

To: Mayor McElyea, Vice Mayor Castro, Commissioner Anton,
Commissioner Duke and Commissioner Grace

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Subject: Coastal Partnership Initiative grant for beach master plan

The City filed a grant application with the Florida Department of Environmental Protection for a beach master plan. The concept for this project was raised by the Commission during the discussion of the sea grape removal at the beach. It is not in the capital budget and has not been funded. The City is not obligated to anything by submitting an application. The application is attached. A few highlights of the grant are as follows:

- The funds would be available from July 1, 2011 – June 2012.
- There is a 100 % cash or in-kind match. Up to 25% of third party funds may be used for the match.
- The maximum grant amount is \$30,000 and the minimum is \$10,000 for planning projects. The engineer's cost estimate prepared by Metric Engineering is \$108,900.