



CITY OF RIVIERA BEACH – MEMORANDUM

TO: HON. MAYOR, CHAIRPERSON AND CITY COUNCIL

THROUGH: JONATHAN EVANS, CITY MANAGER, MPA, MBA, ICMA-CM

FROM: MARSHA NOEL, ASSISTANT TO THE CITY MANAGER, MPA

SUBJECT: **COMMUNITY BENEFITS PROGRAM**

DATE: MARCH 4, 2019

CC: GENERAL PUBLIC

Background:

The City Council has asked staff to look into potential improvements for the Community Benefit Program. Therefore, this memorandum is to discuss potential modifications to the Community Benefits Program Policy. The Community Benefits Program is an additional tool in the City’s “toolkit” that can assist the organization in reaching its strategic goals and objectives. Revisions to the policy can align the program to the City’s goals of being accountable, transparent, equitable, and operationally effective.

City staff requests that the City Council provide direction as to which avenue they may want to pursue in modifying the current program policy. A final recommendation of a revised program policy will be presented at the March 18, 2020 Council Meeting for approval.



Citywide/Organizational Goal

Operational Excellence: 3.2 Update and Create Standard Operating Procedures to achieve consistency in the management and implementation of departmental operations.

Government Stewardship and Accountability: 4.2 Adopt policies/practices in transparency, reporting, and auditing to deliver effective accountability to citizens.

Community Engagement and Empowerment: 5.5 Develop partnerships and organize social service agencies, religious organizations, and the neighborhood associations, hospitals, and health organizations including the VA hospital to connect residents to comprehensive coordinated services and resources.

Fiscal/Budget Impact:

There is no fiscal impact.

Recommendation(s):

Staff recommends the City Council to provide direction on the alternatives presented.

Attachment(s)

Resolution Number 157-11