

Investigative Support Section Major Cherise Gause

- Crime Scene Investigations Unit
 - Crime Scene Detail
 - Technical Services Detail
 - Photo ID Function
 - Latent Print Function
 - Video Retrieval Function
 - Criminal History Function
- Victim Advocate Services
- Tactical Investigations Unit
 - Tactical Robbery Detail
 - Felony Apprehension Team (FAT) Detail
- Investigative-Intelligence Unit
 - Criminal Intelligence Detail
 - Technical Intelligence Detail
 - Crime Analyst Detail
 - Technical Assistance Detail
 - Intelligence Analyst Detail

Special Investigations Section Major Francisco Fernandez

- Intelligence and Terrorism Unit
 - Organized Crime and Counterterrorism Detail
 - Intelligence and Dignitary Protection Detail
 - Gun Squad Special Detail
 - Joint Interdiction Detail
- Narcotics Unit
 - Vice and Narcotic Detail
- Gang Intelligence Unit



**FIELD OPERATIONS DIVISION
ASSISTANT CHIEF OF POLICE
MANUEL MORALES**

- COMPSTAT Detail
- C.I.T. Program Special Detail
- F.T.O. Program Special Detail

**Patrol North District
Major Keandra Simmons**

- Little Haiti NET
Commander Fabria Ellington
- Model City NET
Commander Omar Mitchell
- Upper Eastside NET
Commander Jose Fernandez

**Patrol South District
Major Armando Aguilar**

- Brickell / Roads NET
Commander Antonio Diaz
- Coconut Grove NET
Commander Chiquita F. Thomas-Butler
- Coral Way NET
Commander Daniel Garrido
- Flagami NET
Commander Carlos Castellanos
- Little Havana NET
Commander Nerly Papier

**Professional Compliance
Section
Major Jose Gonzalez**

- Accreditation Detail
- CALEA
- Department of Justice Agreement Compliance Detail
- Policy Development Detail
- Policy Compliance Detail
- High Liability Incident Review Board(HLB)
- Inspections Detail
- Policy Review Committee Special Detail

**Internal Affairs Section
Major Jesus Ibalmea**

- Administrative Unit
- Anti-Corruption Unit
- Internal Investigations Unit
- Public Corruption Detail

**Patrol Central District
Major Thomas Carroll**

- Allapattah NET
Commander Ernesto Sierra
- Downtown NET
Commander Antonio Regueria
- Downtown Beats/ Bike Unit
- Overtown NET
Commander Nicole Davis/William Cook
- Wynwood/Edgewater NET
Commander Daniel Kerr

**Specialized Operations
Section
Major Richard Perez
Capt. Javier Ortiz**

- Traffic Enforcement (Motors) Unit
 - Traffic Enforcement Detail
 - D.R.E. Special Detail
 - Towing Detail
- Traffic Crash Investigations Unit
 - Traffic Homicide Detail
 - School Crossing Guard Detail
 - A.R.B. Special Detail
 - Hit and Run Detail
 - Staged Vehicle Crash Detail
- Patrol Support Unit
 - Mounted Patrol Detail
 - Marine Patrol Detail
- Aviation Unit
- Special Events Unit
 - Off Duty Detail
 - Special Event Detail
- Special Threat Response Unit
 - SWAT Detail
 - Crisis Negotiation Team Detail
 - Bomb Squad Detail
- K-9 Unit
- Office of Emergency Management and Homeland Security
 - Homeland Security Planning Detail
 - Research and Administration Detail

**Community Relations Section
Major Albert Guerra**

- Community Affairs Unit
 - Chaplaincy Corps Detail
 - Citizens on Patrol Detail
 - Crimes Against the Elderly (CATE) Detail
 - Crime Prevention Specialist Detail
 - Crime Stoppers/H.U.D. Detail
 - Youth Involvement Detail
 - Drug Awareness Resistance Education (DARE) Program
 - Police Athletic League Program
 - Police Explorer Program
 - School Resource Officer Detail
 - JAM (Juvenile Assistance Mentoring) Detail
 - Reserve/Auxiliary Officer Detail
- Do The Right Thing Program

NEW ASSISTANT CHIEF OF POLICE

For the first time in the history of the Miami Police Department, a Haitian-American female member was appointed to the rank of Assistant Chief of Police. Cherise Giordani Gause was promoted to the rank of Assistant Chief of Police in September 2019 and assigned to lead the Administration Division. The Administration Division is comprised of the Business Management, Communications/Support Services, Information Technology, Personnel Resource Management, and Training/Personnel Development Sections as well as the Property Unit.

Assistant Chief Gause began her career at MPD in 1993 as a dispatcher and advanced through the ranks from police officer to major. She has held assignments throughout the department in the Administration, Field Operations, and Criminal Investigations Divisions. She is excited about her new assignment and looks forward to undertaking challenges in her new position. Congratulations, Assistant Chief Gause!



WOMAN ON THE MURAL

The Woman on the Mural is an inspiration to black history and was created to have dual representation. Major Esther Farmer got the inspiration from an elementary school teacher who decorated her classroom similarly on social media. The idea was to bring a slight change and inspiration to the Personnel Resource Management Section as well as make a statement of unity. She is not only being celebrated as an African American; she is also being celebrated as a female African American. Her bold features are a representation of all beautiful and strong women. This mural gives women the visibility they deserve and celebrates their humanity, resolve, loyalty, beauty, intelligence, and strength.

The materials used to create the mural were inexpensive and the process to complete was very simple. Her curly hair was formed from black construction paper, cut into thin rectangular strips, shaped into rings, and stapled together. Once the rings were made, they were strategically placed,

taped, and stacked onto the wall - creating the illusion of voluminous hair. Her eyebrows, lips, and nose were hand drawn, cut out, and taped to the wall. Her eyelashes were curled and taped to her eyes. Her head wrap was simply a plastic table cloth and her earrings were made of gift bows.

The face of the woman demonstrated influential black history figures through her garment. Her garment was comprised of several photos of prominent African American figures such as Michelle Obama, Rosa Parks, Harriet Tubman, Sojourner Truth, Maya Angelou, Shirley Chisholm, and many more. It was important to recognize the courageous, inventive and revolutionary African Americans who changed the course of history and made a lasting contribution to the world. This mural shows a fraction of those who became famous for being the first in their field, for fighting for their rights, standing up against injustice, or for their talent and achievements in the arts.



NEW RADIO P25

In today's world, technology continues to improve our lives and work. In 2017, the City of Miami purchased a P25 radio system to improve our radio communications. P25 is a set of standards for radio communications that was designed for public safety. Some of the benefits of upgrading to a P25 radio system include improved performance, greater coverage and enhanced security. P25 is now the standard system for several public safety and government agencies around the world.

To bring our city and our department to the next level took significant time and effort. The Information Technology Support Section (ITSS) worked hand in hand with the vendor to design a radio system that would meet the needs of our officers. Over the course of two years, numerous meetings and classes were attended to prepare for this transition. On December 6, 2019, we transitioned into the new Harris P25 radio system. In the end, all the planning and hard work paid off and the transition to the new system was a success.



SUPERHEROES AT HOLTZ CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

On March 22, 2019, members of the Miami Police Department dressed as superheroes and surprised the children at the Holtz Children's Hospital. Black Panther, Bat Girl, Spider-Man, and Captain America were driven by Miami's SWAT Team to the hospital to bring cheer to children facing different medical conditions. MPD and hospital officials agreed that the presence of the superheroes provided a welcomed distraction from the children's medical routines. As the heroes visited each floor, the feeling of excitement was palpable. Children were eager to talk to their heroes, who provided encouragement and inspiration to the young patients. The superheroes were able to leave a lasting impression on the children and their families, who were able to witness the smiles and joy on their loved ones faces.



EDGEWATER NET

In May 2019, MPD created the Edgewater NET area. The area, previously combined with the Wynwood NET, was separated due to the needs of the rapidly changing communities. The departure from Wynwood and its thriving nightlife population will benefit both areas. The Edgewater district is home to businesses, schools, and parks. Margaret Pace Park sits on Biscayne Bay and hosts multiple events throughout the year. With its dog park, tennis courts, yoga classes, and events, the people of Edgewater have a multitude of entertainment options at their fingertips.

Nestled between the Venetian and Julia Tuttle Causeways, the primarily residential Edgewater neighborhood has transitioned from mostly single-family homes to high rise condominiums. This vertical construction boom has created an increase in population as well as a surge in traffic. These changes created the need for enhanced police services. Assigned Neighborhood Resource Officers are an example of the dedicated services that will be provided to the NET area. Residents and business owners can be confident that MPD is ready to assist with their community needs.



TRI-ARC AWARD

On November 16, 2019, the City of Miami Police Department was awarded the prestigious TRI-ARC Award by the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA). CALEA is the gold standard in law enforcement accreditation, and meeting CALEA's rigorous standards requires strict adherence to dozens of best practices established by respected industry professionals. The TRI-ARC Award is only given to agencies that have achieved concurrent CALEA accreditation in law enforcement, public safety training, and public safety communications. The City of Miami Police Department is the first agency in the State of Florida, only 1 of 16 in the country, and 1 of 22 law enforcement organizations in the world to qualify for this distinction. The men and women of the City of Miami Police Department's Accreditation Detail, Communications Section and Training Section worked tirelessly to adopt, implement, and document adherence to often complicated standards to accomplish the agency's goal of receiving the TRI-ARC accreditation in under 18 months.



FIRST RESPONDER INTEGRATED TACTICAL TRAINING

The City of Miami Police Training and Personnel Development Section, in conjunction with the City of Miami Fire Rescue Department, attended a 10-hour active shooter course titled "First Responder Integrated Tactical Training" (F.I.T.T.). This fast-paced course, designed to prepare organizations for an active threat event, involved multiple scenarios. The exercise tested communication skills during a command post and staging area deployment. Participants learned several topics concerning the response to an active killer event. This unique training highlights the integration of law enforcement working alongside fire rescue personnel and communications dispatchers.

While attending F.I.T.T., students were introduced to solo tactical movements, post-engagement protocols, tactical emergency casualty care, Incident Command System,

Rescue Task Force, and the roles and responsibilities of an Incident Commander and Staging Site Manager. Additionally, they participated in an Active Shooter Incident Management tabletop exercise.

Interoperability and organization of the Rescue Task Force concept and the immediate establishment of a Unified Command Structure are critical components of the exercise. The training encouraged participation and collaboration from first responders in three exercise scenarios for which communication skills during a command post and staging area deployment were tested. This course provided an opportunity for multiple entities to train alongside each other and understand the different roles and responsibilities of each element when responding to a mass casualty incident.



CHIEF'S GALA

A record turnout was celebrated at this year's Chief's Gala themed Miami Nice...Magic Happens When You Do the Right Thing with all proceeds benefitting the Do the Right Thing Program (DTRT). Over 900 guests enjoyed a wonderful evening of dining and dancing at the beautiful JW Marriott Marquis with a total of \$320,000 raised! The funds will enable DTRT to continue its Officer Do Right initiative in which police officers share McDonald's Happy Meals and award DTRT prizes to nominees in elementary schools throughout the City of Miami and Miami-Dade County.

The Gala was emceed by Ron Magill, Zoo Miami's communications and media relations director and attended

by celebrities including Marc Anthony and Emilio and Gloria Estefan. Chief Colina and the entire Gala Committee worked tirelessly to ensure the event was a huge success. Committee members included Jodi Atkison, Sandra Colina, Commander Freddie Cruz, Ariadna Espinosa, Officer Kenia Fallat, Officer John Giordano, Sergeant Shanetta Green, Major Albert Guerra, Rosa Magnusson, Officer Nick Perez, and Barbara Sweet-Kemp. Special thanks also go to the sponsors, community leaders, and the law enforcement community including the staff of the MPD for supporting the Gala. The dedication of all involved to bettering the lives of the children in our community was heartwarming to witness.



SHIELD DETAIL

MPD's Shield Detail, the first program of its type in Florida, was created in partnership with NYPD Shield and other reputable law enforcement agencies serving as an information-sharing network. As a member of the Global Shield Network (GSN), the Shield Detail aims to partner with public and private sectors using a community-focused policing method to strengthen the City of Miami on countering terrorism, homegrown violent extremists, and local crime.

Shield is designed to engage community members on national and local security issues by delivering civilian training and establishing information-sharing partnerships across economic sectors. The combination of public awareness and police visibility, coupled with several avenues of reliable communication, is a formula that MPD has employed in the past with great success in the deterrence and disruption of crime.

To date, MPD has the largest Shield in the GSN with fifteen officers assigned to the detail. Each NET Area has a dedicated Shield Neighborhood Resource Officer (Shield NRO) that is responsible for fostering a partnership with community members. The remaining two officers are Shield Intelligence Officers who are responsible for synthesizing critical information and distributing it to Shield NRO's to keep the information-sharing process active and current. MPD Shield has successfully partnered with over 725 local businesses and critical infrastructures in the City of Miami. These partnerships have allowed Shield officers to train the community in active shooter preparedness and terrorism awareness. Shield has also developed initiatives such as Safety in the Sanctuary, which is specifically designed to cater to all houses of worship. Additionally, Shield has hosted symposiums tailored to certain infrastructures, such as schools. With the continued shared effort of our community and the Shield Detail, we strive to make the City of Miami the safest city in the United States.



WELCOME FRECKLES



Meet Freckles, Miami Police Department's new mascot/**community service dog.** Freckles and her handler, Officer Jihovanna Mayorga-Garcia, will serve the community in this capacity by comforting trauma victims, children, and the elderly population.

It is immediately apparent that Freckles is not the typical Police K-9. In fact, she is a rescue dog from the Miami-Dade County animal shelter. She is a lovable stray, Terrier/Labrador mix that specializes in affection. She was nine months old at adoption and is now 1 year, 7 months old and weighs 38 pounds.

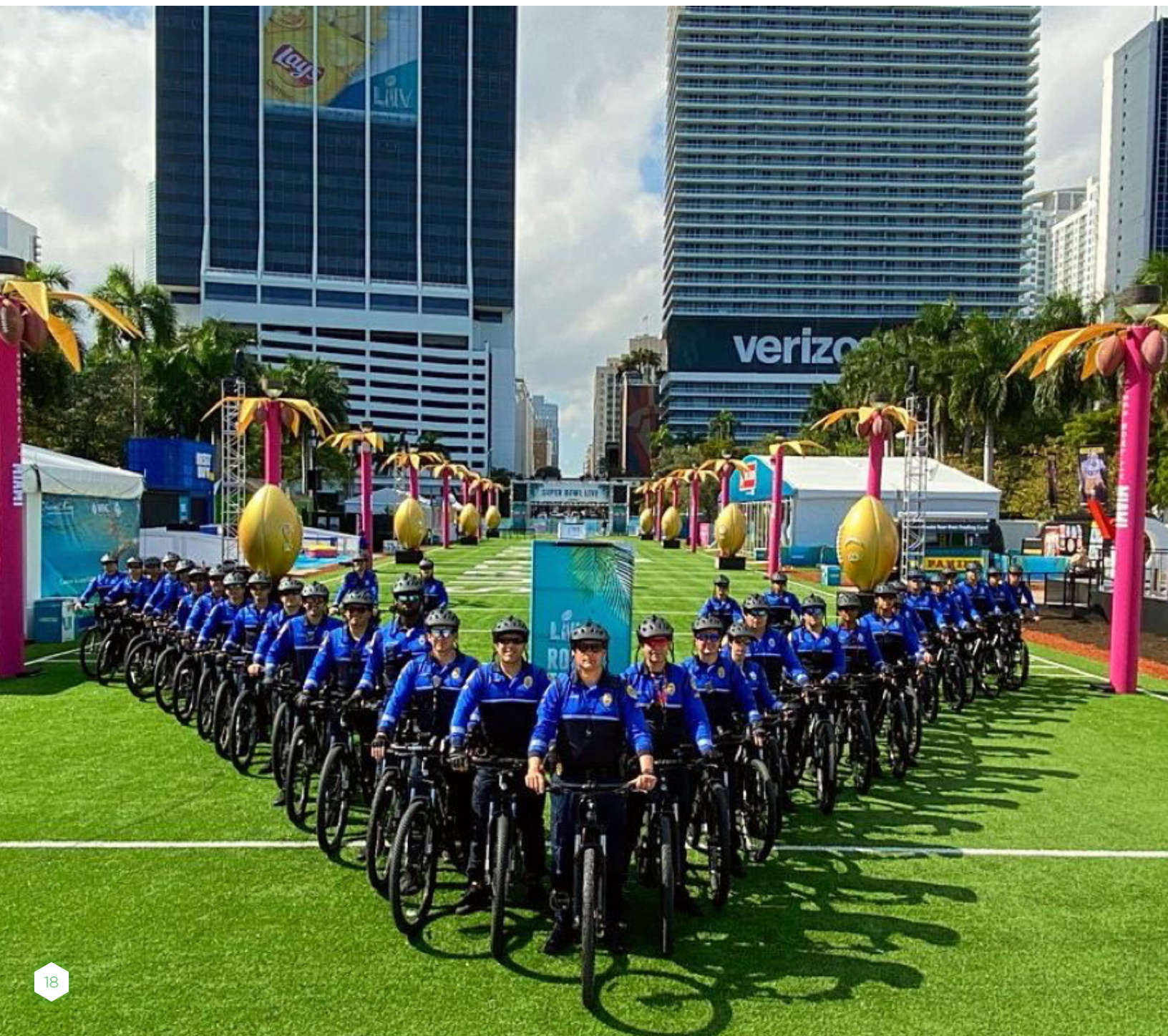
Freckles is undergoing specialized training to become a community service dog. This training teaches her to follow commands and interact safely with people in different environments. Although Freckles was initially shy when first adopted, she is now a social pup who brightens everyone's day. She loves to be petted and, with permission from Officer Mayorga-Garcia, enjoys receiving treats for being well behaved.

We look forward to putting smiles on people's faces. If you see Freckles out and about, feel free to pet her and give her lots of love.

BICYCLE RESPONSE TEAM

The **Bicycle Response Team (BRT)** is comprised of bicycle certified officers with superior riding skills that undergo extraneous training to include riding and deploying in formations, team riding in crowds, arrest/rescue techniques, gas mask operations, slow speed skills, mounts, and dismounts. Members of the BRT have completed a 40-hour specialized training in crowd control and crowd management operations. Crowd

management refers to proactive steps taken to prevent potential problems, while crowd control refers to situations in which a crowd has gone violent and police are needed to prevent further harm or damage. The mobility and accessibility of bicycle officers in a Bicycle Response Team gives them the ability to manage crowds effectively as well as gets resources wherever needed in a timely manner.



UNITED FIRST RESPONDERS MUSICFEST



The United First Responders Musicfest was an idea of Miami Police Sergeant Lizlinda Bremer of the InBlue Police Band.

The Musicfest was a one of a kind festival held in the great City of Miami. It took place in the heart of Coconut Grove at the beautiful Regatta Park located next to the historic City Hall. The event showcased musicians, who are presently active or retired uniformed personnel, from different police and fire departments across the United States and Puerto Rico. These first responders not only take pride in protecting the communities they serve, but they also have a passion for music and the diverse culture that we are so blessed to have.

In addition to the festival, United First Responder Musicfest had a multi-agency first responder exposition incorporated into this unique event. The exposition consisted of a collaboration by local first responding agencies which displayed a variety of equipment and apparatuses. These agencies showcased a diverse representation of their capabilities and services in which they all so proudly provide, while serving and protecting their communities.

Our goal was to create a free family friendly event, giving attendees the opportunity to meet the men and women in uniform who serve and protect our communities while enjoying great food, beverages, exhibitions, vendors and MUSIC from genres such as Latin Salsa, Merengue, Bachata, Rock, Jazz, Hip Hop, R&B, Reggae and POP.



NEW POLICE ACADEMY CLASS - PAC-131

PAC-131 began on February 12, 2019 and graduated on September 13, 2019. The class consisted of 24 police recruits from the Miami Springs, Coral Gables, Doral, and City of Miami Police Departments. During PAC-131's time in the academy, the Miami Police Department (MPD) continued its commitment to improving and enhancing our relationship with the community. As part of the Building Police Community Partnership Program, PAC-131 conducted numerous projects throughout the City of Miami.

One of the projects included interacting with residents at Miami Achievement Center for the Developmentally Disabled (MAC Town). The residents of Mac Town are persons with various intellectual and developmental disabilities. The recruits of PAC-131 learned how to interact with residents through activities such as weight lifting and exercise.

Another project included a visit to the Miami Lighthouse for the Blind. During this project, recruits learned the strengths and weaknesses of persons with visual impairment. PAC-131 was also placed through a series of exercises to replicate the conditions of a blind person. The recruits also learned about resources available to citizens of the City of Miami, such as the Florida Heiken Children's Vision Program that provides needy children with prescription glasses.

During PAC-131's tenure in the academy, MPD was mobilized in preparation for Hurricane Dorian. Prior to the storm making its projected landfall, PAC-131 worked tirelessly and assisted with filling and distributing sandbags to City of Miami residents.

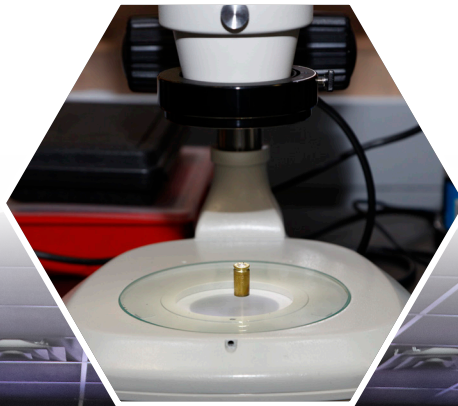
PAC-131 displayed admirable spirit and a commitment to excellence throughout their time at the police academy. MPD wishes PAC-131 a successful law enforcement career!



CRIME GUN INTELLIGENCE DETAIL

In 2019, the Miami Police Department created the Real Time Crime Center Unit (RTCC) which was formerly known as The Virtual Policing Unit. The RTCC is now a part of our Investigative Support Section which encompasses the Criminal Intelligence Detail and The Criminal Intelligence Analyst Detail. In addition, the Police Department launched its newest detail, The Crime Gun Intelligence Detail (CGID), which allows the department to process all casing evidence and confiscated firearms to establish crime gun correlations. The detail has one Sergeant, two Detectives and one Crime Scene Technician. The CGID team works with ATF and the Property Unit to streamline the NIBIN process. The streamlined process has allowed the CGID team to now

upload casing evidence into the NIBIN database which has significantly reduced the link notification to the detectives. Most evidence is now processed within a week and the goal is to process all evidence within 48 hours. The reduced time allows investigators to pursue leads that would be lost due to previous time constraints. On September 18, 2019 the CGID began to upload evidence into the NIBIN database. As of December 10, 2019, 300 NIBIN entries have been uploaded into the NIBIN. The expedited hits that's been produced by these entries have impacted investigations. Several shooting incidents have been linked in as little as seven days which turns this forensic tool into actionable intelligence to solve shootings.



TACTICAL BURGLARY DETAIL

In August 2019, MPD incorporated the Tactical Burglary Detail to specialize in proactive burglary investigations throughout the City of Miami. This team has worked diligently with our Criminal Investigations Section, Field Operations Division, and other State and Federal Agencies to collaboratively investigate, apprehend, and prosecute subjects committing property crimes. The

Tactical Burglary Detail monitors burglary incidents throughout the City of Miami, developing leads and identifying vehicles, subjects, and evidence to assist in the apprehension of burglary offenders. The Tactical Burglary Detail also identifies crime trends and repeat locations in order to develop proactive enforcement and long-term investigations.



PEER SUPPORT PROGRAM

The Peer Support Program is comprised of civilian and sworn personnel who have answered the call to help their fellow employees. The Peer Support Team attended a 40-hour certification course and received specialized training in a variety of areas which included: stress and anger management, mental illnesses, substance abuse, marital/family issues, suicide prevention, and general counseling skills.

The overall goal of the Peer Support Program is to be a pillar of support for the members of MPD. The

team is trained to recognize early warning signs that can escalate to potential problems. With appropriate referrals, whether within or outside of the department, the Team is equipped to provide suitable guidance in a strictly confidential manner.

The mission of this program is to facilitate a healthy and compassionate work environment for both civilian and sworn personnel. It will support our fellow brothers and sisters through their personal and professional struggles by guiding them to the assistance they may need.



NEW BLOODHOUND

Meet Claudine, Miami Police Department's newest K-9 bloodhound. Claudine was donated to our agency in 2019 by the Jimmy Ryce Center and named after the late mother of Jimmy Ryce.

Why a bloodhound for tracking? Bloodhounds contain approximately 230 million olfactory cells (scent receptors) in their nose. What does this mean? This means that a bloodhound's sense of smell is 1,000 times stronger than that of a human's. Police officers have historically used the bloodhounds' keen sense of smell and abilities to track and find missing and/or endangered children, adults, and

the elderly and bring them to safety.

Claudine trains regularly with her handler, Officer Sarah Mendoza-Pujols, as well as with her fellow bloodhound friends from other agencies. During Claudine's training, she is provided a scent article for familiarization which creates an "odor image." She then locates the trail and begins her track.

We look forward to helping the community and police department in locating loved ones and safely bringing them home.



2019 PROMOTIONS

PROMOTIONS

Arcelay, Lillian
 Dorvil, Shaidah
 Borrego, Ricardo
 Choi, Alex
 Clark, Nicole
 Clinch, Taneshia
 Conway, Andre
 Diaz, Antonio
 Donneval, Thomas Jr.
 Douthett, Shelton
 Foster, Dominique
 Gabriel, Max
 Garate, Yasmine
 Gause, Cherise
 Gonzalez, Emily
 Hidalgo, Emilia
 Houston, Lawandra
 Joseph, Arlene
 Lanier, Brandon
 Larotonda, Duvela
 Licea, Fulgencio
 Kocur, John

NEW CLASSIFICATION

Emergency Dispatcher Sup
 Accountant Clerk
 Sr. Budget & Financial Support Advisor
 Application Support
 Police Property Specialist I
 Police Property Specialist
 Emergency Dispatcher
 Police Major
 Clerk I
 Police Property Specialist I
 Emergency Dispatcher
 NET Commander
 Emergency Dispatcher
 Assistant Chief of Police
 Clerk I
 Administrative Aide I
 Police Property Specialist II
 Administrative Aide I
 Police Lieutenant
 Police Property Specialist I
 Budget & Financial Support Advisor
 Police Sergeant

PROMOTIONS

Mallon, Roberto
 Mazer, Paula
 Mendoza, Marjorie
 Milton, Norris
 Monoz, Clementina
 Morely, Dwanna
 Perez, Heather
 Pierre, Camandra
 Ponce, Luz
 Robinson, Richard
 Rodriguez, Ana
 Rodriguez, Carols
 Rodriguez, Luis Gabriel
 Rodriguez, Ryan
 Sparks, Helene
 Theye, Francisco
 Thompson, Shaakiera
 Tran, Julie
 Valdes, Roberto E.
 Velasquez, Ivonne
 Williams, Ronia
 Wilson-Smith, Lenore

NEW CLASSIFICATION

Police Lieutenant
 Accountant
 Emergency Dispatcher Supervisor
 Information Technology Technician II
 Police Property Specialist
 Traffic Control Specialist
 Administrative Aide I
 Emergency Dispatcher Sup
 Communications Center Administrator
 Video Retrieval Specialist
 Victims Advocate Witness Coordinator
 Police Sergeant
 Police Sergeant
 Police Sergeant
 Emergency Dispatcher Sup
 Crime Scene Investigations Supervisor
 Emergency Dispatcher Supervisor
 Administrative Aide I
 Police Lieutenant
 Account Clerk
 Crime Scene Investigator II
 Crime Analyst II



2019 RETIREMENTS

Arrebola, Rosa
 Borroto, Rafael
 Carpenter, David
 Cisnero, David
 Gourrier, Paul Jr.
 Hicks, Racquel

Hudson, Deborah
 Jackson, Dennis II
 Jackson, Paul
 Lawrence, Wayne
 Louis, Jean
 Mathis, Andre

McLish, Orville
 Mercado, Heriberto
 Mesa, Rolando
 Moises, Martinez
 Philippe, Reynold
 Rivera, Alejandro

Rodriguez, Luis
 Salas, Herminia
 San Juan, David
 Wing, Jennifer

POLICE MEMORIAL

NAME

Officer John Rhinehart Riblet
 Officer Frank Angelo Croff
 Officer Richard R. Marler
 Sergeant Laurie L. Wever
 Officer Hubert Carl Paul
 Officer John D. Marchbanks
 Officer Samuel J. Callaway
 Officer Jesse L. Morris
 Officer Albert R. Johnson
 Detective James F. Beckham
 Officer Augustus S. McCann
 Officer Sidney Clarence Crews
 Officer John Brubaker
 Detective Robert Lee Jester
 Deputy Constable John Dickson
 Officer Samuel D. Hicks
 Officer Patrick H. Baldwin
 Officer Wesley F. Thompson
 Officer John Milledge
 Officer Johnnie Young
 Officer Frampton Wichman, Jr.
 Officer Leroy J. LaFleur, Sr.
 Officer James H. Brigman
 Officer John T. Burlinson
 Officer Jerrel E. Ferguson
 Officer Ronald F. McLeod
 Officer Rolland J. Lane II
 Officer Victor Butler, Jr.
 Lieutenant Edward F. McDermott
 Officer Nathaniel K. Broom
 Officer Jose Raimundo DeLeon
 Officer David W. Herring
 Officer Victor Estefan
 Officer William Don Craig
 Officer Osvaldo J. Canalejo, Jr.
 Officer Carlos A. Santiago
 Officer William H. Williams
 Detective James Merry Walker
 Officer Jorge Sanchez

END OF WATCH

June 2, 1915
 May 22, 1921
 November 28, 1921
 November 28, 1921
 September 4, 1925
 February 16, 1926
 January 10, 1927
 July 8, 1927
 September 25, 1927
 February 3, 1928
 September 26, 1928
 April 25, 1929
 March 31, 1933
 November 18, 1933
 December 24, 1933
 August 9, 1936
 March 29, 1940
 September 18, 1941
 November 1, 1946
 March 8, 1947
 September 24, 1948
 February 16, 1951
 February 28, 1951
 March 8, 1958
 November 7, 1962
 May 8, 1969
 May 23, 1970
 February 20, 1971
 May 18, 1980
 September 2, 1981
 December 21, 1984
 September 3, 1986
 March 31, 1988
 June 21, 1988
 October 13, 1992
 May 30, 1995
 July 3, 2000
 January 8, 2008
 November 1, 2016



2019 EMPLOYEE AWARDS

OFFICER OF THE MONTH

- Jan.** Ofc. Christopher Zambrana
Ofc. Christopher Cruz
Feb. Ofc. Natalie Rodriguez
Mar. Det. Stanley Paul-Noel
Det. Walter Singer
Apr. Ofc. Ulises Plana
Ofc. Jose Villasmil
May Det. Jordany Bahamonde
June Ofc. Manny Alvarez
July Ofc. Raymon Washington
Aug. Det. John Calabrese
Sept. Ofc. Brian Husel
Oct. Ofc. Orlando Del Valle
Ofc. Anthony Reyes
Nov. Det. Mario Sevilla
Dec. Det. Pierre Alce

UNIT CITATION

- Jan.** Allapattah PST
Feb. Homicide
Mar. Vice Intelligence Narcotics
Apr. Allapattah
May Allapattah PST
June FAT
July Overtown PST
Aug. Allapattah PST
Sept. GIU
Oct. Downtown Support
Nov. Little Haiti PST
Dec. Tactical Robbery Unit

PUBLIC SERVICE AIDE OF THE MONTH

- Jan.** Melinda Perez-Tavarez
Feb. Natalie Zarate
Mar. Susan Lallan
Apr. Susan Lallan
May Samuel Ruiz
June Maria Dominguez
July Natalie Zarate
Aug. Angel Pupo
Sept. Maria Dominguez
Oct. Natalie Zarate
Nov. Monica Hills
Dec. Maria Dominguez

CIVILIAN EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

- Jan.** Aida E. Salazar
Feb. Shekita Johnson
Mar. Yashica Burns
Apr. Syldghean Alvarado
May Aida E. Salazar
June Luz Ponce
July Anneriz Walker
Aug. Nadia Contractor
Sept. Aileen Rodriguez
Suhail Nazario
Oct. Erica Cook
Nov. Cesar Nunez

SILVER LIFESAVING AWARD

- Feb.** Ofc. Orlando Diaz
Ofc. Manuel Gomez
Ofc. Deodro Cruzavo
Ofc. Francis Flores-Reboyras
Apr. Ofc. Armando Valdes
Ofc. Sandra Gauchier
Ofc. Felix Piloto
Ofc. Albert Vigo
Ofc. Kyle Mcleod
Ofc. Fidel Castillo
Ofc. Luis Lejarza
Sgt. Raul Delgado
May Ofc. Jessica Gutierrez
June Ofc. Rafael Guerrero
Ofc. Jessica Gutierrez
Ofc. Ernesto Fernandez
Ofc. Jesica Nardoni
Ofc. Joshua Cobo
July Ofc. Kevin Targia
Ofc. Jeffrey Collier
Ofc. Sherrill Miller
Ofc. Diego Solano
Sept. Sgt. Mario Menegazzo
Ofc. Rafael Perez-Valdivia
Ofc. Jose Baez
Oct. Sgt. Intraymi Figueroa
Ofc. Yader Somarriba
Ofc. Tiffany Emile
Ofc. Kevin Vega
Ofc. Raymon Washington
Nov. Ofc. Matthew Cruz
Ofc. Danielle Ivy
Ofc. Kenya Fallat
Dec. Ofc. Joshua Quesada
Ofc. Jonathan Ramirez

HERO

- May** Mr. Luis Buron
Mr. Williams Abella
June Mr. Jazmany Castellanos
July Mr. Javier Calderon
Mrs. Karen Calderon
Sept. Mr. Daniel Savell

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL

- Jan.** Comm. Carlos Castellanos
Comm. Nerly Papier
Comm. Daniel garrido
Comm. Chiquita Thomas-Butler
Comm. Antonio Diaz

INTER-DEPARTMENTAL OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT

- July** Grant Director Lillian Blondet
Grant Writer Carol Reinoso
Special Proj. Asst. Dorian Gibson

PUBLIC SERVICE AIDE AWARD OF THE YEAR

PSA Natalie Bahamonde

CIVILIAN EMPLOYEE AWARD OF THE YEAR

Nadia Contractor

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

- May** Ofc. Dalia Echevarria
Ofc. Johana Ozuna
June Det. Wesner Moise
Sept. Ofc. Carolina Galvez
Ofc. Vivian Collins
Dec. PSA Tatayana Powell

ADMINISTRATIVE EXCELLENCE AWARD

- Jan.** Sgt. Marcel Jackson
May Ofc. Eric Guzman
Ofc. Jonathan Vazquez
Sgt. Ivan Camilo
Sgt. Alexis Diaz
Lt. Manuel Breu
Lt. Maurice Sodre
Lt. Jean-Paul Guillot
June Sgt. Jerry Dellamico
Aug. Lt. Marc Redondo
Connie Torres
Sept. Juan C. Perez
Oct. Janeisy Aracena
Nadia Contractor
Alicia Harris
Julie Tran
Nov. Sgt. Michelle Verdin
Nathalie Desir
Dec. Doctor Richard Holton
Lt. Conard Chin-Queen
Lt. Manuel Abreu
Sgt. James Randle
Sgt. Frank Espinosa
Sgt. Alexis Diaz
Ofc. Francisco Castano
Ofc. Angel Villegas
Wendell Harris
Francisco Theye
Marys Martinez
Ronja Williams
Carlos Milan

COMMUNITY POLICING AWARD

- June** Sgt. Ubaldo Serra
NRO Anthony Reyes
NRO Orlando Del Valle
Ofc. Jose Castellon-Leal
Ofc. Paul Mclaughlin
Ofc. Joseph Acuna
Ofc. Fidel Castillo-Corrales
Ofc. Rafael Horta
Ofc. Giordao Acosta
PSA Maria Dominguez
Sept. Ofc. Orlando Del Valle
Ofc. Anthony Reyes

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD OF THE YEAR

Ofc. Dalia Echevarria

COMMUNITY POLICING AWARD OF THE YEAR

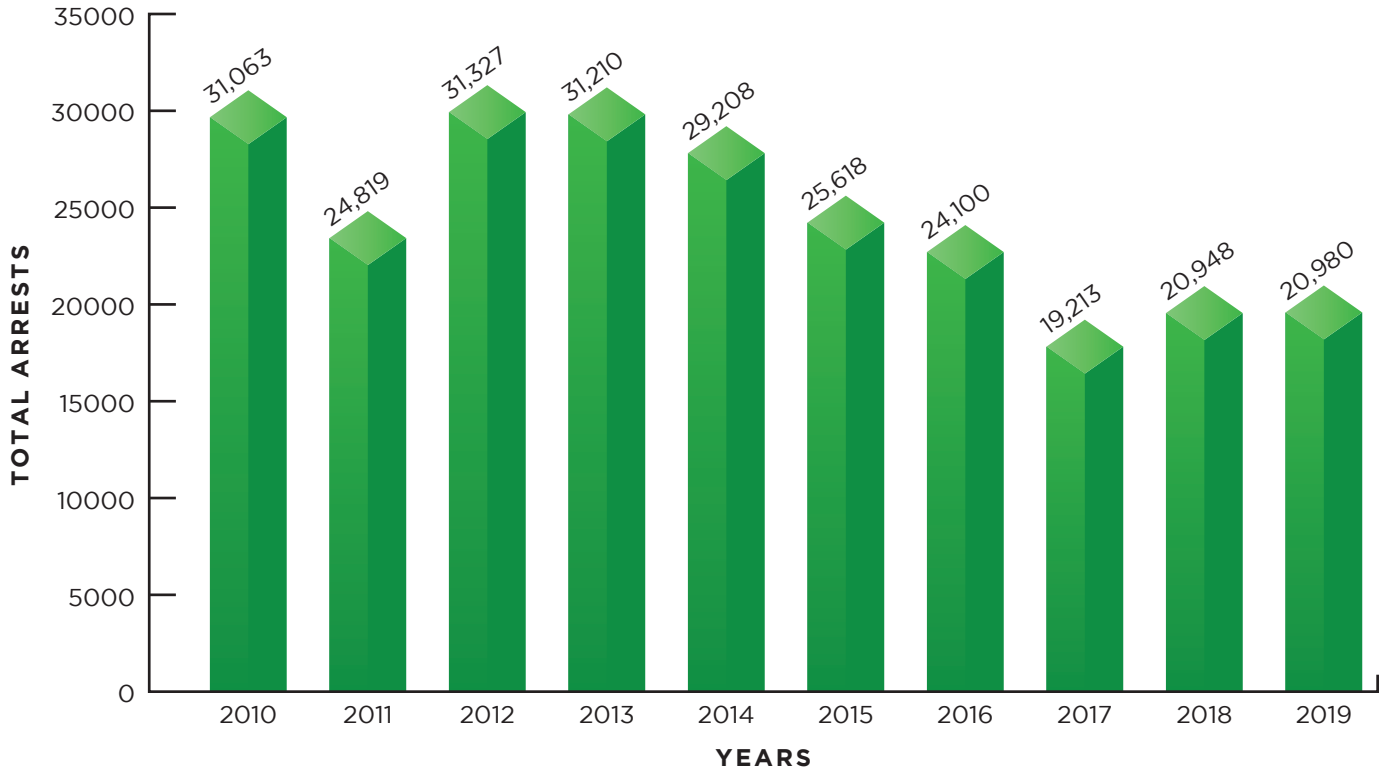
Ofc. Orlando Del Valle
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OFFICER OF THE YEAR

Ofc. Jordany Bahamonde

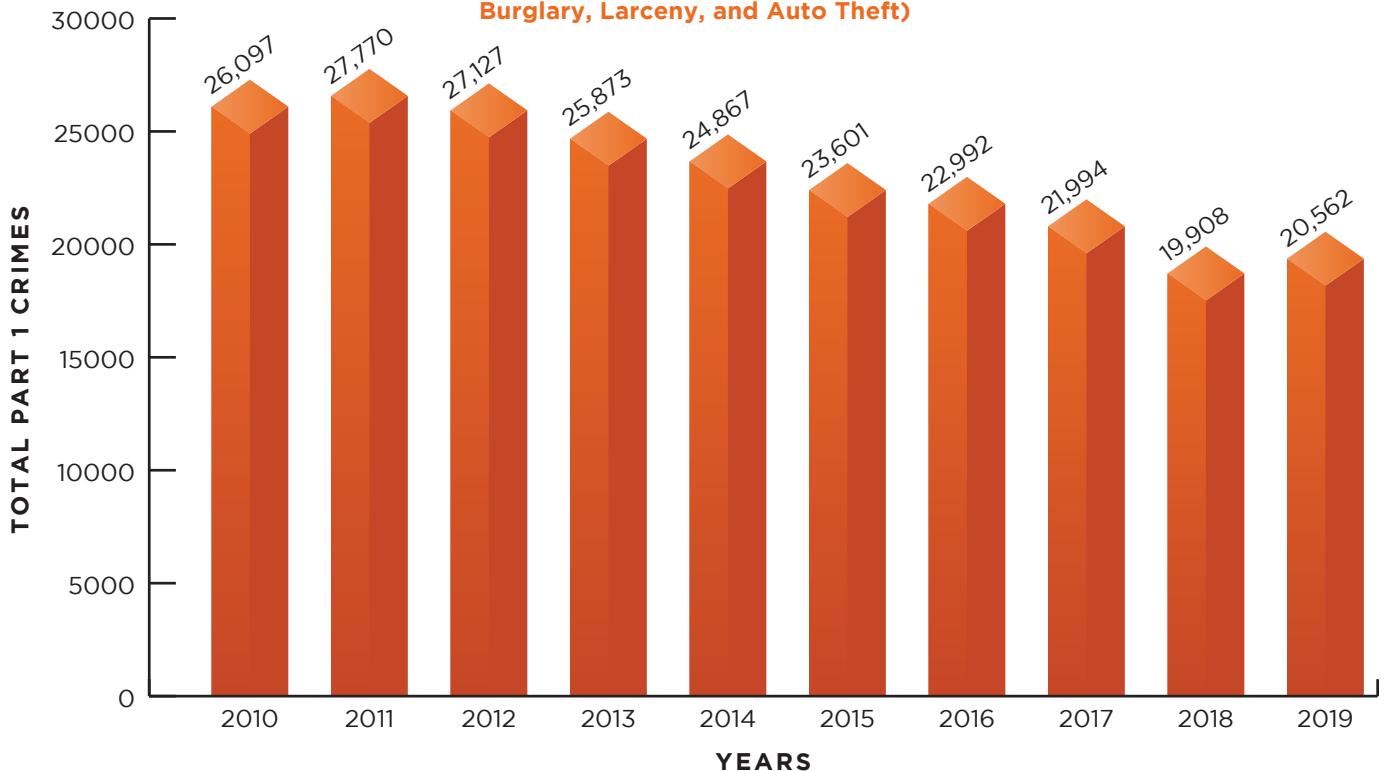
CRIME STATISTICS

UNIFORM CRIME REPORTING TOTAL ARRESTS



CITYWIDE PART I CRIMES

(Homicide, Forcible Sex Offense, Robbery, Aggravated Assault, Burglary, Larceny, and Auto Theft)



CRIME STATISTICS (cont'd.)

10-Year Comparison of Part I Crimes and Arrests, and Part II Arrests

		Murder	Forcible Sex Offense	Robbery	Agg. Assault	Burglary	Larceny	MV Theft	Total Part I	Part II Arrests
2019	CRIMES	43	240	769	1,886	1,771	14,219	1,634	20,562	18,025
	ARRESTS	22	66	219	854	214	1,449	131	2,955	
2018	CRIMES	46	224	828	1,973	2,057	13,136	1,644	19,908	17,770
	ARRESTS	22	71	285	888	254	1,492	166	3,178	
2017	CRIMES	52	175	978	2,203	2,440	14,311	1,835	21,994	16,645
	ARRESTS	10	40	201	706	235	1,210	166	2,568	
2016	CRIMES	55	119	1,443	2,401	2,643	14,335	1,996	22,992	21,137
	ARRESTS	15	31	231	863	306	1,349	168	2,963	
2015	CRIMES	75	103	1,681	2,614	3,109	13,721	2,298	23,601	22,153
	ARRESTS	43	44	302	1,077	349	1,486	164	3,465	
2014	CRIMES	81	125	1,790	2,477	3,659	14,514	2,221	24,867	25,601
	ARRESTS	22	37	256	1,035	283	1,810	164	3,607	
2013	CRIMES	71	125	2,216	2,533	3,993	15,021	1,914	25,873	27,286
	ARRESTS	23	34	305	1,242	316	1,878	126	3,924	
2012	CRIMES	69	100	2,096	2,591	4,255	15,305	2,711	27,127	27,260
	ARRESTS	20	25	280	1,213	326	2,062	141	4,067	
2011	CRIMES	68	130	2,002	2,649	5,141	15,080	2,700	27,770	20,538
	ARRESTS	30	27	295	1,374	442	1,982	131	4,281	
2010	CRIMES	68	73	1,856	2,882	4,604	14,165	2,449	26,097	26,648
	ARRESTS	32	44	306	1,526	487	1,876	144	4,415	
2009	CRIMES	59	91	2,094	2,739	4,856	13,386	2,536	25,761	32,826
	ARRESTS	23	29	372	1,498	521	1,922	171	4,536	

* PART II Arrests include all other arrests that are not a Part I Crime.

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CITY MAP/ STATIONS

Headquarters

400 NW 2nd avenue
Miami, Fl. 33128
305-603-6640



North Station

1000 NW 62nd street
Miami, Fl. 33150
305-603-6870

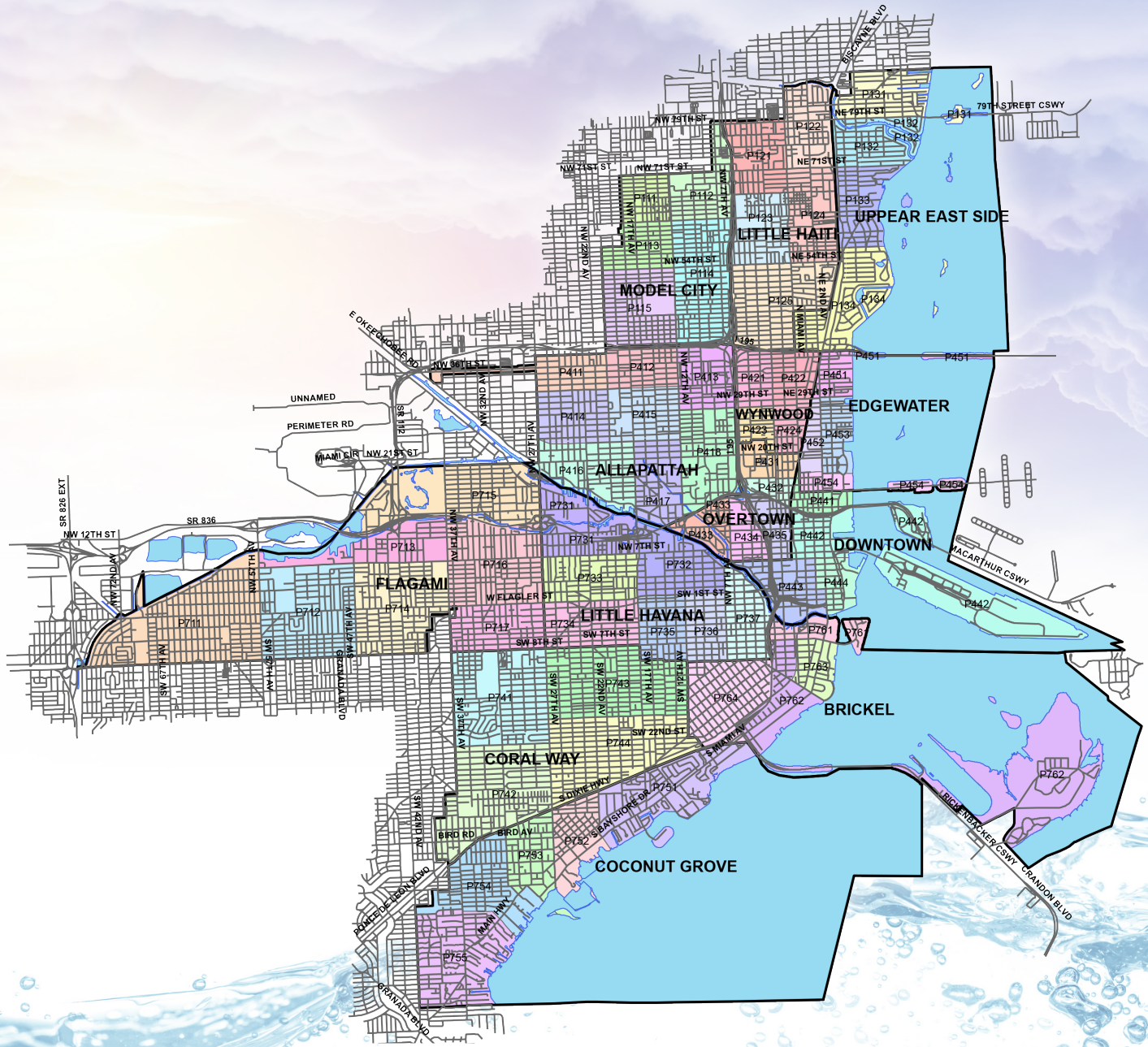


South Station

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Miami, Fl. 33135
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