



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

**#19-0550**

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

**FROM:** Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

**DATE:** July 9, 2019

**TITLE:** 2019 State Legislative Session Update (**Commission Districts 1, 2, 3, and 4**)

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The Commission contracts with firms, Ericks Consultants, Inc., Ronald L. Book, P.A., and The August Company, LLC, to assist the City with lobbying efforts at the State level. These firms advocated for the City's interests during the 2019 legislative session and will continue advocating for the City's interests.

The Florida Legislature adjourned sine die on May 4, 2019. The lobbying firms will be attending the City Commission Conference meeting to provide an update on the legislation that passed during the legislative session.

Exhibits 1 and 2 present the end of session report for the recently completed 2019 State Legislative session.

**Strategic Connections**

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018* initiative, included within the Internal Support Cylinder, specifically advancing:

- Goal 12: Be a leading government organization, managing our resources wisely and sustainably.
- Objective 1: Ensure sound fiscal management

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

**Attachments**

Exhibit 1 – 2019 Legislative Session Report Ronald L. Book, P.A.

Exhibit 2 – 2019 Legislative Session Report Ericks Consultants, Inc.

Exhibit 3 – 2019 State Legislative Priorities and Funding Requests

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