From: RODERICK WILLIAMS <roderick.williams@cityoforlando.net>
Sent: Monday, June 13, 2016 7:09 PM
To: OFD Dept
Subject: FLAGS AT HALF STAFF

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
Flag Status: Flagged

OFD,

Until further notice, all flags should be flown at half staff. Please ensure that this is done if it has not been already.

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Mark,

Thank you for the kind words, thoughts, and offer for assistance. The men and women of O.F.D, Orange County Fire Rescue and other public safety agencies that responded to this incident did so in a manner that I could not be prouder of. We will rise above this, will continue to take care of each other, and take care of the citizen's and visitors of Orlando that we have sworn to protect! If we have any need I will be sure to let you know. Please keep us in your prayers.

Chief Williams

On Mon, Jun 13, 2016 at 8:15 AM, Lee, Mark (NBCUniversal, Orlando) <Mark.Lee@universalorlando.com> wrote:

Good Morning,

This tragedy has hit us all home, and personally I am feeling useless and just not knowing what I can do. I am a member of Universals Out Diversity Group and we are meeting today at noon to talk about Universals response to this and what we as a company and a group of caring individuals can do to help. Our company president has already sent a note to all 20,000 employees sharing his feelings and dedication of Universal to help in the healing. First I want you to know that I hold all your staff in high regard and know that this incident has affected everyone, whether they responded or not. Personally if there is anything I can do to help you please do not hesitate to contact me day or night. When our out group meets I would love to have any needs that you as a fire department have from this event or what you would need in the future. From feeding your staff at station 5 for the next few days while they help the investigation, staff to assist with admin……. Please let me know if there is anything we can do. OFD has a special place in my heart and you are in my thoughts and prayers.

Mark Lee

Universal Parks and Resorts
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Thanks,

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Tisa will be able to respond to the PRR.

Warm regards,
Brooke
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---------- Forwarded message ----------
From: Yourish, Karen <karen.yourish@nytimes.com>
Date: Sun, Jun 12, 2016 at 2:23 PM
Subject: From NYT
To: Cassandra.Lafser@cityoforlando.net
Cc: Archie Tse <tse@nytimes.com>, Anjali Singhvi <anjali.singhvi@nytimes.com>, Ford Fessenden <fordfess@nytimes.com>, Larry Buchanan <lawrence.buchanan@nytimes.com>, Yuliya Parshina-Kottas <yuliya.parshina-kottas@nytimes.com>

Hi Cassandra,

We just spoke on the phone. Can you help us find the floor plan for the Pulse nightclub?

My cell phone is 202-253-5753.

Thanks so much,
Karen

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Universal Studios called and wanted to know if OFD needed anything? Also, my Pastor Rollie Murray said he will come to you for prayer and support.

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OFD Family,

Many of you were planning on attending the presentation in Council Chambers tomorrow at 10am to support the "My Brother's Keeper" initiative. Due to recent events, all Council Chambers activities have been cancelled for June 13th and will be rescheduled at a later date.

Thanks to all that were planning on attending.

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From: RODERICK WILLIAMS <roderick.williams@cityoforlando.net>
Sent: Sunday, June 12, 2016 6:09 PM
To: OFD Dept
Subject: OUTSTANDING EFFORTS

OFD Family,

As we keep the victims and their families in our prayers, I would like to take this moment to acknowledge all of the heroic efforts by the Orlando Fire Department, the Orlando Police Department and all other supporting agencies that have put their lives on the line to protect others. We are stronger together, and you have proven such in the face of tragedy.

Thank you,

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From: TAMMY HUGHES <tammy.hughes@cityoforlando.net>
Sent: Sunday, June 12, 2016 5:29 PM
To: RODERICK WILLIAMS
Subject: Re: Exit blocked

No, the Company fire inspection was conducted on May 27th, FSM received the inspection from the company officer on the June 6, and it was processed on the 6. It was in the stack to be assigned and it was assigned to the Fire Inspector for follow up. I just had kim reassign the fire inspection to me. This is still in our normal processing window.

On Sun, Jun 12, 2016 at 5:23 PM, RODERICK WILLIAMS <roderick.williams@cityoforlando.net> wrote:

Did we follow up to confirm the exit was unblocked?

On Jun 12, 2016 4:31 PM, "TAMMY HUGHES" <tammy.hughes@cityoforlando.net> wrote:
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I am good thank you!

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From: TAMMY HUGHES <tammy.hughes@cityoforlando.net>
Sent: Sunday, June 12, 2016 5:19 PM
To: Roderick S Williams
Subject: I am leaving the office now - Do you need or want anything?

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Sent: Sunday, June 12, 2016 3:51 PM
To: Roderick Williams; Tammy Hughes; Roy Eden; Alan Stickle
Subject: Fwd: From NYT
Attachments: PULSE_NIGHT CLUB.pdf

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Subject: Re: From NYT
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Cc: CASSANDRA LAFSER <cassandra.lafser@cityoforlando.net>, Laurie Nossair <laurie.nossair@cityoforlando.net>, Ruth McLemore-Price <ruth.mclemore@cityoforlando.net>, Amy Iennaco <Amy.Iennaco@cityoforlando.net>, Records Dept <records@cityoforlando.net>, TISA MITCHELL <tisa.mitchell@cityoforlando.net>, Mike Rhodes <mike.rhodes@cityoforlando.net>

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On behave of the men and women of the Orlando Fire Department I want to extend my deepest sympathy.

The building is 4025 square feet in size, with an original occupant load of 230. In 2003, changes to the occupancy allowed the property owner to increase his occupant load to 299. Again, in 2010 modifications were made to the building, but the occupant load remained at 299-300. This is still in effect today. There are 6 exits on the architectural floor plan that was submitted to the Orlando Fire Department for approval.

The Orlando Fire Department conducts annual fire inspections of the facility in the City of Orlando. The last fire inspection to verify the occupant load was conducted on 1/28/26. No violations were discovered at that time. The last company officer exit check was conducted on 5/21/16 which did indicate that a door was inoperable. It is not clear which door it was.

However, once the scene is safe I will have Fire Marshal Tammy Hughes evaluates the facility to ensure that it was in compliance with all applicable codes. This may take a few days, before she can enter, but when she does, and complete her finding, then I will provide an update.

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Note: occupancy load sign must match.

NFPA 7.2.1.7 with panic hardware as stated in all exit doors shall be equipped.

Note: