



Cover Memorandum/Staff Report

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Agenda Date: 7/21/2026

Item #: 6.I.

TO: Mayor and Commissioners
FROM: Chief Darrell Hunter, Police Department
THROUGH: Terrence R. Moore, ICMA-CM
DATE: July 21, 2026

APPROVAL OF REQUESTS FOR FUNDING FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND (LETF) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026

Recommended Action:

Motion to approve requests for funding from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund (LETF) for fiscal year 2025-2026 pursuant to Florida Statute 932.7055, Disposition of Liens and Forfeited Property.

Background:

Florida State Statute 932.7055, Disposition of Liens and Forfeited Property regulates our Law Enforcement Trust Fund (LETF) distribution. Any local law enforcement agency that acquires at least \$15,000 pursuant to the Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act within a fiscal year must expend or donate no less than 25 percent of such proceeds for the support or operation of any drug treatment, drug abuse education, drug prevention, crime prevention, safe neighborhoods, or school resource officer program or programs. These funds may be expended upon request by the sheriff to the Board of County Commissioners or by the Chief of Police to the governing body of the municipality, accompanied by written certification that the request complies with the provisions of the statute and only upon appropriation to the sheriff's office or police department by the Board of County Commissioners or the governing body of the municipality.

The Police Department created a standard application that fulfills the necessary requirements mentioned above. Requests for funding are submitted using the application and are reviewed by the Chief of Police prior to submitting the request to the City Commission for approval. Only upon Commission approval will funds be awarded to the applicants. All organizations executed the agreements first with exception of the School Board of Palm Beach County, who will execute after the City's approval. The City of Delray Beach Police Department requests funds from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund (LETF) be distributed to the following entities which have been reviewed and approved by the Chief of Police:

4 KNOWLEDGE IS POWER, INC. \$3,111
COMMUNITY CHILD CARE CENTER OF DELRAY BEACH, INC. \$3,111
EMANUEL JACKSON SR. PROJECT, INC. \$3,111
GBDC ENTREPRENEURSHIP INSTITUTE INC. \$1,500
GULF STREAM COUNCIL OF BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, IN C. \$3,111
JEWISH VOLUNTEER AMBULANCE CORPS INC. \$1,500
KEITH STRAGHN MEMORIAL FOUNDATION, INC. \$1,500
KNIGHTS OF PYTHAGORAS MENTORING NETWORK, INC. \$3,111

LIVING SKILLS IN THE SCHOOLS, INC. \$3,111
MIRACLE LEAGUE OF DELRAY BEACH, INC. \$3,111
NATIONAL COALITION OF 100 BLACK WOMEN, INC., SOUTH PALM BEACH COUNTY CHAPTER
\$1,500
ROOTS AND WINGS INC. \$3,111
SCHOOL BOARD OF PALM BEACH COUNTY \$3,111
SOUTH FLORIDA MEDICAL AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INSTITUTE, INC. \$1,500
STREETWAVES CORPORATION \$1,500
SWEET DREAM MAKERS, INC. \$1,500
VISUAL ADJECTIVES SEEDS, INC. \$1,500

City Attorney Review:

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency.

Funding Source/Financial Impact:

112-21-120-521.49-63 (Other Current Charges Tri Rail Trolley/Crime Prevention)

Timing of Request:

N/A