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# Esteban BOVO, Jr.

Miami-Dade County Commissioner | District 13



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Dear Neighbors and Friends:

I 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.

Will will be collecting unwrapped toys for all ages at our office. Please donate. May God bless you and your families today and always!

Sincerely,

Esteban Bovo, Jr.

## COMMISSIONER'S UPDATES

*Family Movie Nights*

Friday, November 13th

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### Events Around Town

Hialeah  
6th- Tobacco Prevention Summit  
10th- 24th- City Council Meeting

Miami Lakes  
3rd- Town Council Meeting  
8th- Veteran's Day Parade  
20th- Movies in the Park

Palm Springs North  
10th- Civic Association Meeting

### Town Calendars



Miami Lakes

Hialeah

### Stay Connected

Join Our Mailing List!



Joining our Newsletter is easy!

Just send your email address by text message:

Text **COMBOVO** to **22828** to get started.



Message and data rates may apply.



Monsters University  
Friday, November 6th  
Flamingo Elementary School  
701 E 33rd Street



Friday, November 15th  
Despicable Me 2  
HIVE Preparatory School  
5855 NW 171st Street



Friday, November 20th  
Tomorrowland  
Mater Gardens Academy  
9010 NW 178th Lane



## Showtime at Sunset

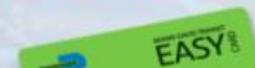
### Bring your Blankets and Chairs!



**Commissioner Esteban Bovo, Jr. and Miami-Dade Transit invites you to register for your Golden Passport EASY Card**

**El Comisionado Esteban Bovo, Jr. y el Departamento de Transporte Público de Miami-Dade le invita a inscribirse para su tarjeta EASY Card del Pasaporte Dorado**

To register, bring your Social



**Security Card and a current valid Florida ID or driver's license.**

**Para inscribirse, traiga su tarjeta del Seguro Social y una identificación válida del estado de la Florida o su licencia de conducir.**



*To continue riding for free, seniors 65 and older receive a Golden Passport EASY Card that is valid for three years. The card must be reactivated every third year in the senior's birth month. For information, call 786-469-5028.*

*Para viajar gratis usando el transporte público, residentes de Miami-Dade de 65 años de edad o más recibirán la nueva tarjeta EASY Card del Pasaporte Dorado que es válida por tres años. Este pasaporte se necesita renovar cada tres años en la fecha del cumpleaños de la persona. Para información, llame al 786-469-5028.*



**Walgreens**



**Free Flu Shots/ Vacunas Gratis  
Gratis/Free Sun pass**

**Miami Lakes Town Hall  
6601 Main Street, Miami Lakes, FL 33014**

**Wednesday/Miercoles 11/4/2015  
10 a.m.— 1p.m.**

**For more information, call 305-820-8424**



**Miami-Dade Elections Department  
Outreach Division**

*“The Best Voter Is a Confident Voter”*

- **Signature Updates**
- **Name Change**
- **Political Party Change**
- **Absentee Ballot Request**
- **Voter Card Replacement**
- **Restoration of Civil Rights Information**



**Wednesday, November 4, 2015**

**10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.**

**Miami Lakes Town Hall**

**6601 Main Street, Miami Lakes, FL 33014**

**For more information please call 305-820-8424**

# Your Voting Precinct May Have Changed

To ensure you know where to  
vote on Election Day, go to  
[www.iamelectionready.org](http://www.iamelectionready.org) or call 3-1-1.

**BE informed.  
BE involved.**



# Calling all High School and College Students

**MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSIONER ESTEBAN BOVO, JR.  
is looking for Interns and Volunteers**

**DO YOU NEED COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS?  
DO YOU WANT TO GAIN EXPERIENCE WORKING FOR COUNTY GOVERNMENT?  
DO YOU WANT TO BUILD YOUR RESUME?**



**CONTACT HIS OFFICE AT 305.820.8424 TO INQUIRE**



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## Mobile Constituent Hours

Our office will be holding mobile office hours every month in order to meet with constituents in the Miami Lakes and Palm Springs North region of District 13.

Monday, November 9th, 1 to 3 p.m.  
Miami Lakes Library Branch  
6699 Windmill Gate Road  
Miami, FL 33014

Monday, November 9th, 3 to 5 p.m.  
Palm Spring North Branch  
17601 NW 78th Avenue  
Miami FL, 33015

Should you need any assistance with Miami-Dade County issues or have any concerns that you would like to address with Commissioner Bovo, please come out and meet with him. No appointments are necessary.

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## Would you like to serve on a board?

Commissioner Bovo encourages you to become a member of one of the many county wide advisory community boards. These boards serve to advise the Board of County Commissioners on a variety of issues.

For a list of District 13's board vacancies, their descriptions and qualifications, please [click here](#).

If interested, please send your resume and contact information to [lborjes@miamidade.gov](mailto:lborjes@miamidade.gov). If you have additional questions please call our office at (305)820-8424.

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## PSN Civic Association



The PSN Civic Association meets every second (2nd) Tuesday of the month at 7:00pm at the Community Center located at Norman Jean Reach Park located at 7901 NW 176 Street.

**OCTOBER IN REVIEW**

## Interview on Issue Reports with Helen Aguirre Ferre



Commissioner Bovo was interviewed on PBS2's Issue Reports with Helen Aguirre Ferre regarding the gridlock in South Florida. Commissioner Bovo spoke about the challenges that are facing the county regarding transportation and his recent work as the Chair of the Transit Committee to expand rail service and legalize services such as Uber and Lyft. To watch the interview please click on image.

## Movie Night at Amelia Earhart Elementary



Miami-Dade County Commissioner Esteban Bovo, Jr. held one of his many movie nights at Amelia Earhart Elementary on Friday, February 23rd. The movie showing was Monsters University, there was a DJ, a magic show, food and refreshments. Thank you Principal Wiggins, faculty, and PTSA members for your commitment to our children!

## 2nd Annual Commissioners Cup



Motor Academy and Westland Hialeah High competed for the second annual

Mater Academy and Westland Hialeah High competed for the second annual Commissioners' Cup when their football teams meet on the field Friday, Oct. 23rd at Traz Powell Stadium. Miami-Dade County Commissioner Jose "Pepe" Diaz, who represents District 12 where Mater Academy is located, and Commissioner Esteban Bovo Jr. of District 13, which includes Westland Hialeah High, are sponsoring the game to celebrate the two schools' friendly rivalry. In addition to awarding the Commissioners Cup trophy to the winning team, each Commissioner will donate \$1,000 to their respective school's athletic department. Mater Academy won 48-6.



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### Beacon Council's 30th Anniversary Annual Meeting



Commissioner Bovo attended the Beacon Council's 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Annual Meeting and presented a proclamation with Commissioner Heyman congratulating the organization on its accomplishments. The Commissioner spoke about the need to have business leaders in Miami Dade County help drive the conversation regarding important topics affecting our community. One topic discussed was transportation and the need to find alternatives for drivers stuck in the gridlock.

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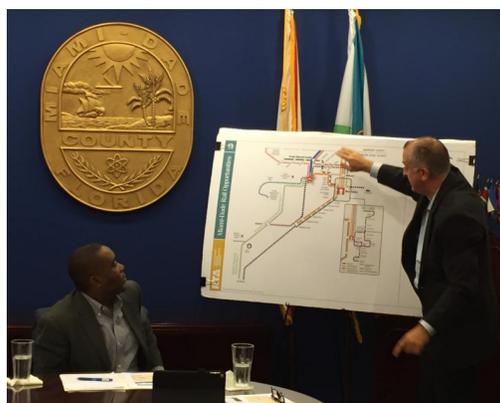
### Meeting with Baggage Wrap Companies





Recently the Board of County Commissioner considered legislation that would regulate baggage wrapping at the airport. Commissioner Bovo met with the various companies to hear their concerns with the legislation.

### Sunshine Meeting with Chair Monestime



Commissioner Bovo recently met with Board of County Commissioners Chairman Jean Monestime to discuss transportation in Miami-Dade County. Commissioner Bovo updated the Chairman on his recent work to bring commuter rail service to the western portions of the county. Using existing freight rail lines that run parallel to SR 836 (Dolphin Expressway) the county could extend rail service to approximately to 137 Avenue. This new service would impact approximately 250,000 people who live and work within one mile of the rail line.

### Amelia Earhart Dog park Tree Planting with UPS



UPS presented the Miami-Dade Parks Department (MDPR) a \$25,000 grant for tree planting in Miami Dade County Parks. Commissioner Bovo joined MDPR for the unveiling of the grant and to help plant trees at the Amelia Earhart Dog Park in District 13.

### Movie Night at His House Children's Home





Miami-Dade County Commissioner Esteban Bovo, Jr. joined founder Myriam Masihy of Kakes for Kids during the October birthday celebration at His House Children's Home. There was a DJ, a magic show, food and refreshments. Thank you His House Children's Home and Kakes for Kids for allowing us to show the movie and for your commitment to our children!

### Movie Night at Palm Springs North Elementary

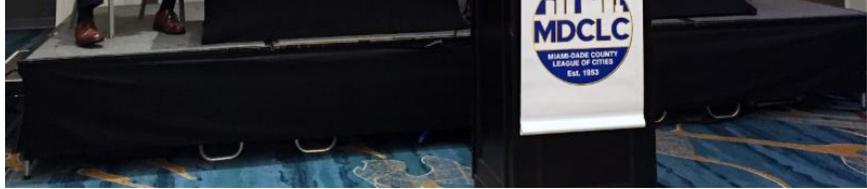


Miami-Dade County Commissioner Esteban Bovo, Jr. held one of his many movie nights at Palm Springs North Elementary School on Friday, October 9th. The movie showing was Big Hero 6, there was a DJ, a magic show, food and refreshments. Thank you Principal Dotres and faculty for your commitment to our children!



### Miami Dade County League of Cities (MDCLC) Best Practice Conference





Commissioner Bovo participated in two panel discussions at the MDCLC Best Practices Conference. The first panel discussion was regarding the future of transportation in Miami Dade County. Commissioner Bovo presented his plan to utilize existing freight rail lines for passenger rail service. The Commissioner also spoke about the need to pass legislation legalizing services such as Uber and Lyft which will be part of the solution to alleviate traffic. The second panel discussion was regarding Commissioner Bovo's legislation that has been presented to the Board of County Commissioners to allow for cities to take over Special Taxing Districts completely within city boundaries. This would allow for local municipalities to oversee and manage the districts in an effort to provide better service to residents.



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### Sunshine Meeting with Commissioner Barbara Jordan



Commissioner Bovo and Commissioner Jordan met to discuss transportation in the northern sections of Miami Dade County. The Commissioner explained his plan and vision for utilization of freight rail lines for passenger service. Commissioner Bovo and Jordan discussed possible solutions for the north corridor that runs along NW 27 Avenue. Some possible solutions were constructing a light rail system or bus rapid transit with a dedicated lane to operate on 27 Avenue.

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### Miami Lakes Adult Education Program Check Presentation

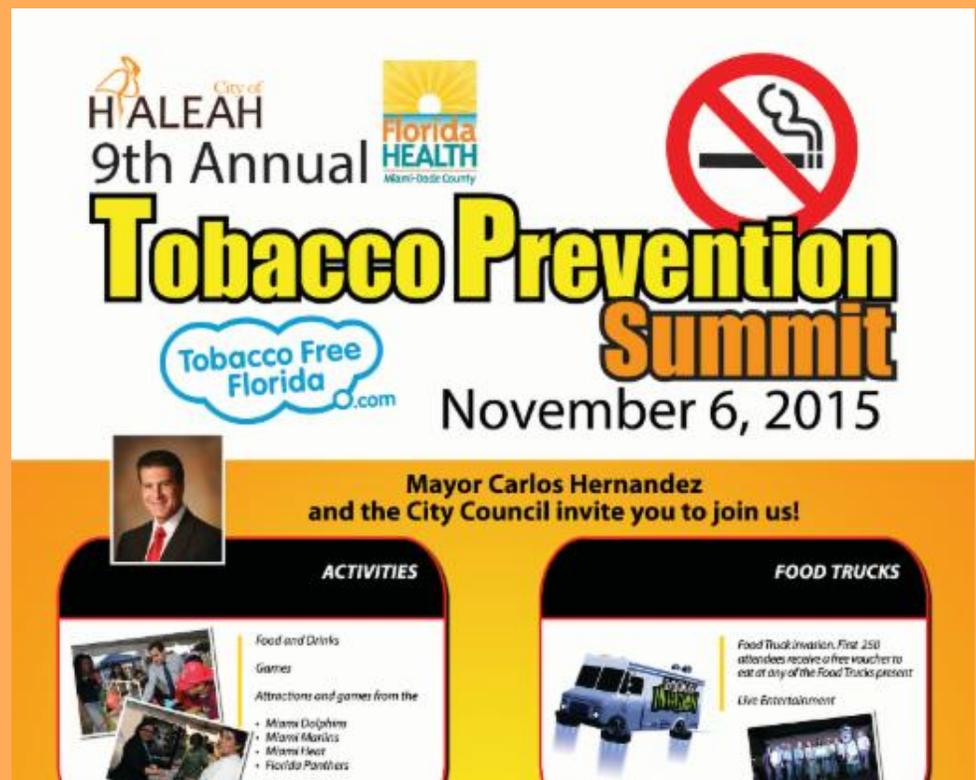


Commissioner Bovo presented the Town of Miami Lakes with a \$15,000 check to help fund

Commissioner Bovo presented the Town of Miami Lakes with a \$15,000 check to help fund the Adult Educational Program for six months. The Town recently lost the funding for the program from Tallahassee. Commissioner Bovo agreed to help fund the program after the Town approached him to see if there were county funds that could be used to maintain the program while the Town administrators look for other sources of funding.

[View All Photo Galleries Here](#)

## COMMUNITY UPDATES



The poster features logos for the City of Hialeah, Florida Health (Miami-Dade County), and Tobacco Free Florida.com. A prominent red circle with a slash over a cigarette icon is positioned to the right of the main title. The date November 6, 2015, is displayed in large black text. Below the title, a portrait of Mayor Carlos Hernandez is shown next to an invitation from the City Council. Two rounded rectangular boxes at the bottom describe the event's activities and food trucks.

City of  
**HIALEAH**  
9th Annual

Florida  
**HEALTH**  
Miami-Dade County

**Tobacco Prevention Summit**

Tobacco Free Florida.com

November 6, 2015

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

**ACTIVITIES**

Food and Drinks  
Games  
Attractions and games from the

- Miami Dolphins
- Miami Marlins
- Miami Heat
- Florida Panthers

**FOOD TRUCKS**

Food Truck Invasion, First 250 attendees receive a free voucher to eat at any of the Food Trucks present

Live Entertainment

**HEALTH FAIR**



**Health Fair**  
Benjamin Leon School of Nursing  
at Adams-Deane College

- Specialty Courses Counseling & Education
- Blood Pressure Checks and Referrals
- AHA's Heart-Checkup and Referrals
- Diabetes Assessment, Blood Glucose Testing, Referrals
- Diabetes Education: How to Avoid Sugar Snaps, Insulin and Medication Counseling
- HIV Assessment and Education Referrals

**KIDS ZONE**



**Have fun in our Kids Zone**

- Park Tour
- Team Challenge
- Love Kite
- A Zzzt Rockstar!

**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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#HISPANICHERITAGE

## Every 67 seconds someone in US develops Alzheimer's.

If you or your loved one has been diagnosed with Alzheimer's or a related dementia, this course will benefit you.



## Managing Alzheimer's and Dementia for the Caregiver

### Learn:

- Warning Signs of Alzheimer's
  - Memory loss, Decreased or poor judgment, changes in mood/personality
- Hands-on Care
  - Safety (preventing falls)
  - Medication management
  - Behavior management
  - Feeding / Aspiration
  - Turning / Lifting Techniques
- Challenges of Caregiving
- And more...

Please inquire about dates, times, and locations available for registration. Course to be held at various locations in Miami-Dade. Classes available in English & Spanish.

For more information, please contact:  
Oylime Fernandez, LCSW, MBA  
[oferandez.hscdf@gmail.com](mailto:oferandez.hscdf@gmail.com)

Certificate of Completion provided by Miami Dade College School of Continuing Education & Professional Development at the end of the 16 hour course.



**NSCFF**  
Neuroscience Centers of  
Florida Foundation, Inc.

in partnership  
with



**Miami Dade  
College**  
Medical Campus

## Certificate Course for the Caregiver of People with Alzheimer's and Related Dementia in Partnership with Miami-Dade College School of Continuing Education

Are you a Caregiver to someone with Alzheimer's or Dementia? At a loss for what to do at times? You can learn EXACTLY HOW to turn & lift a person without injury, prevent falls, proper feeding techniques, deal with challenging behavior, manage their medications, and reduce your stress while providing the best care possible!

Call Oylime Fernandez, LCSW, MBA at (305) 856-8940, extension 104, to get more information about this HANDS-ON CAREGIVER COURSE offered throughout Miami-Dade County. Get your Certificate of Completion proving you have the knowledge of how to best care for people with Alzheimer's and related Dementia!

Neuroscience Centers of Florida Foundation (NSCFF) has partnered with Miami-Dade College to bring this workforce educational opportunity to all in Miami-Dade County.

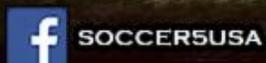
**MIAMI'S PREMIER  
4G TURF FIELDS**

**SOCCER5**  
*Hialeah*

**SOCCER 5 HIALEAH  
AMELIA EARHART PARK  
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HIALEAH, 33013**



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# Miami Water Sports Complex



Amelia Earhart Park

401 E 65 Street

Hialeah, FL 33013

[miami@aktionparks.com](mailto:miami@aktionparks.com)



The Miami Watersports Complex is the latest in watersports park design! This watersports park is the best way to learn and enjoy wakeboarding, wakeskating, wakesurfing, kneeboarding and waterskiing. Through its affiliates, MWC has established itself as the best place to learn how to progress in the different disciplines of watersports. MWC is set up with two full size cable systems with the latest design and technology to help in a riders success. In addition MWC offers a two-tower system and a boat lake all in the crystal clear water of Amelia Earhart Park!

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

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