

**MEMORANDUM
Grants Department**



MEETING DATE: July 12, 2022
TO: Honorable Mayor and City Councilmembers
FROM: Maria Covelli, Grants Coordinator
THROUGH: George Garrett, City Manager
SUBJECT: **Grants Report**

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 – Received since last meeting - Updates

WWTP Work - CDBG-MIT Infrastructure Unmet Needs – DEO (\$6,259,423.00)

- Tier II EA Review and Revision – submitted for approval
 - Tier II Revision in progress
- Preparing RFP for contractor
 - RFP Approved by DEO

FKWQIP WWT 3 & 4 – US ACE (\$1,692,333.00)

- Design is being finalized
- Bid documents are being prepared
- Expect to go out to bid around June

Hazard Mitigation Grant Generators – DEM (\$129,459.56)

- Requested budget increase to cover actual costs – DEM reviewing
- Generator delivery has been further delayed due to supply chain issues.
 - Expected ship date, per manufacturer, is 10/18/22
- Requested additional extension from DEO for completion date of 12/31/22.
 - Received notice of extension from DEO

Invasive Exotics Removal – FWC – Invasive Exotics Removal @ Oceanfront Park/Coco Plum (\$30,000)

- Removal Complete at both Oceanfront Park and Coco Plum
- Phase II – planting expected to begin in June

FDEP Coastal Resilience Grant (\$240,000)

- Awaiting grant agreement from FDEP
- City-wide vulnerability assessment and adaptation plan

Florida EMS Rural Grant – (\$44,570.93)

- Received funding/Ordered EMS Equipment

FDOT Transportation Alternatives Program (FY 27-28)

- Awaiting grant agreements from FDOT
 - Aviation Blvd Lighting (\$1,000,000)
 - Mitigate Sombrero Beach Rd sidewalk flooding at curve (\$333,288)

CDBG-DR Voluntary Home Buyout Program – DEO (\$5,000,000)

- Addendum for Demo Work needs approval
- Program Status:

ACTIVE	CLOSING	PREOFFER	ELIGIBILITY	INTAKE
Total 11	Total 0	Total 9	Total 1	Total 1
		Pending Approval for Closing Contract Execution	APPLICATION RETURNED; FORMS PENDING	APPLICATION PENDING
		ID03, ID05, ID33	ID35	ID36
		Preoffer Pending Alt Appraisals		
		ID26, ID27, ID28, ID29		
		Preoffer Pending SHPO Clearance		
		ID07, ID75		

RECEIVED FCT Parks and Open Space (2018 grant program) – (\$944,800)

- **Quay Project**
 - Awaiting grant contract from FCT
 - Gathering required documentation

RECEIVED FCT Parks and Open Space (2018 grant program) – (1,488,000)

- **Salty's/7 Mile Marina**
 - Awaiting grant contract from FCT
 - Gathering required documentation

RECEIVED FL Dept of Ag/Consumer Svcs – Volunteer Fire Assistance Grant

Requested \$30,687.55 with 1:1 match for (10) radios (@ \$61,375.10). Received a \$10,000 award with 1:1 match, will purchase radios and continue applying for other funding.

- New Motorola Radios and Accessories

RECEIVED FGL Dept. of Health – HART program

- Requested direct purchase of (4) iPads for Fire Rescue Critical Care Team (\$2,500)

RECEIVED Boating Improvement Funds (BIF)

Requested \$29,900, received \$19,500

- Repair Pilings at 33rd Street Boat Ramp

GRANT APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED - Submitted since last meeting – Updates

FDEP Resilient Florida Planning Grant x 3 – Submitted 6/21/22

- The Quay Vulnerability Assessment and Plan (get to shovel ready) \$142,960
- City Marina Vulnerability Assessment and Plan (get to shovel ready) \$146,460
- Coco Plum Dune Fortification/Break wave Armoring (get to shovel ready) \$133,220

ANNOUNCING END OF JULY

FL Keys Arts Council – Art Builds Community Grant – (\$10,000) Submitted 5/20/22

- Effects of Sea Level Rise Installation(s)

FDEM – Hazard Mitigation Grant – (\$245,425) Submitted 6/3/22

- Watershed Master Plan

TDC FY 2023 Capital Funding (x3) – Submitted 4/27/22

- Quay restroom project (\$245,000)
- Beach Raking and Maintenance (Coco Plum and Sombrero) (\$273,140)
- Repair/Reconstruct finger docks at 7 Mile Marina. (\$144,900)

ANNOUNCEMENT EXPECTED by End of June (not posted yet)

FLDEP Recreational Trails Program – Submitted 2/28/22 – (\$34,000)

- Grassy Key Birding Boardwalk Trail Planning and Design Phase

EXPECT LATE SUMMER ANNOUNCEMENT

FEMA Assistance to Firefighters Grant - Submitted 12/15/21

- New Portable Radios (\$49,905)
- New Ambulance (\$289,451)

GRANT APPLICATIONS IN PROCESS - New since last meeting

FL Recreation Development Assistance Program (FRDAP) – Due 8/31/2022

(up to \$200,000 with a max 1:1 sliding match)

- Skatepark Project is going to be phased
 - Phase I – Design and Planning (under this grant)
 - Phase II – Construction (under following grant)

CDBG-Small Cities Grant Program – Due 7/31/2022 – project TBD

COMPLETED GRANTS - New since last meeting

Rural Roads to Connected Care Training Classes Fire/Rescue

- Training completed in June

Amphitheater Roof - 2022 Cap Project (Bricks and Mortar) Funding App – TDC (\$150,000)

- Work completed/Submitted for reimbursement

GRANTS NOT RECEIVED - New since last meeting

National Skatepark Project – (up to \$300,000)

They are prioritizing projects that have a minimum of 30% of funding raised/set aside. Encouraged us to reapply Q1 2023 or when we have funding set aside.

- We are applying for the Florida Recreation Development Assistance Program FRDAP grant (period opens August 1st – see above)
- National Skatepark Grant 2022 Q1
- Moved on to second round of application – submitted 4/8/22 – under review

FL DEO – Community Planning Technical Assistant Grant (x4) –Submitted 4/11/22

- Update the City’s Comprehensive Plan to include an Energy and Climate Change Element (\$30,000)
- Install Vehicle Charging Stations at City Hall and Marathon Comm Park (\$75,000)
- Walkability and Biking Assessment to Support Multimodal Transit study (\$15,000)
- Water Reuse Study (\$68,000)