

NEWS RELEASE

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MIAMI POLICE DEPARTMENT

Date: March 9, 2015

Subject: 2015 CALLE OCHO STREET FESTIVAL



The Annual Calle Ocho Street Festival will take place on Sunday, March 15, 2015 and officially starts at 11:00 AM and ends at 7:00 PM. This year, the Calle Ocho Festival will take place on S.W. 8 Street from S.W. 27 Avenue to S.W. 8 Avenue.

Streets closures are as follows:

- Beginning on Saturday, March 14, 2015, at 11:30 PM, eastbound traffic on S.W. 8 Street from S.W. 27 Avenue to S.W. 7 Avenue will be closed. Traffic traveling eastbound on S.W. 8 Street will be detoured north or southbound on S.W. 27 Avenue.
- Miami- Dade Transit buses which normally travel along S.W. 8 Street, will be detoured. Please check with Miami-Dade Transit Agency for further information at (786) 469-5420.
- S.W. 7 Street will remain open westbound until S.W. 8 Ave, then detoured north.
- Residents that live in the area will be allowed access on a “local traffic only” basis to S.W. 7 Street on the north side or on the south side of S.W. 9 Street.

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 to provide assistance.

S.W. 8 Street will reopen for vehicular traffic by 5:00 AM on Monday, March 16, 2015.

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