

DISTRICT 3 TODAY Commissioner Keon Hardemon



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Dear Neighbors and Friends:

This new year is filled with hope and opportunity for our community. Your County Commission continues to work hard to solve some of the biggest challenges we face today.

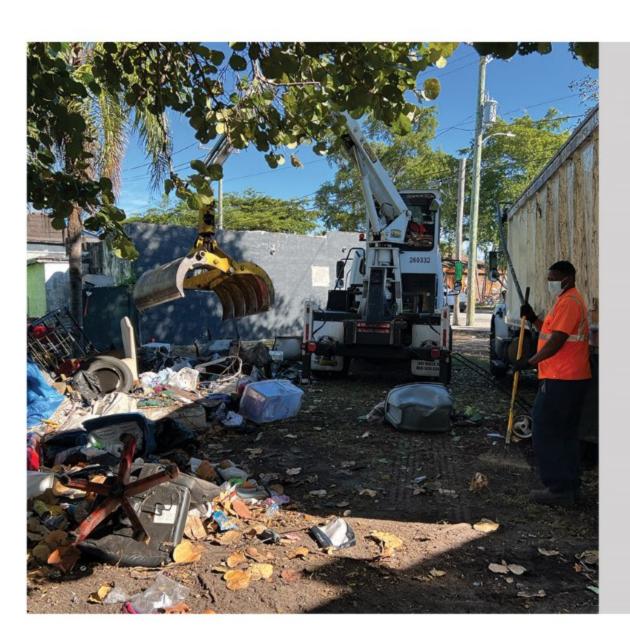
In this edition of District 3 Today, you will learn about our continued progress. We celebrated the reopening of the only remaining James E. Scott building, cleaned up a major illegal dumping site, introduced new electric buses, and sponsored an immigration clinic in Little Haiti.

2023 is going to be an exciting year for us. I look forward to hearing from you and assisting you to solve our community issues together.

Warm regards,

Keon Hardemon

Miami-Dade County Commissioner



OVER 18,000 POUNDS OF ILLEGAL DUMPING WAS CLEANED ON NW 18TH AVE.

The Clean Community Initiative is part of a continued effort to keep our community safe and clean. On January 10th, the Office of Commissioner Keon Hardemon partnered with multiple county departments to clean three lots on NW 18th Ave and NW 68th Street. Over 18,000 pounds of trash was removed.



LAST REMAINING JAMES E. SCOTT BUILDING REOPENS AS AN AFFORDABLE HOUSING SITE

Commissioner Keon Hardemon, county officials, family, and friends gathered to celebrate the grand opening of the last remaining James E. Scott housing site in Liberty City.

Designated as a historic landmark by the Miami-Dade Historic Preservation Board, the building's original housing structure, facade, roofing, and interior has been renovated to house four new families at an affordable price.

Commissioner Hardemon explained that the James E. Scott community taught him the importance of having pride in your place, and that "a kid from Liberty City can be anything he wants to be."

The building is named after James E. Scott, the first administrator of the Liberty Square Public Housing Development. It's also the location were Commissioner Hardemon was born and raised.



MIAMI-DADE COUNTY ROLLS OUT 75 NEW ELECTRIC BUSES

Miami-Dade County announced the purchase of 75 new electric buses at a press conference outside the Stephen P. Clark Center. The new e-buses will help reduce taxpayer dollars, improve the county's fleet, and provide a better transit rider experience.

The county also unveiled new passenger shelters with better shade, new trash cans, bike racks, and improved pedestrian accessibility.





HUD AWARDS OVER \$21 MILLION TO MIAMI-DADE COUNTY HOMELESS TRUST

The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) awarded over \$21 million to the Miami-Dade County Homeless Trust. The allocated funds will be used to improve street outreach and develop permanent housing for the county's homeless population.

COMMISSIONER KEON HARDEMON VISITS MIAMI SHORES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Commissioner Keon Hardemon celebrated Women's International Day with teachers, staff, parents, and business owners at Miami Shores Elementary School.

The day was filled with joy as Commissioner Hardemon read "The Smart Cookie" to over 50 students and visited classrooms during the school's tour.



COMMISSIONER KEON HARDEMON SPONSORS IMMIGRATION ASSISTANCE CLINIC IN LITTLE HAITI

The Office of Commissioner Keon Hardemon partnered with the Office of New Americans to host a temporary protected status and work authorization assistance clinic. Hundreds of residents who were seeking immigration help received legal assistance at the Caribbean Marketplace in Little Haiti.





THE 46TH ANNUAL MLK PARADE & COMMUNITY BREAKFAST







