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The City of North Miami Beach to Unveil New Martin Luther King Jr. Statue in Remembrance of the Selma To Montgomery March of 1965

NORTH MIAMI BEACH, FL – The City of North Miami Beach Mayor and Commission will join the community on **Monday, March 20, 2023**, to unveil a new statue honoring Martin Luther King Jr. at MLK Linear Park. The event, sponsored by Commissioner Daniela Jean, remembers MLK and all those who marched from Selma, Alabama to the capital City of Montgomery from March 7th - March 21st of 1965 to ensure that African Americans could exercise their Constitutional right to vote. The unveiling ceremony will begin with a symbolic walk from Washington Park Community Center at 15290 NE 15th Court, to the site of the statue unveiling at MLK Linear Park at NE 15th Court and NE 153rd Terrace.

Check-in for guests and media will open at 9:30AM. The walk from Washington Park Community Center will begin at 10:30AM and the statue unveiling ceremony at MLK Linear Park will commence at 10:45AM.

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About the City of North Miami Beach

Truly at the “Crossroads of South Florida,” North Miami Beach is located midway between Miami and Ft. Lauderdale and adjacent to the Golden Glades Interchange where I-95, Florida’s Turnpike, and the Palmetto Expressway meet. The central location, easy access, and major arteries including West Dixie Highway, Biscayne Boulevard, and 163rd Street, have transformed North Miami Beach into one of South Florida’s best known regional destinations for dining, shopping, and business ventures. The City is operated by 460 full-time employees and 10 departments. For more information, visit www.CityNMB.com