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EYES ON THE STREET

■ The Brickell Area Association conducted its inaugural “Brickell Walk About” on Tuesday, March 17 with 50 participants comprised of BAA members and directors, public officials and interested members of the Brickell community. Led by BAA President Randy Olen and Commissioner and DDA Chairman Joe Sanchez, the walk-about was intended to put “eyes on the street” and garner greater focus on critical infrastructure needs in the Brickell corridor.

BAA has become increasingly concerned with the “deteriorated condition of the public domain in Brickell and absence of corrective action with regard to persistent flooding, street cleaning, street lighting, traffic signalization issues and broken sidewalks”. The organization hopes that walking the Brickell corridor with interested officials of the City of Miami, FDOT, MDTA and Miami DDA will trigger real improvements and serious reinvestment in Brickell, which is a financial engine for Miami and an internationally recognized brand.