

# POLICE BEAT

## CELEBRATING MULTIMODAL TRANSPORTATION WEEK



The Surfside Police Department proudly participated in Florida's second annual statewide Mobility Week from October 25 to November 1, 2019. The week promotes multimodal transportation and brings attention to safe multimodal transportation choices. Initiatives such as Surfside's Bike with the Chief community ride were spotlighted during Mobility Week. Tiffany Gehrke (second from right), the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) District Six Bike/Pedestrian Coordinator joined the Caption on the ride through Surfside's beautiful neighborhoods.

## POLICE KEEP SURFSIDE HALLOWEEN FUN & SAFE



Surfside Police Officers distributed candy throughout the residential neighborhood to the excited and happy trick or treaters on Halloween.

## THRILLS & EXCITEMENT AT CITIZENS POLICE ACADEMY CLASSES



The 18th Citizens Police Academy classes in October included SWAT and Taser presentations (far left), a Crime Scene hands on demonstration from Crime Scene Investigator Sharon Plotkin (below far left) and a thrilling visit to the Miami-Dade Fire Rescue Department, Station 25 at Opa Locka Executive Airport for Air and Fire Rescue presentations (At left top and bottom).



## OFFICER ARIOL LAGE JOINS THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

Officer Ariol Lage was recently sworn in as the newest police officer for the Surfside Police Department on November 19, 2019. In 2018, he attended the Police Academy as a member of Basic Law Enforcement class #342.



(L-R) Captain John Bambis, Chief Julio Yero, Officer Ariol Lage, Lt. Antonio Marciano and Lt. John Healy.

After graduation, he joined the Hialeah Police Department as a police officer and proved himself to be a dedicated and responsible employee. Born in Havana, Cuba, Ariol Lage came with his family to Hialeah, Florida at the age of four. Congratulations to Ariol and we welcome him to the Surfside Police Department family!