



Town of Miami Lakes

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UNITED STATES FLAG RETIRED AT CEREMONY IN MIAMI LAKES

Local Miami Lakes Cub Scout Troop 660 held special flag retirement ceremony at Town Hall

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

December 11, 2007 (Miami Lakes, Florida) –The Town of Miami Lakes, in conjunction with the Miami Lakes Cub Scout Troop 660, hosted a special flag retirement ceremony on Saturday December 8, 2007 at 12:30PM in Town Hall.

When the United States flag (Old Glory) becomes worn, torn, faded or badly soiled, it is time to replace it with a new flag, and the old flag is hence "retired" with all the dignity and respect befitting our nation's flag. Members of the Cub Scout Troop 660 participated in the ceremony dedicated to retiring the Town's US Flag on display at Town Hall. With the help of the Cub Scouts and their participation in the ceremony, the flag was properly retired and replaced with a new one.

The Town of Miami Lakes would like to take this opportunity to thank all the members of the Miami Lakes Cub Scout Troop 660 that participated in this effort and greatly commend the group's commitment to serving this community.

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ABOUT THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES

The Town of Miami Lakes is a 25,000 resident town spanning 6.8 square miles in Northwest Miami-Dade County within the State of Florida. The area where the Town is now situated was originally purchased in the 1930's by Senator Ernest R. Graham. The Town of Miami Lakes incorporated on December 5, 2000 becoming the thirty-second of thirty-four municipalities in Miami-Dade County, Florida. More information on the Town and its government can be found at www.townofmiamilakes.com or by calling 305-364-6100.

Pictures:



Picture of Cub Scout Troop 660 posing with Town Council members Roberto Alonso, Richard Pulido and Vice-Mayor Nancy Simon



Cub Scouts Juan Bules, Ariel Martinez, Eric Bello and Mr. Manny Viera prepare flag for retirement