



**CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo
REGULAR MEETING**

#24-0584

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Susan Grant, Acting City Manager

DATE: June 4, 2024

TITLE: Resolution Delegating Authority to the City Manager to Execute a Temporary Beach License, an Outdoor Event Agreement, or Both with the Florida Panthers Foundation, Inc. - **(Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)**

Recommendation

Staff recommends the City Commission adopt a Resolution Delegating Authority to the City Manager to Execute a Temporary Beach License, an Outdoor Event Agreement, or Both with the Florida Panthers, Foundation, Inc. ("Florida Panthers"), subject to the review and approval of said agreement as to form by the City Attorney or designee.

Background

City staff received a request from the Florida Panthers to host a post season event, which may include a parade, in the City of Fort Lauderdale. Due to the uncertainty of determining the outcome of the 2024 National Hockey League Playoffs at this time, staff recommend the City Commission delegate authority to the City Manager to facilitate the efficient and timely execution of a Temporary Beach License, an Outdoor Event Agreement, or both with the Florida Panthers, subject to the City's receipt and approval of a duly completed and executed Outdoor Event Application by the Florida Panthers and the City's receipt of all applicable fees.

The event, if scheduled, will be coordinated in advance with the City of Fort Lauderdale and would occur in June or July 2024. The City Manager will provide the City Commission with written notice if, or when, the event details are determined.

Resource Impact

There is no fiscal impact associated with this item.

Strategic Connections

This item is a 2024 Commission Priority, advancing the Public Places initiative.

This item supports the *Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2029* Strategic Plan, specifically advancing:

- The Public Places Focus Area
- Goal 5: Build a beautiful and welcoming community

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan: We Are Here*. This item supports the Advance Fort Lauderdale 2040 Comprehensive Plan specifically advancing:

- The Public Places Focus Area
- The Parks, Recreation & Open Spaces Element
- Goal 1: Be a community where persons of all ages are able to partake in a fun and healthy lifestyle.

Attachment

Exhibit 1 - Resolution

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