



City of Hallandale Beach City Commission Agenda Cover Memo

Meeting Date:	Item Type:		1 st Reading	2 nd Reading
2/17/2021	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinance <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Ordinance Reading	N/A	N/A
		Public Hearing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Advertising Required	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
		Quasi Judicial:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
File No.:				
21-053				
Fiscal Impact (\$):	Account Balance (\$):	Funding Source:	Project Number :	
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Contract/P.O. Required	RFP/RFQ/Bid Number:	Sponsor Name:	Department:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	N/A	Jeremy Earle, City Manager	City Manager's Office	
Strategic Plan Focus Areas:				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Finance & Budget		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organizational Capacity		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Infrastructure/Projects
Implementation Timeline:				
Estimated Start Date: 3/2/2021 Estimated End Date: 9/30/2021				

SHORT TITLE:

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HALLANDALE BEACH, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE "2021 STATE LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM" AS ITS LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES; AUTHORIZING THE LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM TO BE PRESENTED TO THE BROWARD COUNTY STATE LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION FOR CONSIDERATION DURING THE 2021 LEGISLATIVE SESSION AND TO GIVE DIRECTION TO BALLARD PARTNERS, INC. AS THEIR PROGRAM; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

STAFF SUMMARY:

Summary:

Staff seeks City Commission approval and adoption of the proposed City of Hallandale Beach 2021 State Legislative Program.

Background:

Throughout the year the City Commission discusses various issues for submittal to the Broward County Legislative Delegation and the State Legislators for consideration during the Legislative Session. The 2021 Legislative Session is scheduled to commence in March 2021.

Current Situation:

Ballard Partners, Inc., the City's lobbying firm, advised on a list of recommended priorities and provided guidance on the submittal of direct appropriation requests. A draft with recommendations for the City of Hallandale Beach 2021 State Legislative Program is attached. The draft is based on past City Commission directive and current issues recommended by staff.

The following direct appropriation requests are included for consideration during the upcoming session:

- Austin Hepburn Senior Mini Center Funding - \$276,584
- After School Tutorial Enrichment Program - \$350,000
- Alternative Water Supply – Expanded Reuse Water Phase II Construction - \$500,000
- Pedestrian Safety – Student Safety Mobility Improvement Project - \$450,000
- Electric Vehicle Parking and Charging Facility - \$785,000

Why Action is Necessary:

Action by the City Commission will result in the adoption of the City's State Legislative Program. The Legislative Program establishes the City's legislative goals, gives direction to our lobbying firm, Ballard Partners, Inc., and provides a City Commission authorized list of issues for the members of the Broward Delegation and other legislators during the 2021 Legislative Session.

Cost Benefit:

The City will benefit from the potential receipt of state funding and related savings resulting from the advocacy of State Legislators.

PROPOSED ACTION:

The City Commission consider the attached Resolution adopting the 2021 State Legislative Program to be presented to the City's State Legislators for their consideration during the 2021 Florida Legislative Session.

ATTACHMENT(S):

Exhibit 1 – Proposed Resolution

Exhibit 2 – Draft 2021 State Legislative Program

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