

Item #4

THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES



OFFICE OF CITY MANAGER

CITY HALL 405 BILTMORE WAY
CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA 33134

The City Beautiful

June 17, 2009

Division of Cultural Affairs
 Florida Department of State
 R.A. Gray Building, 3rd Floor
 500 South Bronough Street
 Tallahassee, FL 32399-0250

Re: Culture Build Florida / Application Nbr. 10-2599
 Coral Gables Art in Public Places Master Plan & Inaugural Public Art Project
 Commitment of matching funds

Dear Committee Members,

On behalf of the City of Coral Gables, we are pleased to submit this application to the Florida Division of Cultural Affairs.

On December 11, 2007 the Coral Gables City Commission put into effect the City of Coral Gables Art in Public Places Ordinance No. 2007-37, including "The City of Coral Gables Art in Public Places Program: Funding, Goals, and Implementation Guidelines" draft. As specified in Section 3 of Ordinance 2007-37, until accepted and adopted by the City Commission, provisions of the Ordinance, including the collection of funds and procurement of new public art, are on hold.

The proposed project includes the hiring of a public art master plan consultant to complete the City's public art master plan and announce it with the first of what we hope to be many public art projects. In support of this project, the City has committed \$25,000 as a cash match toward consultant fees and production of an artist designed series of seasonal banners drawing attention to our cultural arts organizations and venues throughout the City.

The City is excited about putting our Art in Public Places program in effect and continuing to enrich the quality of life for visitors and residents through targeted economic and cultural initiatives.

Thank you for your consideration and review of our application

Sincerely,



Maria Alberro Jimenez
 Assistant City Manager

cc: Catherine Cathers, Arts & Culture Specialist



CHARLIE CRIST
Governor

STATE OF FLORIDA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
DIVISION OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS

KURT S. BROWNING
Secretary of State

September 17, 2009

Ms. Catherine Cathers
City of Coral Gables
Cultural Development Board
405 Biltmore Way
Coral Gables, Florida 33134

Grant Number: 10.2599

Dear Ms. Cathers:

It is an honor to notify you that you have been awarded a Culture Builds Florida Grant in the amount of \$25,000. This grant is to support the project entitled "Art in Public Places Master Plan" as outlined in your application. This project must be executed within the grant period of 10/1/2009 through 6/30/2010, the limits of the budget, and in accordance with the project dates and description as submitted in your application or as affected by an approved grant amendment request.

Please sign the enclosed contract and return to the Division of Cultural Affairs at the address listed below no later than September 30, 2009. A copy of the executed contract will be returned to you for your files. Also enclosed is a Substitute Form W-9, required by the Florida Department of Financial Services, which must be completed and returned along with the contract so that we may process your payment. Please be sure that you provide your mailing address on the form.

In the event of a State revenue shortfall, the amount of the grant award will be reduced accordingly. Your signature on the contract acknowledges that you have the authority to enter into the grant award agreement and that you are assuring compliance with the terms of the agreement, which identifies the special terms and administrative requirements applicable to your organization as grantee.

Congratulations on receiving this grant and for your continued commitment to the arts in Florida.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kurt S. Browning".

Kurt S. Browning
Secretary of State

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Enclosures