

City of Delray Beach

Legislation Text

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TO: CRA Board of Commissioners

FROM: Joan K. Goodrich, Economic Development Director

THROUGH: Jeff Costello, CRA Executive Director

DATE: November 13, 2018

DELRAY BEACH HISTORICAL SOCIETY 4TH QUARTER FY2017-18 A-GUIDE REPORT Recommended Action:

Receive and file

Background:

On September 28, 2017, the CRA awarded the Delray Beach Historical Society a \$75,000 A-GUIDE grant plus \$50,000 (to replace funding typically received from the City) for a total funding of \$125,000 which represents 45% of DBHS's program budget. The A-Guide grant was awarded to support the Delray Beach Historical Society's Cultural Heritage and Museum Program. Below are highlights and a program snapshot from the DBHS's 4Q FY 2017-18 A-Guide Report ending September 30, 2018.

Delray Beach Historical Society Highlights from Winnie Edwards, Executive Director: See attached letter dated October 31, 2018.

Program Snapshot: Cultural Heritage and Museum Program

Funding Amount: \$125,000 Program Budget: \$280,000 % of Budget: 45%

| Select Key Program Metrics | Annual Total | 4Q Totals | Year-End Totals |
|---|--------------|-----------|-----------------|
| Annual Number of Attendees | 2,800 | 504 | 3,516 |
| Annual Event, Exhibit, Tour Program Revenue | \$74,000 | \$4,572 | \$65,448 |
| Number of New Members | 23 | 13 | 44 |
| Total Research Projects and Image Orders | 350 | 29 | 142 |
| Total Annual Projects and Image Orders Revenue | \$5,575 | \$272 | \$2,584 |

It is noted that there are existing challenges with the process to sell historic photos due to the impact of the digital age and current non-compliance with copyrights. The Delray Beach Historical Society will be updating their processes for this service during the next year.

CRA Attorney Review: N/A

Finance Review: N/A

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Funding Source/Financial Impact: CRA G/L #: 7376 A-Guide Funding

Timing of Request: N/A