



# Town of Eatonville

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December 16, 2024

Mayor Jerry L. Demings  
Orange County, Florida  
201 S. Rosalind Avenue, 5th floor  
Orlando, Florida 32801

RE: TDC Funding

Mayor Demings,

It has come to my attention that an agency within the Town of Eatonville may be requesting a significant sum of funding for future events that could impact the town's day-to-day operations and administration. Due to the potential for such an event or events to place a critical demand on our staff and residents, I want to ensure full vetting is conducted by all major department heads and this administration.

To remove any uncertainty or misunderstanding moving forward, I want to clearly state that the Town of Eatonville, nor any of its delegated representatives, have reviewed, vetted, or approved any solicitation or application for funding by the Orange County TDC, to any agency within the town regardless of the intent. This statement remains applicable for any future funding requests that might pose logistical demands on our town.

Please be advised that all official correspondence related to the Town Government will originate solely from the Government Administration and its designated email addresses.

Thank you for your continued support of the Town of Eatonville and your committee's willingness to consider funding requests of this nature. Please feel free to reach out should you have any questions or need clarification on this matter.

Warmest Regards,

Dr. Angie Gardner  
Mayor of Eatonville

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