

CITY OF LONG BEACH

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, RECREATION & MARINE

2760 N. Studebaker Road, Long Beach, CA 90815-1697 (562) 570-3100 • FAX (562) 570-3109 www.lbparks.org

May 23, 2006

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL City of Long Beach California

RECOMMENDATION:

- 1) Authorize the City Manager to execute all necessary documents with the Amateur Athletic Foundation of Los Angeles, Inc., to accept "Summer Swim 2006" funds for summer aquatic programs for economically disadvantaged youth, from June 19, 2006 to August 26, 2006; and
- 2) Authorize the City Manager to execute all necessary documents to implement and administer the grant and any amendments. (Districts 3, 5, 6, and 7)

DISCUSSION

The Amateur Athletic Foundation of Los Angeles, Inc., (AAF) makes grant funds available to recreation agencies for various youth sports programs, which are designed to provide disadvantaged youth, ages 7 to 17, the opportunity to learn and develop sports skills. The City's Summer Swim 2006 program provides funding for organized instructional swim activities that culminate in competitive events, a springboard diving program, water polo program, and a synchronized swimming program. The program will commence on June 19, 2006 and conclude on August 26, 2006.

Through an AAF Request for Proposal process, the Department of Parks, Recreation and Marine has been selected to receive \$29,384 in grant funds for this summer. The monies will fund scholarship programs for economically disadvantaged youth in swim instruction, springboard diving, water polo, and synchronized swimming, and will also include coaching workshops for staff. The funds received will be apportioned as shown on Attachments A, B, and C.

This matter was reviewed by Senior Deputy City Attorney Donna F. Gwin on May 16, 2006, and Budget Management Officer David Wodynski on May 10, 2006.

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL May 23, 2006 Page 3

TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

City Council action is requested on May 23, 2006, to facilitate processing of the required documents.

FISCAL IMPACT

Funding for the Summer Swim 2006 program is currently budgeted in the Department of Parks, Recreation and Marine (PR). The total funding is \$29,384, of which \$18,648 is in the General Fund (GP) and \$10,736 is in the Tidelands Operating Fund (TF). The funding is offset by revenue from the AAF grant. There is no net impact to either Fund.

SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted.

PHIL T. HESTER

DIRECTOR OF PARKS, RECREATION AND MARINE

PTH:CM:SNJ:msc

Attachments

APPROVED:

GERALD R. MILLER CITY MANAGER