



Interoffice Memorandum

AGENDA ITEM

APPROVED  
BY ORANGE COUNTY BOARD  
OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
MAY 06 2014 *NP/KH*

April 24, 2014

TO: Mayor Teresa Jacobs  
-AND-  
Board of County Commissioners

THRU: Lonnie C. Bell, Jr., Director *DC for LCB*  
Family Services Department

FROM: Lavon B. Williams, Manager, J.D.  
Neighborhood Preservation and Revitalization Division

SUBJECT: Consent Agenda Item May 6, 2014  
May 2014 Neighborhood Pride Mini-Grant Recipients

The Neighborhood Preservation and Revitalization Division administers the Neighborhood Pride Grant Program that provides funds for citizen organizations to enhance the quality of their neighborhoods. There has been an overwhelming response from a wide range of neighborhood organizations showing continued interest in the Neighborhood Pride Mini-Grant Program.

The Neighborhood Pride Mini-Grant Program offers small grants to countywide volunteer neighborhood organizations for projects less than \$1,500. The neighborhood organizations are required to attend a mandatory grant workshop and establish a neighborhood team to work with staff on implementing neighborhood projects. The grant applications are accepted from October through June and reviewed monthly by the Neighborhood Grants Advisory Board (NGAB).

The NGAB is recommending the approval of Oaks at Paradise Subdivision and Meadow Woods Village 7 Action Group Neighborhood Pride Mini Grants (see Attachment A). The grant requests are displayed in greater detail in Attachment B and C. The grants were reviewed by County staff and presented to the NGAB for recommendation. The applications were reviewed based on project feasibility, organizational readiness, and benefit to the community.

In addition, the applications were reviewed against the County's permitting requirements to ensure that the project would comply with appropriate County codes. Finally, the neighborhood organizations were required to demonstrate the ability to maintain the project.

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**ACTION REQUESTED:** Approval of the May 2014 Neighborhood Pride Mini-Grants as recommended by the Neighborhood Grants Advisory Board for Oaks at Paradise Subdivision (\$1,500) and Meadow Woods Village 7 Action Group (\$1,500). Districts 2 and 4.

Attachments

c: Antwan Nelson, Neighborhood Preservation and Revitalization Division  
Lyndon Carter, Chairperson, Neighborhood Grants Advisory Board

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**ATTACHMENT A**

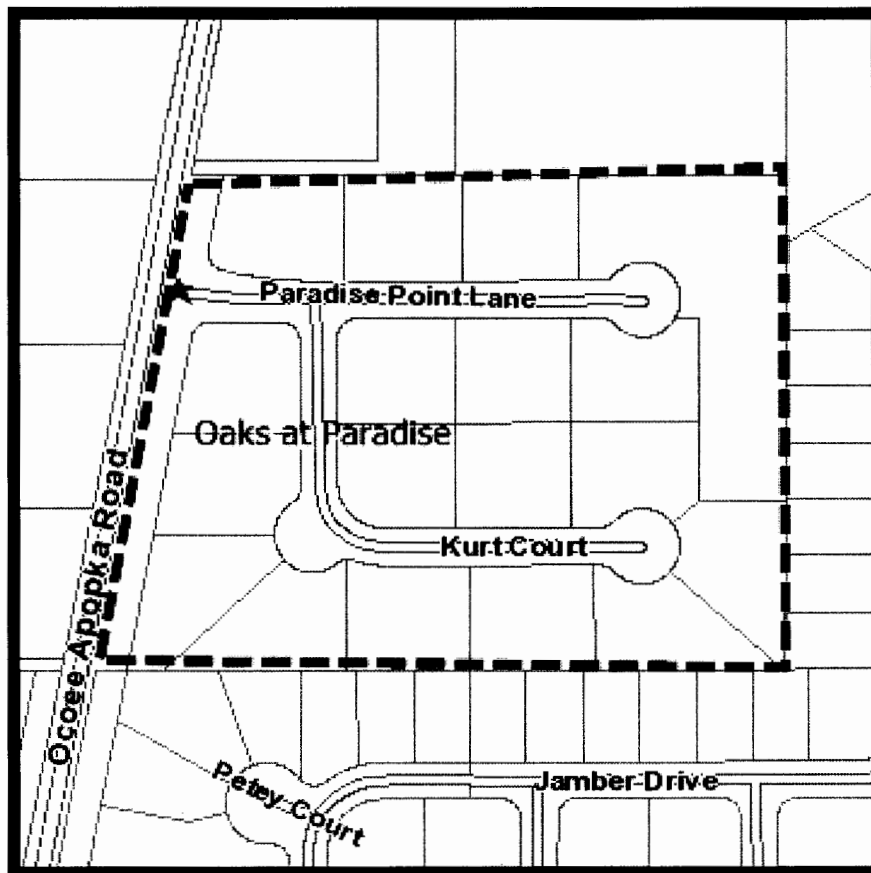
<b>District</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Type of Organization</b>	<b>Project</b>	<b>Property Ownership</b>	<b>Requested Amount</b>	<b>Community Match</b>	<b>Project Location</b>
2	Oaks At Paradise Subdivision	Neighborhood	Landscaping	Public	\$1,500	\$0	Ocoee Apopka Road and Paradise Point Lane
4	Meadow Woods Village 7 Action Group	Action Group	Minor Irrigation Repair	Private	\$1,500	\$0	Landstar Boulevard and Chicago Woods Circle
			<b>Total Requests</b>		<b>\$3,000</b>		

**Attachment B**

**Neighborhood Pride Grant  
Profile**

Organization Name: Oaks at Paradise Neighborhood	Request Amount: \$1,500
Commission District 2: Fred Brummer	Matching Amount: N/A
Municipality Jurisdiction: N/A	Total Project Cost: \$1,500
Property Ownership: Public	Type of Grant: Mini Grant

**Summary:** The neighborhood wishes to install landscaping at their front entrance.



## Neighborhood Pride Grant Profile

Organization Name: Meadow Woods Village 7 Action Group	Request Amount: \$1,500
Commission District 4: Jennifer Thompson	Matching Amount: N/A
Municipality Jurisdiction: N/A	Total Project Cost: \$1,500
Property Ownership: Private	Type of Grant: Mini Grant

**Summary:** The neighborhood wishes to repair their sprinkler system at their community entrance.

