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STREET BEAT NEWS

Interested in learning more about the Homestead Police Department? Would you like to know who's protecting you? Curious about the actual crime statistics concerning your city?

Then you'll enjoy reading Street Beat News. A quarterly publication, this new paper will be inserted into the News Leader and dropped off at certain spots in and around Homestead. It's mission is to inform and educate the residents of the problems facing the HPD and how the fine men and women in the department go about solving those problems.

Hopefully, through understanding more about the department and the work the officers do, citizens and officers alike will make Homestead a safer place to live.

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ROLE MODEL — Homestead Councilman Eddie Berrones was honored last week by Homestead Middle School — the school he attended when he was a kid. The councilman — the first Mexican-American to be elected to city government — was named an outstanding role model by the school. He received certificates of appreciation from the city of Homestead and the office of Dade Commissioner Katy Sorenson.