Greetings!

Welcome to D4 in Action! This will be a quarterly news updates, on what’s happening in district 4. As we move farther into 2018. I invite you to take a moment and look back on what we have accomplished and will continue to work towards in our future as residents of this great city.

As your Councilman I believe that one of the most critical aspects of Public Service is giving back to the community. As a leader, I consistently advocate for you on the City Council daily, I also fight hard to improve the quality of life for all residents of District 4.

It is a privilege to represent a community that embodies togetherness and people working together for the common good. By working as one district, we are creating a new vision, a District 4 where we can rebuild the economic security of our working class families and NW 7th Ave business sector.

Accomplishments

- Creating Chinatown/Innovation Corridor
- NoMi Golden Silver Senior Program
- Leaders in Training
- Eat Healthy in D4 -Food Distribution
- Neighborhood Clean-Up Program
- Utility Assistance Program (Water Bill Assistance Program)
- New Home Repair Program
  (New Grass and Sprinkle System Program)
- Home Beautification
- Street Pavement Program
- More After School and School Camps Program in D4
- New Youth Soccer Program partnering with US Soccer Foundation

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Honorable Councilman Alix Desulme
City of North Miami, District 4
Councilman Alix Desulme alongside performing artists Dru Hill, headliners for this year's City of North Miami Music in the Plaza & Food Truck Expo.

Councilman Alix Desulme, Councilman Scott Galvin, City Manager Larry Spring, and Deputy City Manager Arthur Sorey III. Pictured on the performing stage in the plaza of North Miami's Museum of Contemporary Art February 24, 2018.

Councilman Alix Desulme, Deputy City Manager Arthur Sorey, Recording artist Karen White, Councilman Philippe Bien-Aime, and Police Chief Larry Juriga. February 24, 2018

Councilman Alix Desulme and The City of North Miami Council did special presentations in honor of Women's History Month and Youth Art Month. They were honored at The City of North Miami's March 13, 2018 Council meeting.

Councilman Alix Desulme, Micheal McDermid a community leader, NMSHS staff and a lucky prize winning student at the City of North Miami's Black History Pop-Up shop. Students were gifted with prizes, scholarships, and made aware of beneficial programs. Held at North Miami Senior High School on February 16, 2018
Councilman Alix Desulme alongside Marie Frantz Jean-Pharuns, Housing & Social Services Manager and her staff Cecelia Rojas, Keren Fredrick, Marie Joseph, Shenell Cooper, and Daniel Calixte that help maintain our NoMi Golden Silver Senior Program. This is the 3rd annual NoMi Golden Silver Senior Luncheon. Held January 17, 2018 in North Miami’s very own Joe Celestin center.

Councilman Alix Desulme alongside two honorees Garth Reeves, 98, publisher emeritus of The Miami Times and Bea Hines Miami Herald Columnist. The City of North Miami proudly hosted the 3rd Annual Evening of Honors in recognition of local public school visual and performing art educators. It was held February 23, 2018.

Councilman Alix Desulme alongside NoMi Senior program participant Chandra Bisnath.

Councilman Alix Desulme, Councilman Philippe Bien-Aime, CRA Director Rasha Soray-Cameau, and MADD city participants. Held January 13, 2018 in MOCA Plaza, the North Miami Community Redevelopment Agency (NMCRA) and the City of North Miami featured a performance by Angie Stone with an event showcasing the City’s unique offerings.

Councilman Alix Desulme alongside family in District 4 who got a pleasant surprise for the holidays. A bedroom set for a little girl who did not have a bed set was donated in partnership with the Knights of Columbus Community Leader Michael McDearmaid and Stembridge Furniture. John Stembridge of Stembridge furniture exceeded expectations by giving her a bedroom set. Held on December 22, 2017.
City of North Miami 43rd Annual Winternational Thanksgiving Day Parade

Councilman Alix Desulme celebrating at the City of North Miami’s 43rd Annual Winternational Thanksgiving Day Parade. Wishing all the participants and residents Happy Holidays. November 23, 2017.

Councilman Alix Desulme taken with former U.S. House of Representative members Carrie Pittman-Davis Meek and her son Kendrick Meek.

City of North Miami District 4 Thanksgiving Turkey Distribution

Councilman Alix Desulme distributing turkeys to residents as they line up. The event was held in North Miami’s Sunkist Grove Community Center. Residents were given a free turkey, dry food, and canned goods for their Thanksgiving Day celebration. November 19, 2017.

Councilman Alix Desulme alongside volunteers from Joshua’s Heart a not-for-profit organization dedicated to the fight against hunger and poverty and School Board Member Dorothy Bendross Mindingall who also supported during the distribution.
District 4 Business Workshop

Councilman Alix Desulme hosting a Business Workshop in District 4 of North Miami which featured an interactive symposium on “How to do business in the City of North Miami.” November 6, 2017.

Veterans Day

Councilman Alix Desulme alongside Mayor Smith Joseph, Councilwoman Carol Keys, and Councilman Philippe Bien-Aime as they take part in a Veterans Day commemoration. November 11, 2017

District 4 Townhall Meeting

Councilman Alix Desulme pictured alongside Marie Frantz Jean-Pharuns speaking to District residents about information on the Chinatown Cultural Arts & Innovation District, parks and recreation programs and home improvement assistance programs. November 7, 2017.

District 4 Home Beautification Program

Residents signing up for the District 4 Home Beautification Program.
Councilman Alix Desulme is participating in the North Regional Tie Tying Ceremony of the 5000 Role Models of Excellence Project. Pictured with a North Miami Senior Highschool student he ties their very first tie as they take part in the program. October 17, 2017.

Councilman Alix Desulme alongside Police Chief Larry Juriga and a program participant. A Community Food and Supplies Distribution courtesy of Joshua’s Heart Foundation and Feed the Children was held for the residents in The City of North Miami affected by Hurricane Irma. September 21, 2017.

Councilman Alix Desulme taking part and distributing supplies to residents.
Hurricane Irma Relief

Councilman Alix Desulme passing out water door to door to residents in The City of North Miami. In the aftermath of Hurricane Irma he was there to reach as many residents as possible. The water distributed was donated by Commissioner Sally Heyman. September 14, 2017

Councilman Alix Desulme alongside North Miami residents as they are hard at work cleaning up the damages from Hurricane Irma. We are restoring our city to get back to some sense of normalcy as we assess the various communities.

As I was doing this, I ran into the Principal of Ben Franklin K-8 Center Dr. Fabrice Laguerre. He was cleaning up the front yard of the school setting an excellent example of leadership, and showing a genuine commitment to the community.

Former North Miami Mayor, Andre Pierre is another great public servant who participated in the clean-up process. I am so proud of the residents of North Miami. September 12, 2017.
District 4 School Supply Drive

A joint event between Councilman Alix Desulme and the EYT Foundation. Backpacks filled with school supplies were given to children in the North Miami area. August 5, 2017.

TPS Discussion


District 4 BLOCK PARTY

Councilman Alix Desulme hosted a District 4 Blockparty featuring a streetscape ribbon cutting. Community resources were offered for residents of all ages. He is pictured alongside City Manager Larry Spring, Deputy City Manager Arthur Sorey III, Senior Program Coordinator Daniel Calixte and residents. July 7, 2017.

Community Tree Planting & Giveaway

Councilman Alix Desulme joined by residents for a community tree planting along with distribution of educational resources and free fruit tree giveaways. June 17, 2017.
Independence Day Celebration


Shanghai Delegation visit

Councilman Alix Desulme alongside members from the Shanghai Delegation. July 20th, 2016

Members of the Shanghai Delegation
Streetscape Improvement Projects

Councilman Alix Desulme alongside Mayor Smith Joseph, Councilwoman Carol Keys and other City of North Miami City officials. The City of North Miami hosted the groundbreaking ceremonies, marking commencement of several streetscape improvement projects citywide.

District 4 Townhall Meeting

Councilman Alix Desulme alongside Mayor Smith Joseph, Councilman Philippe Bien-Aime, and Councilwoman Carol Keys as they present a Key to The City of North Miami in celebration of Women's History Month to the First Lady of the Republic of Haiti, Martine Moise. March 29, 2017.

City of North Miami Black History Month Visit

Councilman Alix Desulme alongside Dr. Cornell West, Mayor Smith Joseph, Councilwoman Carol Keys, school officials Schoolboard members Dr. Steve Gallon III and Dorothy Bendross Mindingall.

2nd Annual Music in the Plaza

Councilman Alix Desulme alongside performing and recording artist Monica, Deput City Mnager Arthur Sorey III, Derrick Corker Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Director, and Public Information Officer Kassandra Timothe. Monica is being presented with a certificate for her participation in the City of North Miami's 2nd Annual Music in the Plaza.