

DAVIE POLICE DEPARTMENT  
MEMORANDUM

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DATE: 24 May 1999  
TO: Mr. Harry Venis, Mayor  
FROM: Sgt. Carl Fitzgerald *cl*  
SUBJECT: Davie Police Honor Guard Attendance/ Participation  
79th Anniversary - Miss America Pageant - Atlantic City New Jersey

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On behalf of the members of the Davie Police Honor Guard, we are requesting to attend and participate as the official honor guard for the 79th Anniversary Miss America Pageant during the week of September 13 - 19, 1999.

The Davie Police Honor Guard has attended this nationally televised event, for the past 16 years, as the official honor guard for the reigning Miss America. The honor guard has paid for the flags, rifles, and uniforms without expense to the Town.

The Honor Guard have been called upon to represent the Town of Davie, the Town Council, Davie/Cooper City Chamber of Commerce, Criminal Justice Institute, The Multi-Agency County Honor Guard, and several other community events; volunteering their time to represent our community with no expense to the Town.

In previous years, the Town has approved the administrative leave for the officers to attend this event, and allotted the sum of \$3,500.00 to assist in the partial cost of traveling to and from Atlantic City, New Jersey. The remaining cost of the trip has been paid by the officers.

Therefore, the members of the honor guard wish to continue this prestigious tradition of representing the Town of Davie at the 79th Anniversary of the Miss America Pageant. We would like to thank-you and the Town of Davie in approving this request, and allowing the honor guard to continue in this great endeavor.

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