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TO: Mayor Matti Herrera Bower and Members of the City Commission

FROM: Jorge M. Gonzalez, City Manager

DATE: October 28, 2011

SUBJECT: Miami Beach Police Department – Captain's Neighborhood Walks

The purpose of this Letter to Commission (LTC) is to inform you a new initiative being implemented by the Miami Beach Police Department.

As part of the efforts to reinforce accountability and effectiveness, Assistant Chief Ray Martinez has established District Captains (North, Middle, South), which will be responsible for managing all available resources and for addressing all public safety concerns within their area.

Captain's Neighborhood Walks are being scheduled in coordination with homeowner associations, business owners and local residents in order to strengthen police-community relations, as well as establish a proactive approach to identifying trends and needs within the different districts of our City.

The following are the neighborhood walks that have been scheduled to date:

Date	Neighborhood	Meeting Location	Time	District Captain
11/02/11	Palm View Historic District	841 19 Street (Private Residence)	6 pm	Rick Clements
11/07/11	South of Fifth Neighborhood	4 th & Alton Road	7pm	Mark Causey
11/10/11	Collins Park Neighborhood	Miami Beach Regional Library, 227 22 nd Street	5 pm	Rick Clements
11/15/11	North Beach	Stillwater Park, 8840 Hawthorne Avenue	6 pm	David De la Esperiella

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

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