



**Celebrating the Commissioning
Of USS Fort Lauderdale (LPD 28)
July 30, 2022**

May 6, 2022



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In Memoriam
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The Honorable Michael Udine
Mayor, Broward County Commission
Broward County Governmental Center
115 South Andrews Avenue
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301

Dear Mayor Udine,

RE: Waiver BCT Fares for Military Personnel during Commissioning Week of
USS Fort Lauderdale (LPD 28), July 25 – August 1, 2022

During Fleet Weeks and previous ship commissioning's in Broward County,
the Broward County Transit Authority has waived the fees for Military
Personnel and their dependents riding our buses in Broward County.

On July 30th, 2022, we are commissioning the USS Fort Lauderdale (LPD
28). The ship will arrive July 25th and depart on August 1st. During that
time, we request the Broward County Commission approve waiving of these
fees. Military personnel will have to show their military ID and not be in
uniform.

As our namesake ship for the City of Fort Lauderdale, Port Everglades was
chosen as the venue for the commissioning ceremony. It is an honor to host
this tradition of "bringing the ship to life" and sharing the great hospitality
of our community.

Please let me know if you require any further information.

Most Sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Patricia Du Mont".

Patricia Du Mont, Chair
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