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PRESS RELEASE

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Tropical Storm Fay Advisory #4 Tuesday, August 19, 2008, 12:00 p.m.

Miami Beach weathered Tropical Storm Fay well, with no reports of flooding and only minor debris. City crews began debris cleanup early this morning. The City will be open for regular business tomorrow, Wednesday, August 20.

Residential Trash Collection

Regular trash and garbage collection has resumed. Residents may place "green" storm-related debris (e.g. trees, palm fronds, etc.) on the curb for pick-up by Thursday, August 21. Residents are reminded to **not** place bulky waste (or other non-green debris, such as construction debris) on the curb unless they have a previously scheduled appointment.

Park Programs

Our after-school programs at parks and recreation facilities will begin tomorrow if school resumes. If school is cancelled tomorrow, the parks programs for registered K-12 children will be available again, as it was on Monday.

Beaches

Lifeguards will return to on-duty tomorrow, Wednesday, August 20. When the beaches are unguarded, swim at your own risk.

Parking Garages

City parking garages remain in normal operations. If you stored your vehicle during normal operations, you will be charged at posted rates.

Communications

For any questions, information and/or concerns, call 3-1-1. Do not call 9-1-1 unless it is an emergency.

Hurricane Plan & Prepare

For tips on hurricane preparations, tune into MBTV77 or go online to www.miamibeachfl.gov and click on the Plan and Prepare icon. Tune-in to MBRadio 1670 AM for traffic and parking updates. Also, sign up for cell phone notifications and E-notifications from the hurricane page or go to the "Resident" portal.

For any additional information, please call the Miami-Dade County Answer Center by dialing 3-1-1.

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