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SPEEDING LAWFULLY BIKE CHALLENGE TO BENEFIT DADE LEGAL AID

WINNERS ANNOUNCED

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Miami, Florida – *“Speeding Lawfully, a socially distant bike challenge for all ages and activity levels took place on Sunday October 25 with over 50 lawyers, law students, a law professor, dean, voluntary bar associations, judges and an inventor pedaled along for justice,”* according to Jaime Vining, chair of the event. *“While we pivoted to a virtual platform due to the global pandemic, the event raised awareness of the growing need for legal services for low income children and families impacted by COVID-19. Dade Legal Aid and Put Something Back Pro Bono Project provide critical access to justice to marginalized low-income residents of Miami-Dade County,”* said Vining, who chairs the Intellectual Property Committee of the Dade County Bar Association.

The event was a first of its kind in Miami-Dade County where Dade Legal Aid staff and pro bono attorneys handle thousands of cases annually in the areas of family law, domestic violence, probate, guardian ad litem, child advocacy, bankruptcy, housing and consumer law. *“The demand for our services has never been greater,”* said Karen Ladis, executive director of the agency. *“Our staff, pro bono volunteers and clients are facing new challenges navigating the new norm. We have been working remotely for months. Thanks to this event, we were able to spin together for a great cause!”*

The Winners of this fun event are:

First Place – *Douglas Isenberg, Esquire, of Isenberg & Associates in North Miami, The First Family Law American Inn of Court*

Second Place – *Steve Spann, Esquire, of Orshan, Spann & Fernandez-Mesa in Coral Gables, The First Family Law American Inn of Court*

Top Law Student – *Antonio Bayuelo, a 1L at St. Thomas University School of Law*

Top Team – *Miami Dade Florida Association of Women Lawyers, comprised of President, Ardith Bronson, along with Claire Armagnac, Yasbel Perez, Jody Shulman, Sabrina Gallo and Veronica Meza.*

WHAT: Speeding Lawfully Spin Challenge, a Virtual Bike Race to Benefit Dade Legal Aid

CHAIR: Jaime Rich Vining, Esquire

WHEN: Sunday, October 25, 2020

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