

CHARLES MARTIN DIRECTOR WATER QUALITY

TO:

Mayor Jim Gray

Urban County Council

FROM:

Charles H. Martin, P.E., Director

Division of Water Quality

DATE:

May 31, 2017

SUBJECT:

Requesting authorization to execute an agreement awarding a FY17 Class B

(Infrastructure) Stormwater Quality Projects Incentive Grant to Lexington Habitat for

Humanity, Inc.

Request

The purpose of this memorandum is to request authorization to execute an agreement awarding a Class B (Infrastructure) Stormwater Quality Projects Incentive Grant to Lexington Habitat for Humanity, Inc. This Grant is for permeable pavement surfacing and storm water education, at a total cost of \$288,000.00.

Purpose of Request

The purpose of this project is to design and construct stormwater control facilities to improve water quality and reduce runoff leaving the site. Project elements to include retrofit of 14,000 sq. ft. of existing parking lot with pervious pavement (Phase 2) and installation of two (2) rain gardens located at the front and the back of the building (Phase 3). Educational components include self-guided tour programs that describe the BMPs and how they affect water quality, as well as educational signage strategically placed at the project site.

Project Cost in FY17 and in Future Budget Years

The grant has been approved by the Water Quality Fees Board in the amount of \$288,000.00.

Are Funds Budgeted

Funds are budgeted in: 4052 – 303204 – 3373 – 78112 – WQINCENTIVE 17 – WQ GRANT

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