



CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo
REGULAR MEETING

#17-0289

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

FROM: Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: February 21, 2017

TITLE: WALK ON - Motion to Approve an Event Agreement with Florida Panthers
Hockey Club, LTD for Florida Panthers NHL Hockey Celebration

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve an event agreement with Florida Panthers Hockey Club, LTD and authorize execution of the agreement by the City Manager.

Background

City staff has been working closely with the event organizer regarding event topics, such as logistics, maintenance, and security as detailed below. The Police Department recommends approval of the closing of the City streets where appropriate, and event parking has been satisfactorily arranged. When applicable, amplified music was discussed and event organizers were advised of the noise ordinance and possible concerns. The NHL Screen Truck shown in Exhibit 1a will be placed with 2 wheels on the side walk and will partially obstruct the bike line for the duration of the event.

The event organizer will pay for all event costs and submit the required certificates of insurance. The event organizer will also secure all other necessary permits and licenses that are required from other agencies. Civic and merchant associations have been notified as appropriate regarding events in their areas. Specific event details are included in the event application as attached.

Where applicable, the City Commission authorizes amplified music for the events listed below.

Authorization for the execution of event agreements is contingent upon the City Attorney's Office receiving and approving a validly executed agreement.

Event 1:

Applicant: Florida Panthers Hockey Club, LTD
Event Name: Florida Panthers NHL Hockey Celebration Application

Date/Time: Friday, March 3, 2017 (3:00pm- 7:00pm)
 Location: Las Olas Blvd and A1A
 Road Closing: No
 Alcohol: No
 Amplified Music: Yes- (3:00pm-7:00pm)
 Insurance Required: Yes
 Banners: No
 Pending Code Violations: No
 Application Fee: \$400.00
 Exhibit: 1

Resource Impact

Revenue related to these agreements is included in the FY 2017 operating budget in the accounts listed below.

<i>Funds available as of January 26, 2017</i>					
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB- OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AMOUNT RECEIVED (Character)	AMOUNT
001-PKR033401-K029	Community Events	Charge for Service/Non- sponsor Charges	\$150,000	\$31,347	\$400
TOTAL AMOUNT ►					\$400

Strategic Connections

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018* initiative, included within the Public Places Cylinder of Excellence, specifically advancing:

- Goal 4: Be a healthy community with fun and stimulating recreational activities for our neighbors.
- Objective 2: Celebrate our community through special events and sports

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan: We Are Here*.

Attachments:

Exhibit 1 – Florida Panthers NHL Hockey Celebration Application
 Exhibit 1a – Florida Panthers NHL Hockey Celebration Site Plan

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