

# MIAMI BEACH

OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER

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LETTER TO COMMISSION

TO: Mayor Philip Levine and Members of the City Commission

FROM: Jimmy L. Morales, City Manager

DATE: February 24, 2014

SUBJECT: Junior Lifeguard Program Symposium

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The purpose of this Letter to Commission (LTC) is to cordially invite you and members of the City Commission to the First Annual Junior Lifeguard Program Symposium, which will be held February 27 through March 1, 2014, at the Miami Beach Ocean Rescue Headquarters, 1001 Ocean Drive. The symposium will be jointly hosted by the Miami Beach Ocean Rescue/Lifesaving Association and the Pompano Beach Lifesaving Association.

Thursday, February 27, 2014 at 5 p.m.-Meet and Greet  
Friday, February 28, 2014 at 9 a.m.-Welcome and Introductions  
Saturday, March 1, 2014 at 9 a.m.-Welcome and Introductions

The symposium is designed to assist agencies looking to develop and/or expand a junior lifeguard program in their communities, review program curriculums, and make contact with sponsors, vendors and suppliers. There are many agencies in the region that need solid healthy programs like this for our young adults and this program will definitely guide the agencies and our children in the right direction. These programs often become self-sustaining as the popularity grows and there are waiting lists for many junior lifeguard programs throughout the country.

We hope that you can attend the First Annual Junior Lifeguard Program Symposium. Enclosed you will find an itinerary with more information.

Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions.

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# Friday, February 28, 2014

## (Day 1)

### Agenda

8:00 - 9:00 am  
9:00 - 9:10 am  
9:10 - 9:30 am  
9:30 - 9:45 am  
9:45 - 10:45 am

Registration  
Welcome  
Introductions  
Goals and Objectives  
Miami Beach Ocean Rescue  
Fire Chief Virgil Fernandez  
Scott Reynolds, Operations Supervisor  
Lt. William MacDonald  
Lt. Gerry Falconer  
Lt. Richard McKinnon  
Lucas Bocanegra  
Bill Geddes & Jacqueline Boulis

10:45 - 11:00 am  
11:00 - 12:00 am

Break  
Pompano Beach Junior Lifeguard Program  
Fire Chief Michael Hohl  
Captain Jo Wagenhals  
Chris Nowviskie  
Pompano Beach Junior Lifeguards Parents Association, Inc.  
Nemia Schulte and/or Mark Kersey,

12:00 - 1:15 pm  
1:15 - 2:15 pm  
2:15 - 2:45 pm  
2:45 - 3:00 pm  
3:00 - 4:30 pm  
4:30 - 5:00 pm  
6:30 pm

Lunch  
Other Agency Presentations  
Vendor Presentations  
Break  
Curriculum & Standards  
The Junior Lifeguard Program moving forward  
Clevelander Happy Hour & Dinner TBD



# Saturday, March 1, 2014 (Day 2) Agenda



8:00 - 9:00 am	Registration
9:00 - 9:30 am	Welcome & Day 1 Recap
9:30 - 10:00 am	New Participant Introductions
10:00 - 10:30 am	Break
10:30 - 11:45 am	Equipment Demo & Discussion
11:45 - 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 - 2:30 pm	Junior Lifeguard Program Development & Interactive Workgroup
2:30 - 3:00 pm	Wrap up!