

COMMUNICATIONS AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

To: Mayor and Town Council

From: Robyn Battle, Executive Director

Through: Mario Canizares, Town Manager

Re: Nonprofit Support Options

Town Council Meeting – January 9, 2024

Strategic Visioning Priority: 4. Provide Excellent Municipal Services

Agenda Item:

Discussion regarding nonprofit support options.

Description of Agenda Item:

The Town Council received an update on the Town's existing levels of support for nonprofit organizations at the June 27, 2023, Town Council Work Session. Following that meeting, the Council received an inventory of all the support provided by the Town to local nonprofit organizations.

A summary of the Town's support for nonprofit organizations are listed below:

- Direct financial assistance through the purchase of tables/tickets for annual fundraisers
- In Kind support through the following activities:
 - o In-Kind support through promotion of nonprofit organizations on the Town website
 - In-Kind support through inclusion in Town events such as the Citizens Academy, Celebrate Prosper, and the New Resident Mixer
 - In-Kind support through awareness campaigns and drives, such as toy, clothing, and food drives
 - Fee waivers for Special Events

Budget Impact:

Current direct financial support by the Town to local nonprofit organizations is approximately \$5,900 and is budgeted through the Town Secretary's Office.

Town Staff Recommendation:

Town staff is seeking direction from the Council on whether to continue or modify the Town's current levels of support for nonprofit organizations.