## BAL HARBOUR

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August 29, 2018

Mr. Al Eskanazy Mr. Barry Skolnick Greater Miami-Miami Beach Police Foundation 4775 Collins Avenue Suite 3603 Miami Beach, Florida 33140

Dear Al and Barry:

On behalf of the Bal Harbour Police Department, I would like to thank you for your contribution in support of our 2018-2019 Back to School Initiative. The goal of this initiative was to provide students from low income households with the essential supplies needed for them to succeed throughout the school year.

With your support alone, we were able to purchase 168 back packs, which were bundled with donations made by other community partners. These donations included pencils, color pencils, erasers, paper and other basic school supplies. The items were delivered to underprivileged children who attend Paul Laurence Dunbar K-8 Center in Miami's Overtown. The positive impact this initiative has on our youth, which was evident by the sincere appreciation and smiles of all the children and parents in attendance, would not be possible without your kind and thoughtful donation.

In addition, I would like to recognize Mr. Stephen Temes and his young daughter Lindsey for their genuine willingness to assist and participate in our event. We were honored with their presence, and I commend them for sharing our same commitment to making a difference in our community's youth.

I invite you to visit our official **Bal Harbour Police Department** Facebook page for pictures of this memorable event and I want to thank you once again for your very generous contribution. I look forward to our continuing partnership.

Sincerely,

Raleigh Flowers Jr. Chief of Police