

MEMORANDUM
Grants Department



MEETING DATE: September 14, 2021
TO: Honorable Mayor and City Councilmembers
FROM: Maria Covelli, Grants Coordinator
THROUGH: George Garrett, City Manager
SUBJECT: **Grants Update**

The Grants Department provides an update to the City Council monthly. The following is provided as an update for Grant Department activities.

ACTIVE GRANTS STATUS

2022 Capital Project (Bricks and Mortar) Funding Application - TDC

- Received Grant for mitigation of amphitheater roofing (were awarded monies for canopy removal and hardware mitigation only but not the full ask amount including monies for stripping and painting. See Grant Applications in Process TDC Round 2 for painting grant)
- Submitted signed agreement/resolution

CDBG-DR Voluntary Home Buyout Program - DEO

- Intake Kickoff to current applicants
- Environmental Review in process
- VHBP Applicant outreach for additional participation

Quay Restrooms – TDC

- Preparing RFP for distribution

CDBG-DR Infrastructure Unmet Needs – DEO

- The addition of power conditioners to ensure that service can continue to be provided post recovery from any major event. Including Raise electrical lines above flood elevation; Install double anchored double-wall containment tanks; Order and purchase of power conditioner; Installation of power conditioner at each service area treatment plant; Purchase and installation of Vacuum Pump Station Power Conditioner; Purchase and installation of Diesel Fuel Transfer Trailer; Purchase and installation of Gasoline Transfer Trailer; Purchase and installation of Trailer Mounted Vacuum Pump Station; Purchase and installation of FDOT approved fuel tank and pumping systems;
- DEO approved engineering

FKWQIP WWT 3 & 4 – US ACE

- Area 3 upgrade project in process

Hazard Mitigation Grant Generators – DEM

- Subcontract Awarded
- Preconstruction meeting 9/2/21

Invasive Exotics Removal

- FWC grant to address invasive plant species at Coco Plum.
- Will begin 2022

National Fitness Campaign - \$30,000 grant award

- Project kick off October 1st
- Put out a call to artists for wall art
- Seeking donation from Baptist Foundation in support
- Expected completion date end of December 2021

GRANT APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED

FDEP Coastal Resilience Grant – Submitted 9/1/2021

- Citywide Planning Evaluation for resiliency plan

FDEP Coastal Resilience Grant – Submitted 9/1/2021

- Mitigation Planning of Sombrero Beach Road and Flamingo Island

FDEP Coastal Resilience Grant – Submitted 9/1/2021 – in conjunction with Monroe County

- Florida Keys Regional Resilience Municipal LIDAR and Roads Elevation Plan Resilient Florida Grant Program Project Proposal
- LiDAR in conjunction with Monroe County

Firehouse Sub Foundation - Submitted 7/8/2021 – notification by 9/30/2021

- New Radios and Accessories for Fire Department

Leary Firefighters Foundation - Submitted Letter of Request 7/29/21 – notification “in fall”

- For (10) Community LifePaks and Education
- Will be notified “in the fall” if invited to apply for grant

GRANT APPLICATIONS IN PROCESS

CDBG – GIP – Development of the Quay – due 9/17/21

- DEO General Infrastructure Program Grant

CDBG – GIP – Mitigation of City Marina Seawall – due 9/17/21

- DEO General Infrastructure Program Grant

CDBG – GIP – Raising Coco Plum Blvd – due 9/17/21

- DEO General Infrastructure Program Grant

2022 Capital Project Round II (Bricks and Mortar) Funding Application – TDC – due 9/21

- Submitting application for painting dollars that were removed from prior award amount (see pg 1 Active Grants 2022 Capital Project)

GRANT APPLICATIONS IN PROCESS continued

National Skatepark Project – due 10/1/21

- Tony Hawk Foundation – grant opens Sept
- Phone conference with foundation on 7/13/21
- Community members are planning an event in December to raise awareness for the new Skatepark Project

Coastal Partnership Initiative Grant (CPI) – due 10/15

- Elevate the generator transfer switch at City Hall

COMPLETED GRANTS

Economic Development Competitive Grant – DEO

- Closeout Complete – documents sent to DEO Payment Received

Resilient Marathon - Phase 2 – DEP

- Closeout Complete – documents sent to DEP