

MEMORANDUM

August 24, 2017

Dear FIU family,

Today we commemorate a defining anniversary for South Florida.

On Aug. 24, 1992, Hurricane Andrew came ashore and changed our community forever. This anniversary is personal for me, as someone whose family lived through this tragedy. Today, as president of a university that has researchers engaged in finding solutions to prevent the loss of life and property that a storm like Andrew can wreak on communities across the world, I am proud how far we have come.

I would like to share the following video message with you as we reflect on today's anniversary and our role in building more resilient communities.



Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mark B. Rosenberg'.

Mark B. Rosenberg  
President