From: Francine Ramaglia FRamaglia@loxahatcheegrovesfl.gov @

Subject: RE: Congresswoman Sheila Cherfilus-McCormick - Town Council Chambers Appropriations Meeting Space Request

Date: April 4, 2025 at 4:59 PM

To: Lisa El-Ramey lel-ramey@loxahatcheegrovesfl.gov

Cc: Glen Torcivia glen@torcivialaw.com

### Thanks for your quick response.



#### Francine L. Ramaglia

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From: Lisa El-Ramey < lel-ramey@loxahatcheegrovesfl.gov>

**Sent:** Friday, April 4, 2025 4:29 PM

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Appropriations Meeting Space Request

While I can agree this is an opportunity that may be too hard to pass up, I do not believe the town manager has the authority to unilaterally change the meeting date for town council.

Glen, please advise

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On Apr 4, 2025, at 3:34 PM, Francine Ramaglia <FRamaglia@loxahatcheegrovesfl.gov> wrote:

Good afternoon,

What a wonderful opportunity for the Town. Of note, the Congresswoman is working with the Town to sponsor a 4-5 million federal appropriation for drainage infrastructure and she has encouraged us to go as big as we are comfortable with. It will be a wonderful opportunity to have her and her office hear about the issues associated with rural communities, ours especially since we are surrounded by encroaching development and have a very limited tax base to sustain the cost of necessary infrastructure.

We are very excited to host this event as we hope you and our community are as well.

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Francine L. Ramaglia

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From: Town Clerk Assistant < townclerkassistant@loxahatcheegrovesfl.gov >

**Sent:** Friday, April 4, 2025 3:18 PM

To: TownCouncil < TownCouncil@loxahatcheegrovesfl.gov>

**Cc:** Francine Ramaglia < FRamaglia@loxahatcheegrovesfl.gov >; Valerie

Oakes < voakes@loxahatcheegrovesfl.gov>

Subject: Congresswoman Sheila Cherfilus-McCormick - Town Council

**Chambers Appropriations Meeting Space Request** 

Dear Mayor and Members of the Town Council,

I hope this message finds you well. I am writing to inform you that the Office of Congresswoman Sheila Cherfilus-McCormick has reached out to our office with a request to utilize the Town Hall Council Chamber. They would like to host a Western Counties Appropriations Meeting on April 15th from 5:30 to 7:30 P.M. The purpose of this meeting is to advise the western communities within her district, which include the Town of Loxahatchee Groves and the Glades communities (South Bay, Belle Glade, and Pahokee), on the upcoming congressional appropriations process.

In order to accommodate this request, we plan to reschedule the Town Council Workshop and Volunteer Appreciation Event from April 15th to April 22nd. This adjustment will ensure that we can support the Congresswoman's efforts to support our community.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns regarding this change. Thank you in advance for your understanding and cooperation.

# Respectfully,

#### Sammie Brown, FRA-RP, MEDP

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