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POLICE DEPARTMENT
PRESS RELEASE

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FLPD PROMOTIONS

The Fort Lauderdale Police Department invites the public and the media to join us in congratulating the following officers on their recent promotion.

The promotional ceremony will be held at Colee Hammock Park located at 1500 Brickell Drive in the City of Fort Lauderdale on Wednesday, May 21st at 1:45 P.M.

UPDATED 05.20.14

Sergeant: April Reddish

April Reddish has been a member of the Fort Lauderdale Police Department since 2005. She has served the department in the Crime Analysis Unit as an Analyst, the Operations Bureau as a Patrol Officer and the Criminal Investigations Division as an Economic Crimes Detective. Her most recent assignment was in the Criminal Investigations Division as a detective in the Intelligence Led Policing Unit. April has also been a member of the department's Critical Incident Stress Debriefing Team since 2013. April has a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice from Armstrong Atlantic State University in Savannah, Georgia and a Master's Degree in Criminal Justice from Nova Southeastern University. She is the recipient of 9 Departmental Commendations and 8 Public Commendations. Prior to joining the Fort Lauderdale Police Department, April served as a deputy with the Liberty County Sheriff's Office.

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Sergeant: John Jensen

John Jensen has been a member of the Fort Lauderdale Police Department since 1998. He has served in the Patrol Division, Street Narcotics Unit and Major Narcotics Unit. John's most recent assignment was detective assigned to the South Florida Money Laundering Task Force. He was a member of our Honor Guard from 2001 to 2006 and current member of our Special Weapons and Tactics Team (SWAT). John has an Associate's Degree in Criminal Justice from Broward College, the recipient of 11 Departmental Commendations and 12 Public Commendations. Prior to joining the Fort Lauderdale Police Department, John served with the United States Navy and was an officer with the Florida Marine Patrol.

Sergeant: Michael Gaffey

Michael Gaffey has been a member of the Fort Lauderdale Police Department since 2006. He has served in the Patrol Division as an officer and field training officer, and detective in the Street Crimes Unit. His most recent assignment was detective in the Property Crimes Unit and he is a member of the Department's Special Weapons and Tactics Team (SWAT). Michael has a Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice from Shorter University in Rome, Georgia. He is the recipient of nine Public Commendations and six Departmental Commendations. Prior to joining the Fort Lauderdale Police Department, he served with the United States Marine Corps, a deputy with the Fairfax Sheriff's Office and a police officer with the Arlington County Police Department.

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