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Mr. Lee Feldman  
City Manager  
City of Fort Lauderdale  
100 North Andrews Avenue  
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301

Re: Central Homeless Assistance Center Site Improvements

Dear Mr. Feldman,

The purpose of this communication is to formally request assistance with the costs related to the paving and landscaping of the S.E. lot. The S.E. lot is part of the Central Homeless Assistance Center (CHAC) located at 920 NW 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida. Presently green space, the S.E. lot has historically been used to accommodate the daily overflow parking needs of the facility. Local Ordinance C-12-03 acknowledges the S.E. Lot and recognizes parking as a permitted use.

To the existing 54 spaces, 7 spaces will be eliminated and 28 new spaces will be added for a new total of 75 spaces. Design plans were submitted to the County in February, 2014 and approved by County in September, 2014. The plans were submitted to City in December, 2014 and approved by the City in February 2015. The County awarded Broward Partnership capital funds to undertake construction in FY2014 – 2015. However given the timelines devoted to the design and approval processes, the original project costs have escalated. Broward Partnership is in need of \$20,483 to bring the project to completion. There have been donated in-kind services to this project and it can be completed on an expedited basis.

The City's role in continuing its support as an active partner in the mission to end homelessness is sincerely appreciated. Please let me know if there is any additional information required at your earliest convenience to do so.

Sincerely,



Dodie Keith-Lazowick, Chairman

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