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Dear Safe Haven Supporters, Sponsors, Ambassadors and Volunteers,

Our 5th annual 5k Walk was a fun family day for all in support of our mission to save the lives of the most innocent and helpless among us, newborns. It was truly a beautiful Florida day. As we do each year, we release butterflies right before we begin the walk. The butterflies represent a new beginning as does a Safe Haven for Newborns. What a photo opportunity! Butterflies landing on peoples noses, shoulders, fingers.....

This year we were honored that Steve Stowe, Vice President/Executive Director of Miami Heat Charitable Fund, was our Grand Marshall. Everyone enjoyed seeing him and hearing his message of support for our mission. We are thrilled that he announced he will be with us again next year. We are so appreciative that Miami-Dade County Commissioner Esteban Bovo presented a proclamation to us from himself, Mayor Carlos A. Gimenez, and the Members of the Board of County Commissioners on behalf of Miami-Dade County and the Community. Medley Mayor Roberto Martell spoke recognizing the good works of A Safe Haven for Newborns and committed his continued support. Thank you so much Mayor Martell.

We are so very blessed for our Safe Haven family: Norris Perez, the Walk Chair for all five years and the entire Walk Committee, the "Gourmet Cooks" Henry Delgado and his (youth) team of helpers, Joe Perez, Emcee Pete De La Torre, Photographer Cristina Sullivan, DJ Jorge Barrios, Gloria Burns-Community Newspaper, a special invocation by Connie Rengifo, a beautiful Pledge of Allegiance by Bella Crespo, Katty Payne-Web master,

Digital Express Printing, Interviewer Joane Torres, our many volunteers, and our Safe Haven partners-Bobby Williams and the Hialeah Fire Rescue team, the American Medical Response team, Mount Sinai and Aventura Medical Center.

We are so grateful to all of our Sponsors and supporters, without your support we could not do what we do. This year we raised \$40,079.00, every dollar is spent to save precious lives and assist pregnant women in need/crisis.

A very special thank you to Miami-Dade County Commissioner Estefan Bovo for his on-going support.

As always, sending you my best wishes,

Nick
Founder A Safe Haven for Newborns