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Date:

February 15, 2022

To:

Mayor and Members of the City Council

From:

Councilmember Al Austin II, Eighth District

Subject:

Funds Transfer Request to the African American Heritage Society of

Long Beach

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Increase appropriations in the General Fund Group in the City Manager Department by \$500, offset by the Eighth Council District One-time District Priority Funds, transferred from the Citywide Activities Department, to provide a donation to the African American Heritage Society of Long Beach

Decrease appropriation in the General Fund Group in the Citywide Activities Department by \$500, to offset a transfer to the City Manager Department.

BACKGROUND:

The African American Heritage Society of Long Beach (AAHS) collects resources and funds to promote and preserve African American history, support African American genealogical research, and expand public awareness of these contributions for all. Founded in 1997, this year marks the 25th anniversary of AAHS in Long Beach. Their continued commitment to highlighting Black accomplishments benefits all of Long Beach, shown by the African American Resource Area located at Burnett Neighborhood Library.

Continuing their tradition of Black History Month programming, AAHS will be hosting an upcoming virtual event, "Breaking Barriers: Sports Edition" on Saturday, February 19th at 4:00pm. The event will feature a special interview with former NFL Player and CSULB athlete Terrell Davis.

This contribution provides funding for a celebration of African American excellence in athletics, while also recognizing some of our community's most accomplished individuals. Further, the event being held virtually will allow a broader audience to join in on the festivities. I am requesting the Council's approval to support this noble endeavor.

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FISCAL IMPACT:

Because of the urgency of this item, a fiscal review was not able to be performed.

STATEMENT OF URGENCY:

Due to how soon this event is taking place, this item is urgent in nature.



City of Long Beach Memorandum Working Together to Serve

REQUEST TO ADD AGENDA ITEM

Date:

February 15, 2022

To:

Monique De La Garza, City Clerk

From:

Councilmember Al Austin, Eighth District

Councilmember Daryl Supernaw Fourth District

Councilmember Suzy Price, Third District

Subject: Request to Add Agenda Item to Council Agenda of February 15, 2022

Pursuant to Municipal Code Section 2.03.070 [B], the City Councilmembers signing below request that the attached agenda item (due in the City Clerk Department by Friday, 12:00 Noon) be placed on the City Council agenda via the supplemental agenda.

The agenda title/recommendation for this item reads as follows:

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Council District	Authorizing Councilmember	Signed by
8	Austin	
4	Supernaw	
3	Price	

Attachment: Staff Report dated February 15, 2022