

HISTORIC TOWN OF EATONVILLE, FLORIDA

TOWN COUNCIL WORKSHOP

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ITEM TITLE: Discussion of A Local Business Preference Program

(Public Works)

TOWN COUNCIL ACTION:

PROCLAMATIONS, AWARDS, AND PRESENTATIONS		Department: PUBLIC WORKS
INTRODUCTIONS		Exhibits:
CONSENT AGENDA		Local Business Preference Slide Show
COUNCIL DISCUSSION	YES	
ADMINISTRATIVE		

REQUEST: Request for the Town Council to discuss the concept of a Local Business Preference Program.

SUMMARY:

In association with over \$50 million in townwide infrastructure construction projects, staff is proposing a town-wide Local Bid Preference Program in which local businesses will be easily identified for potential contracting preferences encouraging local small businesses to compete for city contracting opportunities within the town and to maintain local operations.

RECOMMENDATION: Recommend to the Town Council to discuss the concept of a Local Business Preference Program and work with the attorney in preparing an ordinance.

FISCAL & EFFICIENCY DATA: N/A