



TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the

Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Lee Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: July 2, 2013

TITLE: Motion approving Grant Agreement Broward County, Land Stewardship

Program, Partners in Preservation Grant, Mills Pond Phase 2 in the

amount of \$25,000. No City Match Required.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve a motion authorizing the proper city officials to execute a Grant Agreement with Broward County, Land Stewardship Program, Partners in Preservation Grant, Mills Pond Phase 2 in the amount of \$25,000.

Background

On March 22, 2013, the Parks and Recreation Department submitted a Partners in Preservation grant application to Broward County. Funds will be used to eradicate invasive non-native vegetation and replanting with native vegetation. No city match is required.

Grant funds are available for sites that were acquired through the 2000 Safe Parks and Land Preservation Bond Program; supplemental grant funds have been made available for the ecological restoration of publicly owned natural lands and sustainable development of passive recreation parks.

In May of 2013, staff received notification from Broward County acknowledging approval of the grant in the amount of \$25,000. The Grant period will be twelve (12) months from the date of execution.

Resource Impact

There is a positive impact to the City in the amount of \$25,000. Funds are being appropriated through companion item #13-0815.

Appropriate

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YEAR	FUND	FUND	FUND NAME	INDEX#	INDEX NAME	OBJECT#	SUBOBJECT NAME	AMOUNT
2013	129	01	Miscellaneous Federal/State/County Grants	GMILLS13A	Exotic Removal Mills Pond Phase 2	F733	Broward County Grants	25,000.00
							TOTAL	25,000.00
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2013	129	01	Miscellaneous Federal/State/County Grants	GMILLS13A	Exotic Removal Mills Pond Phase 2	3237	Lawn & Tree Services	25,000.00
							TOTAL	25,000.00

Related CAM #13-0815

Attachment:

Exhibit 1 - Agreement

Prepared by: Lori Dimeolo, Grant administrator, x 5352

Department Director: Phil Thornburg, Parks and Recreation Director