



## Waste Management Community Benefits Request for Donations

The City of Riviera Beach, in conjunction with Waste Management Inc. of Florida, has established a Community Benefits Policy. Under the Policy each elected official shall be entitled to designate funds to support approved public projects for public purposes. Public purposes include, but are not limited to, charitable events, not-for-profit organizational events or programs and City functions or projects (which may include contributions to the City's Scholarship Fund or the City's Housing Trust Fund). All requests for donations must be presented to the City Council and approved by a majority of the City Council. The City will attempt to process all requests within fourteen (14) days of City Council approval.

**Ineligible uses** include the purchase of tables at events, campaign contributions, or payment for salaries or operational expenses. Funds cannot be used to cover an elected official's travel, meals, or for his or her personal benefit or gain or for the personal gain of relatives as defined by City Code, the Palm Beach County Code of Ethics or State Statutes, as applicable. Funds cannot be given to an entity/agency/organization for which the elected official is a director or officer.

Name of Elected Official Sponsoring Donation:

Douglas Lawson

Legal Name of Organization:

Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.

Program/ Activity Name:

Sigma Beta Club

Requested Amount: \$

1,500

Briefly describe the Program/Activity below and attach (1) letter of request or a more detailed description of the Program/Activity; (2) non-profit paperwork and (3) w-9 IRS form:

Sigma Beta Club consist of middle and high school students who participate in enrichment activities throughout the year.

Mailing Address:

P.O. Box 2164

City:

West Palm Beach

State:

Florida

Zip:

33402

Contact Person(s):

Octavian Prince

Phone:

(Tel) 2161-8248

Fax:

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Email Address:

Octavianprince@yahoo.com

Name of Authorized Official:

Octavian Prince

Signature of Authorized Official:

Octavian Prince

Date:

6/21/2021

**\*\*\*\*Return the form to the Elected Official or the Legislative Office for processing.**

## Waste Management Community Benefits Request for Donations Approval by Elected Official

I, DOUGLAS LAWSON, hereby certify that the donation to Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc complies with the City's Community Benefits Policy. I further certify that: (1) I am not an officer, director, partner, proprietor, employee, subcontractor or agent of the organization, its parent organization or subsidiary and I do not have any contractual relationship with or other obligation to the organization, its parent organization or subsidiary; (2) I have no relatives or business associates (as those terms are defined in section 112.312, Florida Statutes) who are officers, directors, partners, proprietors, employees, subcontractors or agents of the organization, its parent organization or subsidiary; (3) The disbursement of the foregoing amount will not inure to my special gain or loss or to the special gain or loss of my relatives or my business associates; and (4) I am not aware of any conflict of interest the disbursement of the foregoing amount to the organization will create for the City of Riviera Beach or myself.

Signature of Elected Official: [Signature] Date: 7/13/21

Amount Approved by Elected Official: \$ 1000

### City Council Action

<input type="checkbox"/> Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Disapproved
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Chairperson's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Gamma Zeta Sigma Foundation &  
Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc.



Dear Community Partner,

We are an international organization comprised of 750 chapters and over 150,000 college-educated men in the United States, Europe, Switzerland, Asia, Africa, and the Caribbean. In our 105 years of history we have focused on improving our community through dedicated service. This has allowed us to form partnerships with the American Cancer Society, the March of Dimes, Center for Disease Control and Prevention, Boy Scouts of America, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Services, and U.S. Small Business Administration just to name a few. We're proud to have sponsored REAL TALK during the 44th Annual Legislative Conference at the Congressional Black Caucus, the documentary on the life of legendary US Congressman John Lewis, and are very proud of our alliance with the Obama Foundation on the I Am My Brother's Keeper Initiative.

As a member of an even larger council, the National Pan -Hellenic Council, that includes 8 other Greek lettered national and international predominantly African American fraternities and sororities. These Black Greek lettered organizations were founded in the early 1900's during a time of racial segregation in America. Since then, we have promoted community awareness and action through educational, economic, and cultural service activities within the black community. Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Incorporated was founded on the campus of Howard University in 1914 and has since produced generations of professional men dedicated in thought and action to bettering their communities. One of the key initiatives of Phi Beta Sigma is our Sigma Beta Club.

As you may know, there are several key factors that contribute to the success of today's youth. Some of these factors include involved parents, strong teachers, community involvement, and mentors. For the last 67 years, Phi Beta Sigma has been fully invested in the success of young males through our youth auxiliary group, the Sigma Beta Club. Our mission is to help our Sigma Beta Club participants develop wholesome values, leadership skills, social skills, and cultural awareness at a most critical stage in their personal development. We strive to empower them to make life choices that positively impact their future through community-based mentoring while aligning our supplemental training to further augment their academic endeavors.

Your support will help us provide scholarships to our graduating seniors, conduct our spring break college tour, and provide social and cultural experiences for our Sigma Beta Club members. We are also eager to form partnerships that would enrich our youth members. Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity Incorporated and the Sigma Beta Club welcomes your assistance. For more information please contact Octavian Prince at 561-261-8268 or [westpalmbeachsigmas@gmail.com](mailto:westpalmbeachsigmas@gmail.com).

Sincerely,

Anthony Porter Jr.

Sigma Beta Club of West Palm Beach Coordinator

## SPONSORSHIP / DONATION FORM

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Website Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Authorizing Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

### PLEASE SELECT A SPONSORSHIP TIER:

- ❖ I Am My Brother's Keeper Level Sponsorship \$5,000
- ❖ Sigma Beta Club Level Sponsorship \$1,000
- ❖ Founder Level Sponsorship \$500
- ❖ Crescent Level Sponsorship \$250

Enclosed is a Tax Deductible Financial Contribution of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I am unable to support at this time.

\* Sponsors are responsible for providing Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. with all company logos, sponsorship merchandise (if applicable) and banners, as well as all promotional materials to be included in marketing gift bags.

All company logos and banners are subject to approval by the Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. Sponsor logo and literature will be due with payment to ensure inclusion on marketing materials. Display materials and set up will take place on the day of the event.

**Please submit sponsorship payment address to Gamma Zeta Sigma Foundation, Inc.  
PO Box 2164  
West Palm Beach, FL 33402**

Tax ID Number and 501(c)(3) IRS Department of Treasury Determination Letter provided upon request



# Consumer's Certificate of Exemption

Issued Pursuant to Chapter 212, Florida Statutes

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85-8015796481C-4	01/03/2017	01/31/2022	501(C)(3) ORGANIZATION
Certificate Number	Effective Date	Expiration Date	Exemption Category

This certifies that

GAMMA ZETA SIGMA CHAPTER FOUNDATION  
OF PHI BETA SIGMA FRATERNITY INC  
950 W 3RD ST  
RIVIERA BEACH FL 33404-7814

is exempt from the payment of Florida sales and use tax on real property rented, transient rental property rented, tangible personal property purchased or rented, or services purchased.



## Important Information for Exempt Organizations

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1. You must provide all vendors and suppliers with an exemption certificate before making tax-exempt purchases. See Rule 12A-1.038, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.).
2. Your *Consumer's Certificate of Exemption* is to be used solely by your organization for your organization's customary nonprofit activities.
3. Purchases made by an individual on behalf of the organization are taxable, even if the individual will be reimbursed by the organization.
4. This exemption applies only to purchases your organization makes. The sale or lease to others of tangible personal property, sleeping accommodations, or other real property is taxable. Your organization must register, and collect and remit sales and use tax on such taxable transactions. Note: Churches are exempt from this requirement except when they are the lessor of real property (Rule 12A-1.070, F.A.C.).
5. It is a criminal offense to fraudulently present this certificate to evade the payment of sales tax. Under no circumstances should this certificate be used for the personal benefit of any individual. Violators will be liable for payment of the sales tax plus a penalty of 200% of the tax, and may be subject to conviction of a third-degree felony. Any violation will require the revocation of this certificate.
6. If you have questions regarding your exemption certificate, please contact the Exemption Unit of Account Management at 800-352-3671. From the available options, select "Registration of Taxes," then "Registration Information," and finally "Exemption Certificates and Nonprofit Entities." The mailing address is PO Box 6480, Tallahassee, FL 32314-6480.