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## MEDIA ALERT

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### Coast into the Weekend on a Water Taxi

– Ribbon Cutting to Celebrate New Water Taxi Service in Miami Beach –

**WHO/WHAT:** The City of Miami Beach has teamed up with Water Taxi Miami to offer another way for residents and visitors to cruise between Downtown Miami and South Beach. Starting this month, you can now hop on board at the Purdy Avenue Dock in the Sunset Harbour neighborhood to enjoy the beautiful views and a stress-free ride to the mainland.

On Friday, January 13 at 3 p.m., join Miami Beach city officials and Water Taxi Miami for the ribbon cutting ceremony to celebrate the launch of this pilot program.

Water taxi pick up locations on Miami Beach include the Purdy Avenue Dock and Miami Beach Marina, and City of Miami stops are Bayside Marketplace and Sea Isle Marina. Days of operation from the Purdy Avenue Dock are from Friday to Sunday, using a 38-passenger vessel with the ability to accommodate bicycles.

One way fare prices are as follows: \$15 for adults and children five years of age and older; \$7.50 for children one to four years of age; children under one are free; \$10 for military, senior citizens 65 years of age and older, and Miami Beach residents. There is a monthly pass option for \$95 and an annual pass for \$295. For details on the water taxi schedule and roundtrip fare, visit [www.watertaximiami.com](http://www.watertaximiami.com).

**WHEN:** Friday, January 13, 2017 at 3 p.m.

**WHERE:** Purdy Avenue Dock (18 Street and Purdy Avenue), Miami Beach

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