

## Southeast Region – Quarterly Report

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### Highlight-Preserving Historic Cemeteries Cleanup at Miami City Cemetery

Archaeologists working in downtown Miami for firms like the Archaeological and Historical Conservancy, TRC, and others, volunteered their time on a Sunday to participate in a cemetery cleanup at the Miami City Cemetery. The first recorded burial in this cemetery occurred in

1897. The cemetery is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. In October, FPAN staff and volunteers cleaned headstones with D2 and removed trash to help preserve the historic cemetery.



**Highlight-Assistance to Local Governments: Tour of Deering Estate with Miami-Dade County and the National Parks Service**

FPAN staff collaborated with Miami Dade County and the National Parks Service to organize a tour for Parks archaeological staff of the Deering Estate. This historic site has archaeological sites spanning ten thousand years ago to the post World War II. Cross agency and regional collaboration will help archaeologists illuminate the deep past of South Florida.