



City of North Miami Beach, Florida

Police Department

Memorandum No. _____

Date: March 3, 2026

To: Darwin Williams, City Manager

From: Stuart Nichols, Deputy Chief of Police

Subject: Meeting with Ms. Linda Joseph Noel – February 27, 2026

On Friday, February 27, 2026, Ms. Linda Joseph Noel contacted the North Miami Beach Police Department and spoke with Chief Juan Pinillos' Executive Assistant (EA) Sabrina Joseph (no relation), requesting to meet with the Chief regarding a matter.

EA Joseph informed Ms. Joseph Noel that the Chief was at an offsite meeting and would be out of town thereafter. She advised Ms. Joseph Noel that I was serving as Acting Chief and was available to meet with her. Ms. Joseph Noel stated that she would do so and advised that she was imminently on her way to the Police Department.

Ms. Joseph Noel met with me on Friday, February 27, 2026, at approximately 1541 hours.

At the start of the meeting, Ms. Joseph Noel stated that she was being harassed and was hearing negative statements about herself from former Commissioner Barbara Kramer. I asked her to explain her concerns. She alleged the following:

1. Calling individuals and making negative statements about her.
2. Looking her up on LinkedIn, along with looking her up myself.
3. Posting comments on social media regarding her and her potential candidacy for Commissioner.
4. Allegedly violating her civil rights, though she did not provide details.
5. Following her in public places.
6. Disparaging her in public places.
7. Attempting to have her removed from the AFSCME pension board.

I asked Ms. Joseph Noel both before and after our discussion if she wished to file a police report for threats and intimidation to which she declined both times. Ms. Joseph Noel stated that she simply wanted Mrs. Kramer to stop her actions.

I explained that without a formal police report alleging threats, intimidation, or criminal conduct, there was limited action the Police Department could take. She reiterated that she wanted Mrs. Kramer to stop the behavior.

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Additionally, Ms. Joseph Noel made a comment about my professional relationship with Mrs. Kramer and I responded by clarifying that she should not misconstrue my relationship with Mrs. Kramer. I advised her that my viewing of her LinkedIn profile was coincidental and occurred because I had heard she was running for Commissioner for the City of North Miami Beach.

During the meeting, please note that Ms. Joseph Noel brought up the subject related to the Mateo Falcinelli (Dean's Gold) case and I responded by giving her a summary of the case update.

At approximately, 1636 hours, the meeting concluded without incident and appeared to end on a cordial note.

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