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News in Brief: Cross Country Healthcare Collaborates with Airbnb; G4S Seeks to Hire 400 in South Florida

- **JJ Bujalski** launched Lease Up at 4160 N.W. First Ave., No. 16 in Boca Raton. www.leaseup.com or 561-862-7857.
- Atlanta-based **Classic Collision** acquired **Palm Collision Center** at 1122 S. State Road 7 in North Lauderdale, expanding the brand's South Florida locations to eight. www.classiccollision.net.
- **St. Thomas University** in Miami Gardens launched the Center for Pandemic, Disaster and Quarantine Research, designed to track the impact of emerging, expanding and extended pandemics and disasters on all socio-economic aspects of society. The center will seek to conduct research in collaboration with companies, institutions and government to aid in prevention, mitigation and recovery. pdq@stu.edu.
- Boca Raton-based **Cross Country Healthcare** is collaborating with **Airbnb** through its Frontline Stays program to provide accommodations to health care workers and first responders fighting Covid-19. www.crosscountryhealthcare.com.
- Boca Raton-based **AventuSoft** was awarded \$3 million in funding from the **National Institutes of Health's National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute**. The company plans to add 10 new jobs at 3651 FAU Blvd., No. 400, in the **Research Park at Florida Atlantic University**, and will create a capital investment of \$6 million through the expansion. www.ventusoft.com.
- **CVS Health's** MinuteClinic now offers an E-Clinic telehealth option to help patients access non-emergency care. www.minuteclinic.com.
- Security company **G4S** is looking to hire more than 400 people in South Florida as part of a national push to hire over 15,000 people in the next two months. careers.g4s.com.
- **Heiley's Dollar Store**, at 1829 W. Flagler St. in Miami, has signed on as a **U-Haul** neighborhood dealer, offering trucks and moving supplies. www.uhaul.com.
- **Cushman & Wakefield** was named leasing advisor for the 61,408-square-foot office building at 1400 E. Newport Center Drive in Deerfield Beach. www.cushmanwakefield.com.
- **NorthMarq** arranged \$14 million in refinancing for **Village Square Shopping Center**, a 88,529-square-foot retail property at 1601-1697 N. Hiatus Road in Pembroke Pines. www.northmarq.com.
- **Pulte Homes** paid \$1.73 million for the the final portion of land for The Enclaves, its new-home community at 7910 N.W. 79th Terrace in Tamarac. Most of the 152 homes will sit on land once occupied by nine golf course holes at Woodmont Country Club. www.pulte.com.
- **SVN Florida Commercial Real Estate Advisors** represented the seller in the \$525,000 sale of **Judy's Highway Café**, a 1,200-square-foot restaurant at 19590 N. U.S. Highway 1 in Tequesta. www.svn.com.
- **Katz & Associates** announced the following new leases: 1,400 square feet for **Smoothie Jungle**, 1,550 square feet for **Aries Physical Therapy**, and 1,334 square feet for **The Exercise Coach** at Satori Shoppes in Fort Lauderdale; and for **Five Below** locations in Cutler Bay, Hollywood, Margate, Miramar, Pompano Beach and West Palm Beach. The firm also announced four lease renewals: **Tsunami Subs** and **The Mortgage Firm** at One Boynton in Boynton Beach; **Cloud 10 Salon** at Worthing Place in downtown Delray Beach; and **Star Bakery** at Sunrise Harbor in east Fort Lauderdale. www.katzassociates.com.
- **Palm Beach County Medical Society Services** received a three-year, \$300,000 grant from the **Health Council of Southeast Florida** to continue to develop its Opioid Healthcare Response Initiative, which provides opioid education for physicians and other health care professionals. www.pbcms.org.