



## 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, as amended in November 2011. Under the Policy each elected official shall be entitled to designate up to \$15,000 per year (\$7,500 on October 1<sup>st</sup> and \$7,500 on April 1<sup>st</sup>) 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: Councilman Bruce A. Guyton

Legal Name of Organization: Riviera Beach Education Committee

Program/ Activity Name: Scholarship Program

Requested Amount: **1000.00**

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:

On an annual basis, The Riviera Beach Education Committee provides scholarships to deserving youth and young adults in the Riviera Beach community attending College and Universities of higher learning.

Mailing Address: 600 West Blue Heron Blvd.

City: Riviera Beach State: FL Zip 33404

Contact Person(s) Hyacinthia Becton, Chair

Phone: (561) 844-7713

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

Name of Authorized Official: Hyacinthia Becton

Signature of Authorized Official: Hyacinthia Becton Date: Dec. 1, 2015

**\*\*\*\*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, Councilman Bruce A. Guyton hereby certify that the donation to Riviera Beach Education Committee 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 with 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:  Date: Dec. 1, 2015

Amount Approved: \$1000.00

### **City Council Action**

☐ Approved

☐ Disapproved

Chairperson's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Blue, Sylvia**

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**From:** Cinthia Becton <cinthiabecton84@aol.com>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 01, 2015 1:44 PM  
**To:** Guyton, Bruce  
**Cc:** Blue, Sylvia; rabrown1928@gmail.com; cinthiabecton84@aol.com  
**Subject:** Request Scholarship Funding

To The Honorable Bruce Guyton  
Councilman District 1  
Riviera Beach City Council

Thank you for your continued support of the Riviera Beach Scholarship Program. Your commitment to the academic achievement of our youth is invaluable.

We are again requesting your assisting by donating \$2,000.00 from your Community Benefits Fund to the 2016 Scholarship Program. We anticipate opening the application period in early February 2016.

Again, thank you for your continued support of the youth of our community.

Sincerely,  
Hyacinthia Becton, Chair  
Riviera Beach Education Comm