



CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE City Commission Agenda Memo REGULAR MEETING

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the Fort Lauderdale City Commission
FROM: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager
DATE: April 7, 2020
TITLE: Motion Approving a Non-Profit Grant Participation Agreement with Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale, Inc. - \$64,706 – (Commission District 4)

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission approve a non-profit grant participation agreement with Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale, Inc., in substantially the form attached, in the amount of \$64,706 to facilitate the construction of a public memorial in memory of the lives lost in the September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks of the World Trade Center.

Background

On September 11, 2001, nearly 3,000 lives were lost as a result of a terrorist attack on the United States. Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale, Inc. has initiated a capital campaign to support a 9/11 memorial statue. The monument will serve as a memorial to the lives lost on September 11, 2001 and will commemorate the lives and the sacrifice of the families and the first responders. The monument will be displayed in the Riverwalk District for neighbors and visitors to observe.

A contribution of City funds and grant funds to Riverwalk will serve a municipal public purpose by facilitating the construction of a public memorial and physical upgrades to the Riverwalk Linear Park, including the installation of landscape lighting that will result in improved safety and aesthetics.

Funds for this project, in the amount of \$64,706, were comprised from the following:

- \$7,500 Broward County Grant
- \$10,000 District 2 Commission funds
- \$47, 206 District 4 Commission funds

Resource Impact

There is a fiscal impact in the amount of \$64,706 and are listed in the counts below.

Funds available as of March 10, 2020					
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB- OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AVAILABLE BALANCE (Character)	AMOUNT
129-G911MEM18-6499	RIVERWALK "911" MEMORIAL	Capital Outlay/ Other Equipment	\$0	\$0	\$7,500
331-P12565-6499	RIVERWALK "911" MEMORIAL	Capital Outlay/Other Equipment	\$0	\$0	\$57,206
	TOTAL AMOUNT ►		\$64,706		

Strategic Connections

This item is a *Fiscal Year 2020 Commission Annual Action Plan* priority, included within the Management Agenda, advancing the Streetscape & Tree Enhancements initiative.

This item supports the *Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2024* Strategic Plan, specifically advancing:

- The Public Places Focus Area
- Goal 3: Build a healthy and engaging community
- Objective: Enhance the City's identify through public art, well-maintained greens paces, and streetscapes

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

Attachment

Exhibit 1 – Agreement

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