



SURFSIDE POLICE DEPARTMENT

AWARD OR COMMENDATION

Date of occurrence: May 2, 2023

Employee Name: Ronald Donoso

Classification: Police Officer

Unit/Division: Patrol

Award/Commendation type and recommendations: May Officer of the Month

On May 2, 2023, Officer Ronald Donoso was dispatched to a call for service at 9200 Collins Avenue (Residence Inn by Marriott) regarding a 911 hang-up. Officer Donoso was in route to the call when he observed unusual behavior from a female at the Northwest corner of Collins Avenue and 90th Street. She was leaning against the concrete wall with a shirt covering her head. Officer Donoso proceeded to his assigned call however he remained concerned for the wellbeing of the female. Once the call was cleared, Officer Donoso responded to the location she was last seen noticing she was now sitting down. Without hesitation, Officer Donoso approached her and asked if she was alright. She replied she needed medical help because she believed she was having a stroke. Officer Donoso immediately requested assistance from Miami-Dade Fire Rescue who treated the patient and released her on scene.

Officer Donoso's proactive policing and remarkable instincts were exhibited during this unforeseen medical emergency. Officer Donoso went above and beyond the call of duty potentially saving this individual's life. Officer Donoso is commended for his praiseworthy actions along with the dedication and professionalism he demonstrates every day. Congratulations to Officer Ronald Donoso as the recipient of the May Officer of the Month award...well deserved!