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City of Miami Police Charity Bike Ride

The City of Miami Police are fighting blood cancer one mile at a time, pedaling 260 miles from Miami to Orlando in support of Blood Cancer United (formerly The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society).

After months of intense training and countless miles on the road, 19 Miami Police officers are ready to take on the challenging charity ride that begins the early morning of October 1st.

Miami Fire Rescue will also be present for support alongside Miami Police in the fight against blood cancer.

This year's ride is held in honor of Patricia 'Patty' McCrink — the beloved wife of Detective Joseph McCrink, a 28-year veteran of the Miami Police Department — whose life has been deeply affected by blood cancer. Just three months ago, Patty celebrated the completion of her cancer treatment for stage 4 Non-Hodkin Lymphoma.

For the past 8 years, Detective McCrink has dedicated himself to raising funds and awareness for cancer research.

Members of the local media are invited and encouraged to attend.

When: October 1, 2025

Time: Staging 5:45 AM (Rideout is approximately 6:30 AM)

Where: Bayfront Park, 301 N. Biscayne Blvd (near the fountain)

More: Patricia McCrink's Courageous Battle

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