



## ITEM SUMMARY

**MEETING DATE:** December 4, 2023

**FROM:** Austin Lee, Director, Communications & Public Affairs

**SUBJECT:** 2023 City Photo Contest Winners

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### BACKGROUND

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The City's annual Photo Contest began in 2018 and each year it grows and produces more photos taken within our great city! This year, we received 48 submittals, with 14 of those meeting qualifications and being viable for judging with the ability to be enlarged.

Thank you to this year's selection committee, representing 11 City Departments:

Kathleen Schlosbon – City Clerk's Office  
Cynthia Mederos – Human Resources  
Pavielle Clemons – Finance  
Anthony Adams – Community & Recreation Services  
Kristal Boivin – Fire Rescue  
Sasha Burrell – Purchasing  
Michael Jerrahian – Development & Neighborhood Services  
Aileen Hernandez – Public Works  
Elsa Martinez – Youth Programs  
Griselle 'Gigi' Chazu – Economic Development  
Kress Estime – Information Technology

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I would like to thank and acknowledge Loris Baez, Multimedia Communications Specialist from the Communications Dept. for her time and expertise in coordinating this annual program!

A very special thank you to Blanca Mackrey, owner of the State Farm office located on Lake Worth Road, who generously sponsored the gift cards awarded tonight and served as a guest judge! Thank you so much for your continued community support and involvement in this program!

Tonight, we recognize the 3 top winners:

1st Place – \$150 to Marge Dunigan (Peeping Iguana)

2nd Place – \$125 to Anthony Vega (Laid Back View)

3rd Place – \$100 to Nestor Arrieta (Eyewide)

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