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Miami-Dade County Public Works and Waste Management Department Christmas Holiday Schedule

(MIAMI-DADE, FL – December 12, 2011) – Customers of the Miami-Dade County Public Works and Waste Management Department (PWWMD) should note that because Christmas Day, December 25, falls on a Sunday this year, the holiday will be observed by Miami-Dade County government on the following day, Monday, December 26, 2011. Garbage and recycling collection services and disposal operations will observe the following holiday schedule:

Curbside Garbage and Trash Collection Service

There will be **NO** collection of garbage or trash on **Monday, December 26, 2011**. Miami-Dade waste collection customers who are serviced on Mondays are asked **NOT** to place their green waste carts at the curb that day. Garbage collection for these customers will take place on their next regularly scheduled collection day, **Thursday, December 29, 2011**. Customers are reminded to **place their green waste carts at the curb by 7 a.m. on their collection day**. Please note garbage collection on December 29, 2011 may take place later than customers are used to; residents are asked to be patient as all garbage will be picked up December 29, 2011.

Curbside Recycling Service

Curbside recycling service **WILL** take place as normally scheduled for customers whose recycling collection day falls on Monday, December 26, 2011. Customers serviced this day are reminded to **place their blue recycling carts at the curb by 7 a.m.**

Disposal Facilities

Sunday, December 25, 2011: The Department's disposal facilities, including the Transfer Stations, Landfills, Resources Recovery Facility, and Neighborhood Trash and Recycling Centers, will all be **CLOSED**.

Monday, December 26, 2011: The Department's disposal facilities, including the Transfer Stations, Landfills, Resources Recovery Facility, and Neighborhood Trash and Recycling Centers, will all be **OPEN** and observing normal hours of operation.

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Home Chemical Collection Centers

The Department's two Home Chemical Collection Centers will be **CLOSED** Sunday, December 25, 2011.

Administrative Offices

The Department's administrative offices will be **CLOSED** on Monday, December 26, 2011.

For more information on the Department's Christmas Day holiday service schedule, call 3-1-1 or visit **www.miamidade.gov/dswm**.

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