

# NEWS RELEASE

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Date: October 27, 2022

Subject: Hometown Heroes Parade

Miami-Dade County will host the **Hometown Heroes Parade** on Sunday, Oct. 30, 2022, to celebrate the sacrifices first responders and healthcare workers have made for Miami-Dade County residents, especially during the COVID-19 Pandemic.

The parade procession will begin at 11 a.m. starting on Biscayne Blvd. from the Intercontinental Hotel, and concluding at the FTX Arena's Parcel B. The parade will include local healthcare professionals, police, fire departments, elected officials, marching bands and many more. After the parade, guests can enjoy a waterfront parade on Biscayne Bay that will celebrate healthcare workers, the U.S. Coast Guard, fire departments, and police. Additional programming will include vessels with water-spraying features, jet ski aerialists and a flyboard aerialist. Enjoy interactive activities, art displays, food trucks, live performances and more at the Family Fun Fest located at the FTX Arena's Parcel B. The event will begin at 12pm and free of charge for all attendees!

- Traffic will be able to cross on an intermittent basis on N.E. 5<sup>th</sup> and N.E. 6<sup>th</sup> Street in and out of the port.
- Drivers in the area should expect delays.
- The street closure(s) will begin at approximately 5 a.m.
- The on ramp onto 395 East from Biscayne Boulevard at N.E. 11<sup>th</sup> Street, will be remain open.
- Motorists are encouraged to take alternate routes if they need to travel in the vicinity.
- City of Miami police officers will be placed along the closure for high visibility purposes and pedestrian/traffic assistance.
- Streets will re-open for vehicular traffic at approximately 2pm.

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