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City of Long Beach



Working Together to Serve



Date: October 3rd, 2023
To: Honorable Mayor and Council
From: Councilwoman Mary Zendejas, First Council District
Subject: Funds Transfer in support of QFilms Festival 2023

RECOMMENDATION:

Increase appropriations in the General Fund Group in the City Manager Department by \$350, offset by the First Council District One-time District Priority Funds, transferred from the Citywide Activities Department, to provide a donation to The LGBTQ Center of Long Beach in support of the QFilms Festival 2023; and,

Decrease appropriations in the General Fund Group in the Citywide Activities Department by \$350 to offset a transfer to the City Manager Department.

DISCUSSION:

Art is a means of expression, education, and inspiration. The QFilms Festival, organized by The LGBTQ Center of Long Beach, is celebrating 30 years of sharing some of the best LGBTQ independent films. This festival is a queer celebration of the art of storytelling, and it adds to our city's equitable vision of building a city that is inclusive and rich in cultural diversity. It is appropriate for City Council to support these efforts.

This matter has been reviewed by Budget Analyst Joe R. Guerrero on September 26, 2023.

FISCAL IMPACT:

This recommendation requests the City Manager to provide a contribution to The LGBTQ Center of Long Beach in support of the QFilms Festival 2023. The total appropriation increase of \$350 in the General Fund Group in the City Manager Department will be offset by a decrease of appropriation of First Council District One-time District Priority Funds in the General Fund Group in the Citywide Activities Department. The requested action is anticipated to require a minimal level of staff hours beyond the normal budgeted scope of duties and expected to have minimal impact on existing City Council priorities.

STATEMENT OF URGENCY:

This item requires urgency so as to allow a timely transfer of funds.



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REQUEST TO ADD AGENDA ITEM


Date: October 03, 2023
To: Monique De La Garza, City Clerk
From: Councilwoman Mary Zendejas, First Council District
Subject: Request to Add Agenda Item to Council Agenda of **(October 03, 2023)**

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 under New Business via the supplemental agenda.

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

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Council District	Authorizing Councilmember	Signed by
1	Councilmember Mary Zendejas	
2	Vice Mayor Cindy Allen	
6	Councilmember Suely Saro	

Attachment: Staff Report dated **October 03, 2023**

CC: Office of the Mayor