

NEWS RELEASE

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MIAMI POLICE DEPARTMENT



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Subject: MOTORCYCLE SAFETY INITIATIVE

The Miami Police Department is collaborating with the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) to start the Motorcycle Safety Initiative for 2021. The City of Miami is known for great year-round weather and beautiful scenery for motorcyclists to enjoy however, whether you're commuting to work or riding for pleasure, the Miami Police Department and FDOT want your ride to be safe.

Starting June 1, 2021, motorcycle safety literature will be provided to motorcyclists throughout the City of Miami. We will conduct enforcement to reduce motorcycle-related crashes and fatalities. First time violators committing minor infractions will be issued a warning and educated on motorcycle safety. Those observed committing serious violations or any violations that could cause harm or injury to the rider or others will be addressed accordingly.

As part of the initiative, officers from the Traffic Enforcement Unit will be available and participating in group or club meetings to discuss motorcycle safety (via ZOOM due to COVID 19 protocols). If your group is interested, please contact our Traffic Enforcement Unit to schedule a meeting at 305-603-6540.

We are looking forward to providing a safe and enjoyable riding environment for all motorcyclists!



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