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Dear Neighbors and Friends

November is the month of giving many thanks. We show gratitude to our Veteran's and for the many blessings we have in our lives.

On November 11th, we dedicate a day to the many men and women who have risked their lives for our freedom. Take the time to thank every veteran that crosses your path, for with them we are the land of the free and the home of the brave. As we enjoy our feasts on Thanksgiving day, may we remember all of our blessings, small and large.



I now invite you to read this month's newsletter where you will find information about upcoming community events, county services, October in review and other important legislative updates.

God bless you and your families.

Sincerely,

Happy
Thanksgiving

Esteban Bovo, Jr.

COMMISSIONER'S UPDATES

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Commissioner Esteban Bovo, Jr. &
Senator Rene Garcia invite you to a
Family Movie Night

PRESENTING DESPICABLE ME
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST, 2013
Showtime at 8:00 p.m.

GOODLET PARK
4200 West 8th Avenue
Hialeah, FL 33012

FREE ADMISSION
Free Pop Corn and Snacks
Don't forget to bring your blankets and chairs



Enjoy the City of Hialeah's Annual Tobacco Summit at 5:00 p.m. before show time!
Kid Zone • Keynote Speaker • Food & Drink • College Row



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Community Events

Hialeah

12th - Council
Meeting

THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD 2013
From 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.
NEW TIME

AMELIA EARHART PARK
Shelter 7 8 & 9
401 East 65th Street
Hialeah, FL 33014

COMMISSIONER ESTEBAN BOVO INVITES YOU
TO JOIN HIS FAMILY AND STAFF AT HIS
2ND ANNUAL THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION
WITH SENATOR RENE GARCIA

The first 1,000 families will receive **FREE** produce from
Farm Share

Activities • Food • Entertainment

Commissioner
ESTEBAN BOVO, Jr.
District 13

State Senator
RENÉ GARCÍA
District 38

FARM SHARE

Mobile Constituent Hours

Our monthly Mobile Constituent hours will be **canceled for the month of November and December** due to Holidays. We apologize for any inconvenience.

OCTOBER IN REVIEW

Hialeah Senior Halloween Party

[1st - Annual
Tobacco Summit](#)

[22nd - Tree
Lighting Ceremony](#)

[25th - Turkey Trot](#)

26th - Council
Meeting

[Miami Lakes](#)

[10th - Veteran's
Day Parade](#)

12th - Council
Meeting

30th - Festival of
the Lights

[Palm Springs North](#)

[2nd - 1st Annual
PSN Community
Fair](#)

8th - Civic
Association
Meeting

[Visit
our Community
Calendar](#)



Commissoner Bovo joined Senator Rene Garcia at the Goodlet Senior Center's (left) and Hialeah Housing Authority's (right) Halloween parties.

Stay Connected

Groundbreaking Ceremony

Miami Lakes West Fire Rescue Station 64

Join Our Mailing List!



Joining our Newsletter is easy!

Just send your email address by text message:

Text
COMMBOVO
to **22828** to get started.

Message and data rates may apply.



After many years of planning, on October 29th the Town of Miami Lakes was able to break ground for Fire Rescue Station 64. This project became a reality with the partnership between the State, County and Town. Station 64 will be a 13,512 square foot Silver LEED Certified, two story, three bay Fire Rescue facility. The building is scheduled for completion by December 2014.



**Opening of the New Reverse Osmosis Water
Treatment Plant**

City of Hialeah



On October 28th, the City of Hialeah celebrated the opening of their new Reverse Osmosis Water Treatment Plant. In attendance was Miami-Dade County Board of County Commission Chairwoman Rebeca Sosa, Commissioner Jose "Pepe" Diaz, Hialeah Mayor Carlos Hernandez and members of the council. The invitees were given the opportunity to tour the facility. The plant draws source water from the Upper Floridan Aquifer with an initial production capacity of 10 million gallons per day.



Mater Gardens Hispanic Heritage Celebration



Commissioner Bovo was invited to attend and speak at Mater Garden's Hispanic Heritage Event on October 24th. He spoke about the importance of the children learning about their hispanic roots and embracing them.



BCC Special Presentation

Miss Florida USA 2013 Michelle Aguirre



On October 22nd, Commissioner Bovo had the privilege of presenting Miss Florida USA 2013 Michelle Aguirre a certificate of appreciation for representing her hometown, Hialeah.

Family Movie Night

Norman and Jean Reach Park



On October 18th, Commissioner Bovo and Senator Rene Garcia hosted a family movie night at Norman and Jean Reach Park. Residents were invited to watch Hotel Transylvania, a family-friendly Halloween movie. Families were able to enjoy free snow cones and popcorn. Special thank you to MDX for giving away free sunpasses to families!



Assurant Record Breaking Event





On October 18th, Commissioner Bovo was selected to be an official for Assurant Insurance's attempt to break the World Largest Mobile phone gaming party record. More than 850 employees of Assurant played video games on their mobile devices to set a new world record for the largest mobile gaming party. The largest mobile phone gaming party to date involved 510 participants at Bharti Airtel Ltd - Team Karnataka in Mangalore, India in 2013.

Women's Club Pink Party Event



On October 17th, Commissioner Bovo joined the Hialeah community at the Women's Club of Hialeah's first annual Pink

Party. The club was able to raise over \$5,000 to the Susan B. Cohen foundation for Breast Cancer awareness.



Grand Opening Hialeah Boston Market Event



On October 11th, Commissioner Bovo join the City of Hialeah Chamber of Commerce in welcoming Boston Market to Hialeah!



Miami Lakes Swearing In Ceremony

On October 8th, Commissioner Bovo congratulated and welcomed back Miami Lakes Mayor Wayne Sayton. Councilman Frank Mingo was also sworn in during the ceremony.



BCC Presentation- SWAT Recognition

On October 1st, Commissioner Bovo had the honor of presenting the Hialeah SWAT team with a certificate of appreciation from the County for their courageous acts on July 26th. These men sacrificed their lives for the safety of the residents.



COUNTY SERVICES



Miami Dade County Special Election

The Miami-Dade County Special Elections will take place on November 5, 2013. The election is for the approval of General Obligation Bonds to fund the modernization, improvement and equipping of Jackson Health System's facilities throughout the county.

See [Master Ballot](#)

Hialeah Special Elections

Early voting ends on November 3rd from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

The Hialeah Primary and Special elections will take place
Tuesday, November 5th.
The General Election will be on Tuesday, November 19th.
For more information, please contact the City of Hialeah at
305-883-5800.



**Miami-Dade County Parks
Foundation's Rib Fest**

Join the Miami-Dade County Park Foundation at their annual Miami Rib Fest. The fest will take place from November 1st-3rd at Zoo Miami. There will be award-winning national ribbers competing for "Best" Ribs, Beef Briskey, Pork and BBQ sauce. Along with the delicious food, there will be activities for chidlren, farmers market, motorcycle rally and more! All tickets include admission to Zoo Miami.

For more information - <http://www.miamiribfest.com>

50th ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATION
GOLDEN VETERANS PARADE

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY'S MILITARY AFFAIRS BOARD
 INVITES YOU TO BE PART OF THE

50th ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATION
where South Florida will welcome back our VIETNAM & BAY OF PIGS VETERANS while honoring ALL VETERANS in the Tri-County area.

For more information visit: Facebook: Golden Veterans Parade - Twitter: @GoldenVetParade
www.miamidade.gov/advocacy/military-affairs-home.asp

Be part of this one-time event on November 8th in Downtown Miami. Parade will start at noon down Flagler Street into Bayfront Park for a Commemorative Ceremony and FREE Concert where local and nationally recognized bands will pay tribute to our heroes.

Those wishing to participate/volunteer in the parade please contact the office of Commissioner José "Pepe" Díaz at 305.599.1200

**Miami-Dade County Park Foundation
 2013-2014 Noches Tropicales**



Noches Tropicales and Tropical Nights are produced each year by Miami-Dade Parks to bring communities closer together through the presentation of culturally diverse entertainment that is free and enjoyable for families.

The 2013-2014 Noches Tropicales at Tropical Park include: Tropical/Salsa night featuring Albita on Oct. 18, 2013; Baladas music night featuring Luisa Maria Guell on Dec. 6, 2013; Charanga music featuring Andy Harlow on Feb. 14, 2014; and ending out the season will be Merengue artist Tony Swing on April 4, 2014.

For More information -

<http://www.miamidade.gov/parks/tropical-nights.asp>

COMMUNITY UPDATES



HIALEAH 7th Annual Tobacco Prevention Summit



November 1, 2013



**Mayor Carlos Hernandez
and the City Council invite you to join us!**

ACTIVITIES



Food and Drinks
Games
COLLEGE ROW
Meet representatives from local colleges and universities

STAGE



Live Entertainment
Nationally recognized keynote speaker Brandon Carmichael who has dedicated his life to battling this deadly addiction



MOVIE NIGHT



FREE MOVIE
Despicable Me
Movie starts at 8:00pm
Free popcorn and snow cones



KIDS ZONE



The first 300 kids receive:
FREE Goodie Bags
First 1000 attendees receive free food and drinks
Have fun in our Kids Zone
• Pole Joust
• Team Challenge
• Lazer Maze
• A 32ft Rockwall

FREE ADMISSION AND PARKING
5:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.
Goodlet Park - 4200 West 8th Avenue - Hialeah, FL 33012

Thank you to all of our sponsors for your continued support and for making this event so special!



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FOLLOW US ON:



**Join us at our 1st Annual
Palm Springs North
COMMUNITY FAIR**

November 2, 2013 - 1:00 PM

17687 NW 78 Ave, Miami, FL 33015

For more info call 305-403-6435

**Enjoy Family Fun with Raffles, Fair Rides,
Face Painting, Games, Food Trucks,
Balloon Art, Kid Center, Community
Leaders, Carnival Treats, Entertainment,
Music & More... Everyone is Welcome!**



With over 15 years of experience,
Eddie Blanco, Broker of 5 Diamond
Management & Real Estate welcomes
the Community to be part of our Family.



Sponsored by:



The Town of Miami Lakes, the Cultural Affairs Committee, and the Veterans Committee presents:

34th Annual Veterans Day Parade



JOIN US AS WE SALUTE OUR VETERANS!

Sunday, November 10, 2013

10:00 am

Free Parking at Town Hall: 6601 Main Street

Spectator Grandstands will be located at:

- ★ *Main Street & 67th Avenue*
- ★ *Miami Lakes Drive & Miami Lakeway North*

Ceremony honoring the Grand Marshal and all Veterans will be held on Main Street & New Barn Road immediately after the parade.



For more information contact Special Events Coordinator at (305) 364-6100 or via email at decardenasc@miamilakes-fl.gov.



**OPEN TO
BOYS &
GIRLS
AGES 5-13**



**REGISTER
NOW!**



City of
HALEAH

TURKEY TROT

presented by

Winn-Dixie

Enter 1K run to win Prizes, Trophies,
Thanksgiving Turkeys and Pies!

November 25, 2013

3:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m. - REGISTRATION

5:00 p.m. - FIRST RACE

Milander Park 4800 Palm Avenue



First 400 participants
to register get
a free event t-shirt.



**SPORTS
AUTHORITY**



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FOLLOW
US ON:





UPCOMING EVENTS



Tree Lighting Ceremony

November 22, 2013
6:00 pm



Turkey Trot

November 25, 2013
3:00 pm



Snow Blast

December 14, 2013
5:00 pm



Jose Marti Commemorative Walk

January 26, 2014
10:00 am



Art on Palm

February 22, 2014
12:00 pm

For more information visit our website at:
www.hialeahfl.gov

If you would like to submit a community invitation or update for our next newsletter, please email us at District13@miamidade.gov

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