




June 4, 2019

TO: Mayor Jerry L. Demings  
-AND-  
Board of County Commissioners

FROM: Jon V. Weiss, P.E., Director   
Planning, Environmental, and Development Services Department

CONTACT PERSON: **Jason Reynolds, AICP, Administrator**  
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SUBJECT: July 2, 2019 – Consent Item  
July 2019 Neighborhood Pride Landscaping Grant

The Neighborhood Services Division administers the Neighborhood Pride Grant Program that provides various grants for citizen organizations to enhance the quality of their neighborhoods. The Neighborhood Pride Grants are available countywide in amounts ranging between \$1,500 to \$10,000. Neighborhood Pride Grant applications are accepted year-round and are reviewed monthly by the Neighborhood Grants Advisory Board (NGAB). The Neighborhood Pride Landscaping Grant provides funding to neighborhood organizations and homeowner associations, for physical and aesthetic improvements to their community.

The NGAB is recommending approval of the July 2019 Landscaping Grant to Southern Acres Homeowners Association (\$2,494) (see Attachment A). The grant request was reviewed by staff and presented to the NGAB for recommendation. The application was reviewed based on project feasibility, organizational readiness, and benefit to the community. In addition, the application was reviewed against the County's permitting requirements to ensure that the project would comply with appropriate County codes.

Finally, the organization and Orange County Government are required to enter into an agreement recognizing their responsibilities in regards to implementing the project.

**ACTION REQUESTED: Approval of the Neighborhood Grants Advisory Board's recommendations of Neighborhood Pride Landscaping Grant to Southern Acres Homeowners Association (\$2,494) and authorization for the Director of the Planning, Environmental, and Development Services Department to execute the grant agreement. District 1**

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Attachment

Neighborhood Pride Grant Program  
Grant Type: Landscaping Grant  
District: #1  
Municipality: Orange County

**Profile**

**Organization Name:** Southern Acres Homeowners Association  
**Request:** Remove old trees and install new landscaping on CR535 and Southern Way  
**Requested Amount:** \$2,494  
**Matching Amount:** \$831  
**Total Project Cost:** \$3,325

Southern Acres Homeowners Association

