



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

FROM: Lee Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: May 7, 2013

TITLE: Application and acceptance of the Florida Department of Agriculture and
Consumer Services, in the approximate amount of \$103,000, to provide
free nutritional lunches and snacks at the various City parks from June 17,
2013 – August 9, 2013.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve a motion to ratify an application to the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, in the approximate amount of \$103,000, and accept grant funding from the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, in the approximate amount of \$103,000, to provide free nutritional lunches and snacks at the various City parks from June 17, 2013 – August 9, 2013.

Background

The Parks and Recreation Department is requesting a motion authorizing the proper City officials to ratify an application for and accept a reimbursable grant from the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services to provide lunches and snacks Monday - Friday, June 17 - August 9, 2013. The approximate amount of the funding will be \$103,000 which will include lunch and snacks, operational expenses, e.g. equipment, supplies and part time staffing for meal services, programs monitoring, clean-up, etc.

Meal services will be offered at Bass, Carter, Croissant, Riverside, Warfield, Lauderdale Manors, Osswald, and Riverland Parks. The Summer Food Program Sites meet all the State Food Program location criteria where lunch and snacks can be served to program participants. To qualify, 50% of the participants in the program must be on the free or reduced lunch status in their schools. Approximately 52,650 free lunches and afternoon snacks will be served. All direct expenses to the City for this program will be reimbursable from the Department of Agriculture grant.

The above request is contingent upon the award of grant funds to the City.

Resource Impact

There is a positive fiscal impact to the City in the amount of \$103,000.00. No cash match is required.

REVENUE TO BE DEPOSITED:

FISCAL		SUB				SUB		
YEAR	FUND	FUND	FUND NAME	INDEX #	INDEX NAME	OBJECT #	SUBJECT NAME	AMOUNT
2013	129	01	Misc. State Federal County Grants	GFOD13	Summer Food Program 2013	C601	US DEPT OF AGRICULTURE	103,000.00
TOTAL								103,000.00

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2013	129	01	Misc. State Federal County Grants	GFOD13	Summer Food Program 2013	3231	Food Services	103,000.00
TOTAL								103,000.00

Related CAM 13-0539

Attachment(s)
Exhibit 1 - Agreement

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