# March Officer of the Month

Officer Tammy Campbell responded to a call of a suspicious person at a Surfside home and determined the subject was looking for a juvenile who lives at the home. Officer Campbell interviewed the subject at the scene and he admitted that he was in possession of narcotics. The subject was arrested for possession of stolen credit cards, narcotics and drug paraphernalia. Officer Campbell also determined that the adult subject was having an inappropriate relationship with the juvenile. Officer Campbell assisted the Criminal Investigations Unit with the interview of the victim and determined he had been the victim of a sex crime in Miami Beach. After a further investigation, the Miami Beach Police Department arrested the subject on additional felony charges.

Officer Campbell was recognized and commended for her dedication and commitment to the community. She displayed great investigative skills and teamwork in this case. Congratulations!



Officer Tammy Campbell with Chief David Allen.

# **Student Picks Officer As Most Admired**

Stella Cohen, a Surfside resident and daughter of Steven and Michele Cohen, was given a school project at Ruth K. Broad K-8 Center to draw a picture of the person they most admire. Stella chose Surfside Officer Dianna Hernandez. Her picture included her badge, police uniform and even her



pink handcuffs. Officer Hernandez was honored and flattered by Stella's choice for her school project.

## **June 17 Anti-Defamation League Seminar**

The Surfside Police Department will host an Anti-Defamation League (ADL) Awareness Seminar for community leaders and local law enforcement on Tuesday, June 17, 2014 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Commission Chambers. The event is by invitation only.

Director Robert Tanen of the ADL will be the guest speaker. The training will focus on an overview of the importance of security for the Jewish community and what can be done locally to help protect its facilities and an interactive case study session with mock security scenarios and strategic planning.

#### Surfside Police to Host Training with Miami-Dade Fire Rescue

From June 3–5, the Surfside Police Department will host training with the Miami-Dade Fire Rescue Department regarding response to high rise fire incidents. Police officers from Bal Harbour, Bay Harbor Islands, Indian Creek, Sunny Isles and Golden Beach Police Departments will also participate. The training will focus on police and fire coordination of personnel and equipment, the on-site incident command system at urgent situations and the proper and safe emergency response and tactics for police officers at high rise fires.

# **DMV Visiting Surfside on July 2**

Community Outreach Specialists from the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles (DMV) will be setting up a mobile DMV at Town Hall on Wednesday, July 2, 2014 from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the **2nd floor Police Training Room.** Contact Dina Goldstein at (305) 861-4862 and note identification requirements on the website: townofsurfsidefl.gov.

### **Proclamation Honors Melissa Moonves**

Melissa Moonves, pictured with Mayor Daniel Dietch, was honored with a Town proclamation for the many years of community service she and her husband, Yves, have given to Surfside in the past 20 years. Among many



organizations, Melissa has served the Women's Fund, the PTA at Ruth K. Broad K-8 Center and, in 2012, spearheaded the establishment of the community garden in 2012, where she has served as president. The Moonves are moving to Seattle to be close to their children and grandchildren.