

City Attorney's Communication #2017-525 March 31, 2017

TO:

Phyllis A. Korab, Assistant City Manager

FROM:

Carrie L. Sarver, Assistant City Attorney

RE:

Resolution Supporting Broward Cities Literacy Partnership

As requested in your e-mail of March 30, 2017, I have prepared and attached the following captioned resolution:

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF POMPANO BEACH, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING BROWARD COUNTY'S BROWARD CITIES LITERACY PARTNERSHIP TO BOOST LITERACY THROUGH READING; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Please feel free to contact me if I may be of further assistance.

ARRIEL SARVER

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Attachments

CITY OF POMPANO BEACH Broward County, Florida

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WHEREAS, the Broward Reads campaign is a collaborative initiative between community stakeholders including The School Board of Broward County, Broward County, Children's Services Council of Broward County and United Way of Broward County, among many other community partners; and

WHEREAS, the Broward Reads campaign focuses on four critical areas including school readiness, chronic absenteeism, family engagement and preventing the summer learning loss to ensure Broward's children are reading at grade level; and

WHEREAS, the Broward Reads campaign is partnering with cities within the county to demonstrate a collaborative approach to making grade level reading a priority within their community and throughout all of Broward County; and

WHEREAS, a Broward Reads City identifies key community stakeholders that can work together to make significant improvements in early literacy; and

WHEREAS, a Broward Reads City commits leading public officials to support the Broward Reads Campaign; and

WHEREAS, a Broward Reads City commits to designating a city liaison to attending the Broward Reads Campaign for Grade Level Reading's bi-monthly meetings; and

WHEREAS, we understand that ensuring children are able to read at grade level is the moral responsibility of everyone in the community; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the City Commission to support the Broward Reads Campaign Literacy Partnership proposal to ensure that grade level reading is a priority for the city's children and that they are reading at grade level; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF POMPANO BEACH, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. The foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are incorporated herein by this reference.

The City Commission of the City of Pompano Beach hereby supports the Broward County's Broward Cities Literacy Partnership to boost literacy through reading.

SECTION 3. The City Manager is directed to take all necessary steps to effectuate this resolution and direct the City Clerk to cause a copy of this resolution to be forwarded to all appropriate parties.

| SECTION 4. | This Resolution sh | all become effective upon passage. | |
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| PASSED AND | ADOPTED this _ | day of | , 2017. |
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| | | LAMAR FISHER, MAYOR | |
| ATTEST: | | | |
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ASCELETA HAMMOND, CITY CLERK