



Town Council Agenda Report

SUBJECT: Resolution

CONTACT PERSON/NUMBER Chief John George/693-8320

TITLE OF AGENDA ITEM: A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND FOR DONATION TO THE BROWARD COUNTY CRIME STOPPERS.

REPORT IN BRIEF: The Town of Davie Police Department would like to join with other Broward County municipalities in each donating \$3,500 to the Crime Stoppers organization. This supplemental funding is to be taken from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund and will enable the Broward County Crime Stoppers to continue their worthwhile endeavors.

PREVIOUS ACTIONS: \$2,500 was donated as our annual contribution in February 1998, per resolution

CONCURRENCES: not applicable

FISCAL IMPACT:

Has request been budgeted? Not budgeted - forfeiture funds available

Expected cost \$3,500.00

Account Name: Law Enforcement Trust Fund

RECOMMENDATION(S): Motion to approve the resolution

Attachment(s):

Resolution

Letter from Crime Stoppers

RESOLUTION _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND FOR DONATION TO THE BROWARD COUNTY CRIME STOPPERS.

WHEREAS, Florida State Statute, 932.704, provides for the use of funds from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund for the purpose of criminal investigations; and

WHEREAS, the Broward County Crime Stoppers is a working and productive organization in its efforts to solicit the assistance of the public in the location and apprehension of criminals; and

WHEREAS, the cases pursued by the Broward County Crime Stoppers has resulted in the arrest and conviction of a vast number of criminals who would otherwise remain at large; and

WHEREAS, the Davie Police Department desires to provide supplemental funding in the amount of \$3,500.00 to the Broward County Crime Stoppers to be funded from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund, in accordance with Florida Statutes 932.704, which is not a recurring cost. 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 hereby agrees to expend \$3,500.00 to Broward County Crime Stoppers, to be appropriated from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund.

SECTION 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2000

MAYOR/COUNCILMEMBER

ATTEST:

TOWN CLERK

APPROVED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 2000

Attach to Resolution

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February 21, 2000

Chief John George
Davie Police Department
1230 S Nob Hill Road
Davie, FL 33324

Dear Chief George:

The Broward Crime Stopper Program is requesting you once again donate to our reward fund the sum of \$ 3,500 from the Davie Police Department forfeiture account.

As you are aware the funds are used solely to pay for anonymous tips leading to the solution of a crime. Since its inception in 1981 the Broward Crime Stopper Program has paid out more than one million dollars in rewards. The information supplied has resulted in the solution of more than eleven thousand cases and more than 7 thousand arrests. Our information has helped to solve. At last count, 157 homicides in Broward.

The town of Davie has benefited directly from the Crime Stopper Program and has been a strong supporter in the past. We know you will continue that support in the future. We thank you in advance for your consideration and look forward to working closely with your department in the coming year.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ralph Page".

Ralph Page,
Chairman