



Interoffice Memo

AGENDA ITEM

January 29, 2018

TO: Mayor Teresa Jacobs

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Board of County Commissioners

THRU: Lonnie C. Bell, Jr., Director
Family Services Department

FROM: Jason Reynold, Administrator, AICP
Neighborhood Preservation and Revitalization Office

SUBJECT: February 20, 2018 - Consent Agenda Item
February 2018 Neighborhood Pride Mini-Grant Recipient

The Neighborhood Preservation and Revitalization Office administers the Neighborhood Pride Grant Program that provides funds for citizen organizations to enhance the quality of their neighborhoods. There has been an overwhelming response from a wide range of neighborhood organizations showing continued interest in the Neighborhood Pride Mini-Grant Program.

The Neighborhood Pride Mini-Grant Program offers small grants to countywide volunteer neighborhood organizations for projects less than \$1,500. The neighborhood organizations are required to attend a mandatory grant workshop and establish a neighborhood team to work with staff on implementing neighborhood projects. The grant applications are accepted from October through June and reviewed monthly by the Neighborhood Grants Advisory Board (NGAB).

The NGAB is recommending approval of one Mini-Grant for Roseview Neighborhood to install entranceway landscaping (see Attachment A). The grant request is displayed in greater detail in Attachment B. The grant was reviewed by County 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 neighborhood organization was required to demonstrate the ability to maintain the project.

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ACTION REQUESTED: Approval of the February 2018 Neighborhood Pride Mini-Grant as recommended by the Neighborhood Grants Advisory Board for Roseview Neighborhood (\$1,500). District 1.

Attachments

c: Antwan Nelson, Neighborhood Preservation and Revitalization Office
Karen S. Willis, Chairperson, Neighborhood Grants Advisory Board

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ATTACHMENT A

District	Organization	Type of Organization	Project	Property Ownership	Estimated Amount	Community Match	Project Location
1	Roseview Neighborhood	Neighborhood	Landscaping	Public	\$1,500	\$0	Old Winter Garden Road and Red Rose Circle
			Total Requests		\$1,500		

Attachment B

**Neighborhood Pride Grant
Profile**

Organization Name: Roseview Neighborhood	Request Amount: \$1,500
Commission District 1: Betsy VanderLey	Matching Amount: \$0
Municipality Jurisdiction: N/A	Total Project Cost: \$1,500
Property Ownership: Public	Type of Grant: Mini Grant

Summary: The neighborhood wishes to install a few new trees and add landscaping to the front entrance. The homes within this neighborhood have met taxable value guidelines.

