## TEAMSTERS HISPANIC CAUCUS FLORIDA CHAPTER

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The Teamsters Hispanic Caucus Florida Chapter is very proud to invite you to our <u>Sixth Annual Gala Banquet</u> and award presentation to be held October 10th, 2015 at the <u>Hilton Miami Airport Hotel, 5101 Blue Lagoon Drive, Miami FL 33126</u>. Cocktails will be served at 5:30 p.m., seating begins at 6:00 p.m., and the program will start at 6:30 p.m.

Due to your tremendous support and UNITY, our past Banquets have been a huge success. Through your generosity we were able to make significant donations to the <u>Shriners Hospital for Children</u>, <u>The American Cancer Society</u>, <u>The Wounded Warriors Project</u>, <u>HOPE Children's Home, Children's Home Narcoosee</u>, <u>Mami Dora Foundation</u>, <u>iPods for Wounded Veterans</u>. In addition, we are proud to announce we are the <u>largest contributor</u> to the <u>Scholarship <u>Funds</u> of the (3) <u>Local Unions</u> that participate within our <u>Teamsters</u> Hispanic Caucus Florida Chapter.</u>

This year we have chosen <u>Florida Coalition Against Human Trafficking</u>, an International and Domestic anti-trafficking Agency which is a 501(c)(3) organization that has been helping victims of Human/Labor trafficking since its creation in 2004. Also, we have selected a local charity in Broward County Florida, the <u>Markham Park Trail Building Fund</u> which is a Florida non-profit corporation with the sole purpose of raising and managing funds for the building and maintenance of adaptive trails for riders with disabilities which serve to be both physically and mentally therapeutic.

We are honored to acknowledge the following individuals for their outstanding leadership:

Ferline Buie - IBT Vice President at Large / President Joint Council 55 / President TLU 922
Roger Sanchez - Southern Region Vice President Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees Division
Gregory Floyd - IBT Trustee / President and Business Representative TLU 237
Gary Kaleskas - Trustee and Business Agent TLU 79
Enrique Aboy - Shop Steward TLU 385
Steve Myers - Business Representative TLU 769

This Gala Banquet is the major fundraising event of the Teamsters Hispanic Caucus Florida Chapter. By purchasing an Ad in our program, you will be helping fund our **Scholarship Programs** and assist in providing a generous donation to **Florida Coalition Against Human Trafficking** and **Markham Park Trail Building Fund.** 

The cost of the ads are as follows:

Please make your checks payable to <u>Teamsters Hispanic Caucus Florida Chapter</u>, and e-mail your Ads as a <u>Word</u> document (for better printing) to <u>IBTOLGA79@aol.com</u>. <u>Deadline for tickets and Ad money is September 26, 2015</u>. Artwork for Ads must be <u>received by September 30, 2015</u>. For your convenience, a block of rooms has been established under the "<u>Teamsters Hispanic Caucus Florida Chapter</u>" group name, at <u>\$139.00 per night</u>. Please call (305) 265-3859 for hotel reservations <u>no later than September 7th, 2015 to insure you get the negotiated rate</u>.

Thank you for your support and solidarity.

In Unity,

Olga F. Gonzalez President