

TOWN OF DAVIE

TOWN COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

TO: Mayor and Councilmembers

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SUBJECT: Resolution

AFFECTED DISTRICT: District 1 & District 3, but Town wide for participation

TITLE OF AGENDA ITEM: A resolution of the Town of Davie, Florida authorizing application, approval and execution for a grant under the State of Florida Department of Education Summer Food Service Program for children.

REPORT IN BRIEF: This program provides free lunches for the children at Orange Park Community Center, Eastside Community Hall, and Davie P.A.L. neighborhoods. This program also provides free lunches for anyone under the age of 18, even if they are not enrolled in our program. Town staff monitors and administers this program and the grant fully reimburses the Town for staff costs.

PREVIOUS ACTIONS: For several years the Town of Davie has received the State of Florida Department of Education Summer Food Service grant for the participants at our summer recreation programs. This program has been successful by providing lunches at no charge to all children under 18 years of age. Last year we provided approximately 3,200 lunches for eligible children. This is a much needed program for providing nutritional lunches for children.

CONCURRENCES: R-2003-116, R-2003-40 and R 2004-064

FISCAL IMPACT:

Has request been budgeted? yes

If yes, expected cost: \$15,000

Account Name: Diversionary Drop-in Food Program Expense

What account will funds be appropriated from: 001-0816-572-0518

RECOMMENDATION(S): Motion to approve resolution

Attachment(s): Resolution

RESOLUTION _____

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING APPLICATION, APPROVAL AND EXECUTION FOR A GRANT UNDER THE STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN.

WHEREAS, the Town of Davie provides a Davie Summer Recreation program at the Orange Park Community Center and Eastside Community Hall, and with supervised activities for eight weeks; and

WHEREAS, Davie P.A.L. qualifies as a potential food site; and

WHEREAS, these community facilities qualify for the federal guidelines for a free or reduced lunch program which makes them eligible for this summer food program; and

WHEREAS, this Grant will provide lunches, at no charge, for all children 18 years old and younger, both enrolled and non-enrolled at an open site, and those children are eligible for a free lunch; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the Town of Davie that the Town enter into an agreement for such funding from the Florida Department of Education Summer Food Service program for children.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA.

SECTION 1. The Town Council of the Town of Davie does hereby authorize the application, approval and execution by the Town for a grant from the Florida Department of Education.

SECTION 2. Further, the Town Council authorizes the Mayor, Town Administrator and appropriate staff to execute said contract and all necessary documents.

SECTION 3. This resolution, determined as being for the benefit of the children of this Town, shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS ___DAY OF _____, 2005

MAYOR/COUNCILMEMBER

ATTEST:

TOWN CLERK

APPROVED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2005.