



Interoffice Memo

AGENDA ITEM

March 19, 2018

TO: Mayor Teresa Jacobs
-AND-
Board of County Commissioners

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

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

SUBJECT: Consent Agenda Item – April 10, 2018
April 2018 Neighborhood Pride Mini-Grant Recipients

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 three Mini-Grants for Carol Woods HOA; Meadow Woods Village I Neighborhood; and Silver Star Estates Neighborhood (see Attachment A). The grant requests are displayed in greater detail in Attachments B, C and D. The grants were reviewed by County staff and presented to the NGAB for recommendation. The applications were reviewed based on project feasibility, organizational readiness, and benefit to the community.

In addition, the applications were reviewed against the County's permitting requirements to ensure that the projects would comply with appropriate County codes. Finally, the neighborhood organizations were required to demonstrate the ability to maintain the project.

ACTION REQUESTED: Approval of the April 2018 Neighborhood Pride Mini-Grants as recommended by the Neighborhood Grants Advisory Board for Carol Woods HOA (\$1,500); Meadow Woods Village I Neighborhood (\$1,500); and Silver Star Estates Neighborhood (\$1,500). Districts 2, 4 and 6.

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Attachments

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

Neighborhood Pride Mini Grant
Orange County Board of County Commissioners
April 10, 2018 Consent Agenda
ATTACHMENT A

District	Organization	Type of Organization	Project	Property Ownership	Estimated Amount	Community Match	Project Location
2	Carol Woods HOA	Neighborhood	Landscaping	Public	\$1,500	\$0	Wekiva Springs Road and Carol Woods Way
4	Meadow Woods Village I Neighborhood	Neighborhood	Landscaping	Public	\$1,500	\$0	Weatherbee Road and Club Woods Drive
6	Silver Star Estates Neighborhood	Neighborhood	Reader Board Installation	Public	\$1,500	\$0	Silver Star Road and Bon Air Drive
			Total Requests		\$4,500		

Attachment B

Neighborhood Pride Grant Profile

Organization Name: Carol Woods HOA

Request Amount: \$1,500

Commission District 2: Bryan Nelson

Matching Amount: \$0

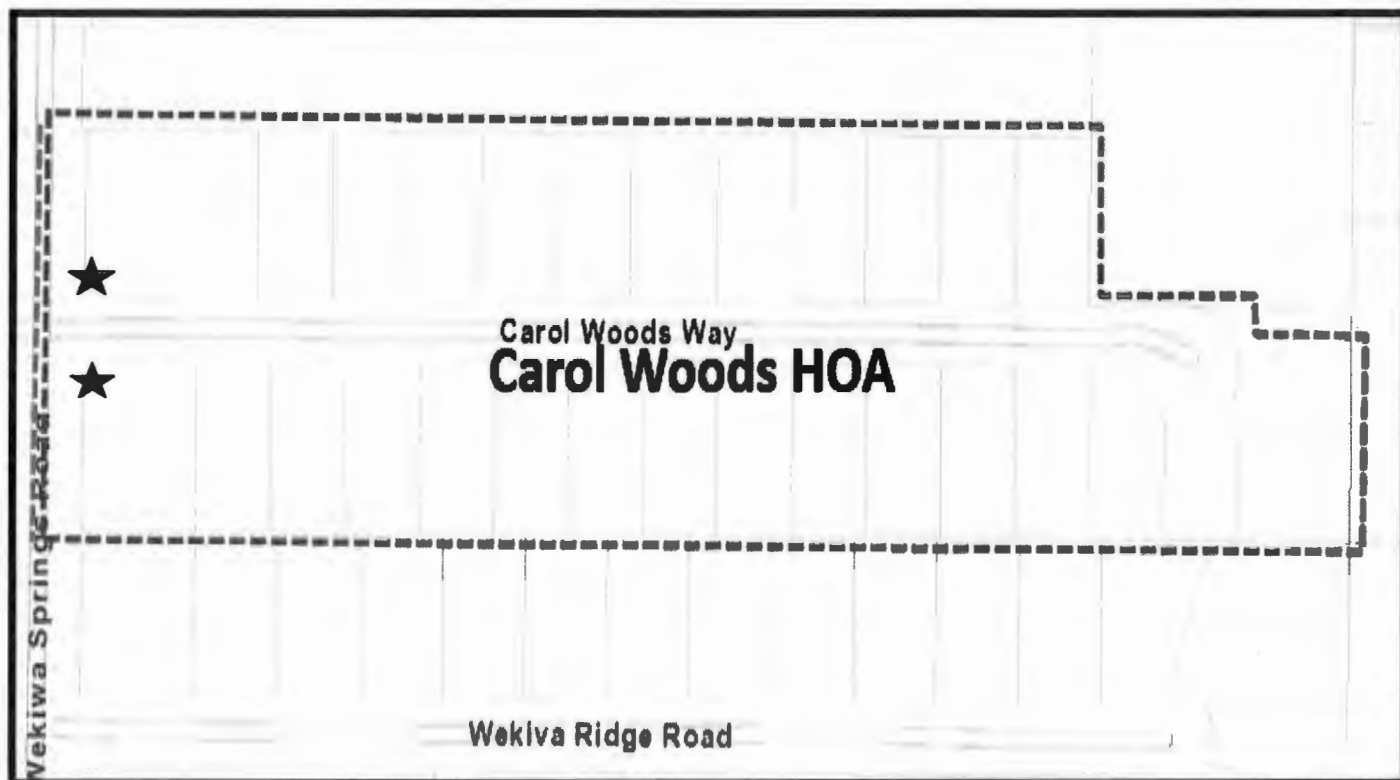
Municipality Jurisdiction: Orange

Total Project Cost: \$1,500

Property Ownership: Public

Type of Grant: Mini Grant

Summary: The neighborhood wishes to replace the damaged landscaping at their entranceway. The homes within this neighborhood have met taxable value guidelines.



Neighborhood Pride Grant Profile

Organization Name: Meadow Woods Village I Neighborhood	Request Amount: \$1,500
Commission District 4: Jennifer Thompson	Matching Amount: \$0
Municipality Jurisdiction: Orange	Total Project Cost: \$1,500
Property Ownership: Public	Type of Grant: Mini Grant

Summary: The neighborhood wishes to add landscaping to the median of the community. The homes within this neighborhood have met taxable value guidelines.



Attachment D

Neighborhood Pride Grant Profile

Organization Name: Silver Star Estates Neighborhood

Request Amount: \$1,500

Commission District 6: Victoria P. Siplin

Matching Amount: \$0

Municipality Jurisdiction: Orange

Total Project Cost: \$1,500

Property Ownership: Public

Type of Grant: Mini Grant

Summary: The neighborhood wishes to add a reader board to the entrance of the community. The homes within this neighborhood have met taxable value guidelines.

