

# TOWN OF DAVIE

## TOWN COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

**TO:** Mayor and Councilmembers

**FROM/PHONE:** Russell C. Muniz, Town Clerk / 797-1023

**SUBJECT:** Resolution

**AFFECTED DISTRICT:** Townwide

**TITLE OF AGENDA ITEM:** A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, REQUESTING THAT THE BROWARD COUNTY COMMISSION ADD THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS VAN KIRK GROVES TO THE LAND PRESERVATION INVENTORY OF CONSERVATION AREAS AND GREEN SPACES FOR FUTURE CONSIDERATION BY THE LAND PRESERVATION ADVISORY BOARD AND THE BROWARD COUNTY COMMISSION.

**REPORT IN BRIEF:** In July, 2002 The Town of Davie submitted a grant to the Florida Communities Trust for the acquisition of 115 acres of pasture land located at the intersection of 136<sup>th</sup> Avenue and SW 26<sup>th</sup> Street.

**PREVIOUS ACTIONS:** N/A

**CONCURRENCES:** The Town has submitted a grant to the Florida Communities Trust to convert this parcel into a wetland.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** N/A

**RECOMMENDATION(S):** Motion to approve resolution.

**Attachment(s):** Resolution

Resolution \_\_\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, REQUESTING THAT THE BROWARD COUNTY COMMISSION ADD THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS VAN KIRK GROVES TO THE LAND PRESERVATION INVENTORY OF CONSERVATION AREAS AND GREEN SPACES FOR FUTURE CONSIDERATION BY THE LAND PRESERVATION ADVISORY BOARD AND THE BROWARD COUNTY COMMISSION.

WHEREAS, the Town of Davie has taken great strides to preserve the rural lifestyle of its residents in order to comply with the residents' desire to preserve open space; and

WHEREAS, Broward County, upon approval from its voters, created a 400 million dollar fund to identify and preserve conservation areas and green spaces; and

WHEREAS, the Van Kirk Groves property, located at the intersection of 136<sup>th</sup> Avenue and SW 26<sup>th</sup> Street, and recognized by folio number 504014020010, has been identified as an ideal site for a wetlands project; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Davie desires to convert this 115 acre parcel into a wetlands site with an educational component; and

WHEREAS, the Town has demonstrated its commitment as evidenced by its application for a Florida Communities Trust Grant; and

WHEREAS, the Land Preservation Advisory Board is seeking to rank parcels submitted for funding by the Broward County Commission.

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

SECTION 1. That the Town of Davie hereby requests that the Broward County Commission add the Van Kirk Groves Property located at the intersection of 136<sup>th</sup> Avenue and SW 26<sup>th</sup> Street to the Land Preservation inventory of conservation areas and green spaces parcels to be considered by the Land Preservation Advisory Board.

SECTION 2. The Town Clerk is directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Broward County Commission and the Land Preservation Advisory Board.

SECTION 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS \_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2002

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Mayor/Councilmember

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Town Clerk

APPROVED THIS \_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_ 2002