



City of Coral Gables  
CITY COMMISSION MEETING  
April 13, 2010

**ITEM TITLE:**

Resolution authorizing the acceptance and execution of a Grant Application for the FY 2009 Economic Development Initiative Special Project (EDI-SP) Grant in the amount of \$142,500 for the design and construction of a pedestrian bridge adjacent to the existing Granada vehicular bridge crossing of the Coral Gables Waterway; approving the project identified for implementation in the Grant Application; authorizing the Public Works Director to serve as the City's authorized representative for purposes described in the Grant Application; and approving an amendment to the 2009-2010 Annual Budget in the amount of \$142,500 and an appropriation of funds for said amount.

**RECOMMENDATION OF THE CITY MANAGER:**

Approval.

**BRIEF HISTORY:**

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development has notified the City of Coral Gables of its approval of funding for an Economic Development Initiative-Special Project (EDI-SP) for the design and construction of a pedestrian bridge in the amount of \$142,500 as identified in the Department of Housing and Urban Development Appropriations Act, 2009 (PL 111-8). The City submitted the EDI-SP Grant Application for the Granada Pedestrian Bridge in late December 2009.

The Resolution requests the acceptance of the Economic Development Initiative-Special Project (EDI-SP) grant funds, which provides funding for the design, permitting and construction of a pedestrian bridge where Granada Boulevard crosses the Coral Gables Waterway. No matching funds are required.

The total budget for the project is estimated to be \$142,500 and the Resolution is requesting an amendment to the 2009-2010 Annual Budget in the amount of \$142,500 and an appropriation of funds for said amount.

**FINANCIAL INFORMATION: (If Applicable)**

No.	Amount	Source of Funds
1.	\$142,500	Economic Development Initiative-Special Project Grants
<b>Total:</b>	<b>\$142,500</b>	

APPROVED BY:

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Department Director	City Attorney	City Manager

ATTACHMENT(S):

1. Draft Resolution