GOOD MORNING, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN!

THANK YOU FOR THE INTRODUCTION, FROGGY.

IT'S MY PLEASURE TO WELCOME YOU ALL TO THE 6TH ANNUAL DAN MARINO WALKABOUT AUTISM & EXPO.

CREATING AWARENESS AND CRUCIAL FUNDS FOR AUTISM SERVICES IS SOMETHING THAT COMMISSIONER DIAZ AND I STRONGLY SUPPORT.

AND WHAT BETTER PARTNERS CAN WE HAVE TO CHAMPION FOR THIS IMPORTANT CAUSE THAN CLAIRE AND DAN MARINO?

SINCE STARTING THE DAN MARINO FOUNDATION IN 1992, CLAIRE AND DAN HAVE RAISED MORE THAN \$55 MILLION TO CREATE INITIATIVES TO EMPOWER PEOPLE WITH AUTISM AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES.

AND SINCE CREATING THIS WALK AND EXPO SIX YEARS AGO, THE DAN MARINO FOUNDATION HAS RAISED MORE THAN \$2.6 MILLION TO PROMOTE AUTISM AWARENESS.

BECAUSE OF THEIR EXEMPLARY CONTRIBUTIONS TO OUR COMMUNITY, COMMISSIONER DIAZ AND I WOULD LIKE TO PRESENT THE DAN MARINO FOUNDATION WITH THIS PROCLAMATION.

[READ PROCLAMATION TO DECLARE SATURDAY, JANUARY 23, 2016 AS THE 6TH ANNUAL DAN MARINO FOUNDATION WALKABOUT AUTISM & EXPO DAY]

I'D ALSO LIKE TO THANK ALL OF THE DONORS WHO HAVE SUPPORTED THIS WORTHY CAUSE, AND THANK AND CONGRATULATE EVERYONE WHO IS WALKING ON BEHALF OF AUTISM AWARENESS TODAY.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN, MAY GOD BLESS YOU ALL AND MAY GOD CONTINUE TO BLESS MIAMI-DADE COUNTY!