



**Interoffice Memorandum**

**AGENDA ITEM**

APPROVED  
BY ORANGE COUNTY BOARD  
OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
DEC 02 2014 CAS/KH

November 10, 2014

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

THRU: Lonnie C. Bell, Jr., Director  
Family Services Department

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lonnie C. Bell, Jr.", written over the typed name in the "THRU" field.

FROM: Lavon B. Williams, Manager, Esq., MPA, MSP  
Neighborhood Preservation and Revitalization Division

SUBJECT: Consent Agenda Item December 2, 2014  
December 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 approval of four Mini-Grants for Caroline Estates Neighborhood, Lake Lovely Residential Association, Green Briar HOA, and Shadow Ridge HOA (see Attachment A). The grant requests are displayed in greater detail in Attachments B and E. 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 these projects would comply with appropriate County codes. Finally, the neighborhood organizations were required to demonstrate the ability to maintain the project.

**ACTION REQUESTED:**      **Approval of the December 2014 Neighborhood Pride Mini-Grants as recommended by the Neighborhood Grants Advisory Board for Caroline Estates Neighborhood (\$1,500); Lake Lovely Residential Association (\$1,500); Green Briar HOA (\$1,500) and Shadow Ridge HOA (\$1,500). Districts 2, 3 and 6.**

Attachments

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

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Neighborhood Pride Mini Grant  
 Orange County Board of County Commissioners  
 December 2, 2014 Consent Agenda  
**ATTACHMENT A**

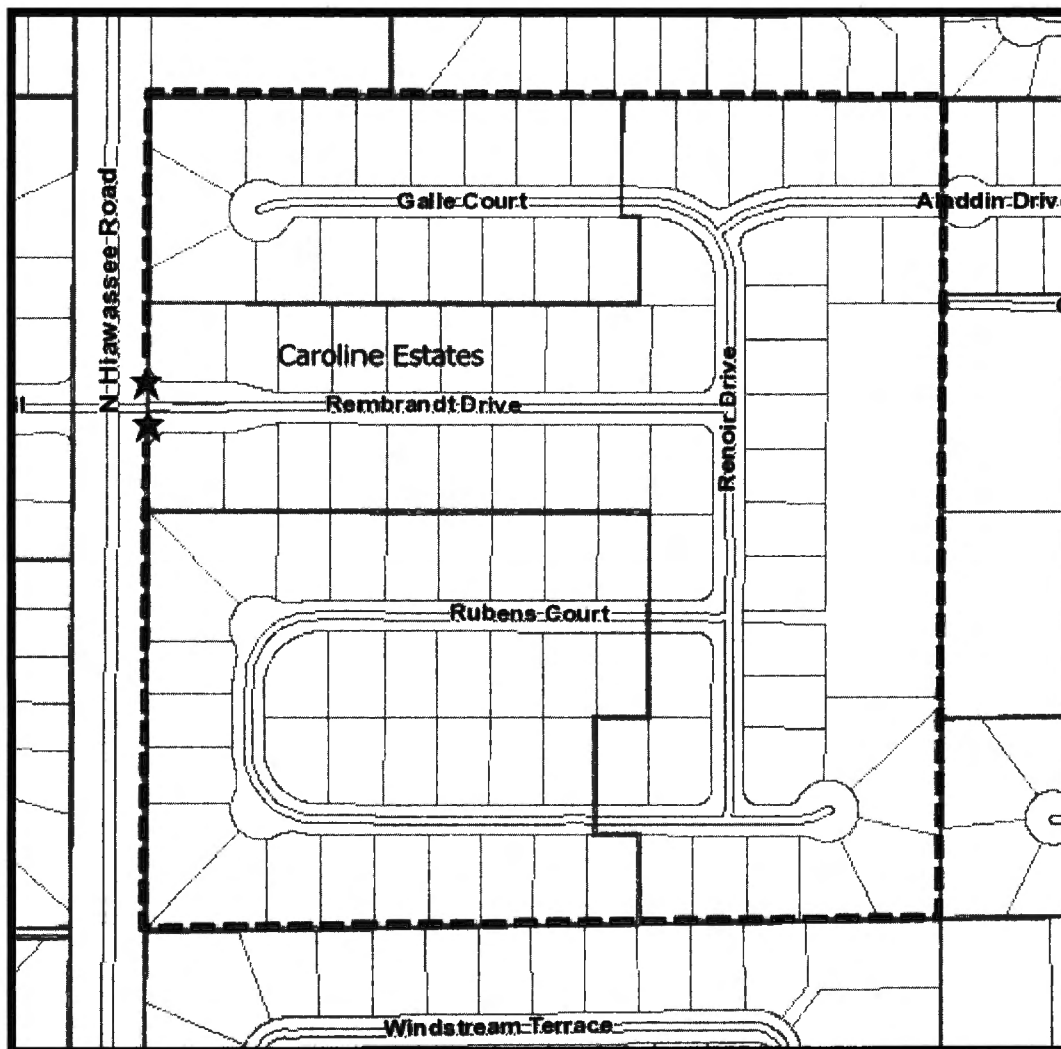
District	Organization	Type of Organization	Project	Property Ownership	Estimated Amount	Community Match	Project Location
2	Caroline Estates Neighborhood	Neighborhood	Landscaping	Private	\$1,500	\$0	North Hiawassee Road and Rembrandt Drive
2	Lake Lovely Residential Assocation	Neighborhood Organization	Landscaping	ROW	\$1,500	\$0	West Kennedy Boulevard, Deacon Jones Boulevard and Lake Destiny Road
3	Green Briar HOA	HOA	Landscaping	Private	\$1,500	\$0	Lake Margaret Drive, Brandywine Drive and Bay Tree Drive
6	Shadow Ridge HOA	HOA	Landscaping	Private	\$1,500	\$0	Good Homes Road and Lamour Drive
			<b>Total Requests</b>		<b>\$6,000</b>		

**Attachment B**

**Neighborhood Pride Grant  
Profile**

Organization Name: Caroline Estates Neighborhood	Request Amount: \$1,500
Commission District 2: Bryan Nelson	Matching Amount: N/A
Municipality Jurisdiction: Unincorporated	Total Project Cost: \$1,500
Property Ownership: Private	Type of Grant: Mini-Grant

**Summary:** The neighborhood wishes to install Florida Friendly Landscaping in front of entrance.



## Neighborhood Pride Grant Profile

Organization Name: Lake Lovely Residential Association	Request Amount: \$1,500
Commission District 2: Bryan Nelson	Matching Amount: N/A
Municipality Jurisdiction: Eatonville	Total Project Cost: \$1,500
Property Ownership: Public	Type of Grant: Mini-Grant

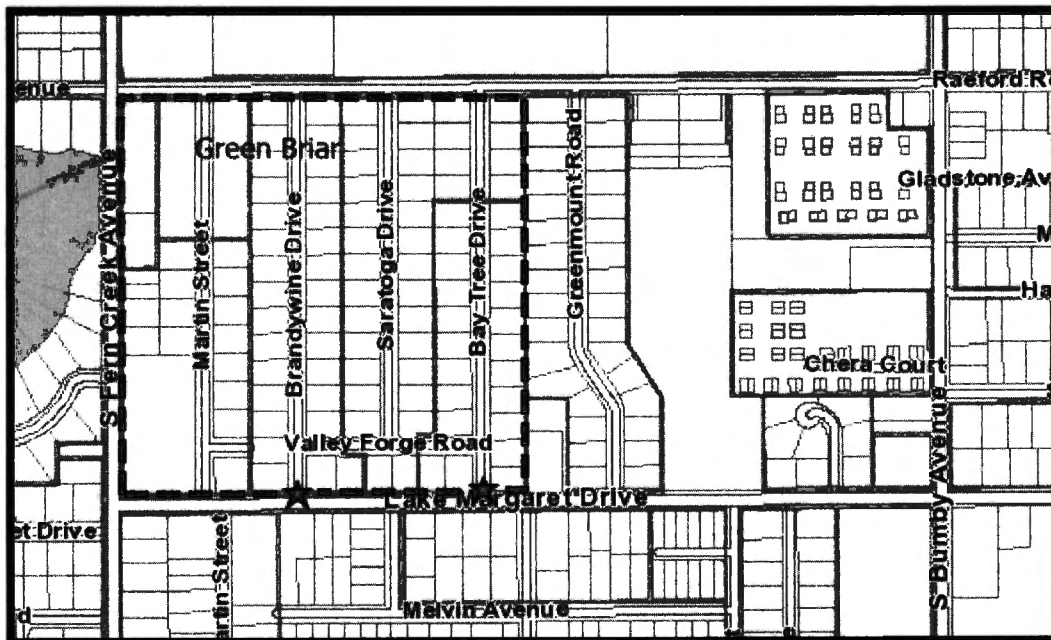
**Summary:** The neighborhood wishes to add Florida friendly landscaping to their new signs.



## Neighborhood Pride Grant Profile

Organization Name: Green Briar HOA	Request Amount: \$1,500
Commission District 3: Pete Clarke	Matching Amount: N/A
Municipality Jurisdiction: Unincorporated	Total Project Cost: \$1,500
Property Ownership: Private	Type of Grant: Mini-Grant

**Summary:** The neighborhood wishes to install Florida Friendly Landscaping in front of entrance.



**Attachment E**

**Neighborhood Pride Grant  
Profile**

Organization Name: Shadow Ridge	Request Amount: \$1,500
Commission District 6: Victoria Siplin	Matching Amount: N/A
Municipality Jurisdiction: Unincorporated	Total Project Cost: \$1,500
Property Ownership: Private	Type of Grant: Mini-Grant

**Summary:** The neighborhood wishes to install Florida Friendly Landscaping in front of entrance.

