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~ CRA BOARD SUMMARY ~

TO: CRA Board of Commissioners

THROUGH: Jeff Costello, CRA Executive Director

DATE: August 27, 2018

RE: A-GUIDE FY 2018-19 FUNDING REQUEST GREATER DELRAY BEACH CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Recommended Action:

Direct staff to include funding for the Chamber in the CRA's FY 18-19 Budget in the amount of \$40,000.

Background:

At the August 15th CRA Board Workshop meeting, the Board reviewed the FY 2018-19 A-GUIDE Funding Request submitted by the Greater Delray Beach Chamber of Commerce Chamber (GDBCC) in partnership with Palm Beach Tech (PBT) under the category of Economic Development for their Business Incubator Program – 1909 Accelerator. After discussing the request, the Board continued the item. Subsequently, CRA staff met with the Chamber representatives regarding the comments and concerns raised by the Board. Attached is an Addendum to the GDBCC's A-GUIDE application requesting \$40,000 of A-GUIDE funding along with a revised Combined and Narrative Budget for the Program. The August 15th CRA Board workshop summary and attachments are also included for reference.

Attachment(s): Exhibit A - Addendum to A-GUIDE Funding Request dated 8-21-18 with Revised Budget; Exhibit B – Board Summary; Application Evaluation Form; Program/Project Logic Model; Funding Evaluation Plan; CRA Combined Budget Form; CRA Program/Project A Budget Narrative Form; FY 18-19 Goals & Outcomes Report.

<u>CRA Attorney Review:</u> N/A

Finance Review: N/A

Funding Source/Financial Impact: N/A

Timing of Request: N/A