

WASHOE COUNTY

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STAFF REPORT BOARD MEETING DATE: June 19, 2018

DATE: TO:	May 18, 2018 Board of County Commissioners
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SUBJECT:	Accept cash [\$20,153.71] and in-kind donations [estimated value \$20,700.00] from various businesses, organizations and individuals for Regional Parks and Open Space programs and facilities; and direct the Comptroller's Office to make the appropriate budget adjustments. (All Commission Districts.)

SUMMARY

Accept a total of \$20,153.71 in cash and in-kind donations [estimated value \$20,700.00] from various businesses, organizations and individuals for Regional Parks and Open Space programs and facilities.

Washoe County Strategic Objective supported by this item: Stewardship of our Community.

PREVIOUS ACTION

Donations are frequently made to the Regional Parks and Open Space programs and facilities and formally accepted by the Board of County Commissioners (Board).

BACKGROUND

The citizens of Washoe County continue to support our parks, open space and natural resources through their generous donations of time, materials, services and cash. Cash [\$20,153.71] and in-kind donations [estimated value \$20,700.00] have been received for park maintenance, improvements, programming, and to assist with the safety and comfort of our citizens.

Cash donations received are dedicated to the Lazy 5 Regional Park summer music concert series, the Bartley Ranch Regional Park program, to support May museum marketing and programming, and for May Arboretum garden maintenance and improvements.

Estimated values of various in-kind donations received include:

- Pavers for the Kristen garden from the May Arboretum Society [\$17,500],
- A 45-star American flag from Alf Raits [\$200],
- A prize item for the Lazy 5 Regional Park music concert series [\$1,000], and
- Services for the May Arboretum interpretive plan project from Fallon Media [\$2,000].

Thank you and recognition is extended to all the donors for their continued support of natural and cultural resource management and community programming.

Cash and in-kind donations received are as follows:

Amount	Program
\$ 500.00	Lazy 5 Regional Park-Summer music series
\$ 250.00	Lazy 5 Regional Park-Summer music series
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\$ 30.00	Lazy 5 Regional Park
\$ 1,657.02	Come in from the cold program-Bartley Ranch Regional Park
\$ 412.00	Bartley Ranch Regional Park
\$ 7.00	Bowers Mansion
\$ 3,356.02	-
\$ 368.99	May Museum - programming and exhibit support
\$ 1,428.70	May Arboretum - garden maintenance & improvements
\$ 15,000.00	May Arboretum - garden maintenance & improvements
\$ 16,797.69	
\$ 20,153.71	-
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Donor	Esimated Value		Program
In-kind Donations:			
Home Depot-Spanish Springs	\$	1,000.00	Lazy 5 Regional Park-Summer music series- raffle prize
Alf Raits	\$	200.00	Bartley Ranch Regional Park - 45-star American flag
May Arboretum Society	\$	17,500.00	May Arboretum Kristen garden pavers
Fallon Media	\$	2,000.00	May Arboretum Interpretive Plan services
Total In-kind Donations	\$	20,700.00	-

FISCAL IMPACT

General cash donations for the various Regional Parks and Open Space facilities, programs and events have been deposited to IN20020, Parks Donations (\$3,356.02).

Wilbur D. May Museum cash donations (\$368.99) have been deposited to cost center 640200 and Wilbur D. May Arboretum cash donations (\$16,428.70) have been deposited to IN20034 (both in Other Restricted Fund 270-6).

The following budget adjustments are needed:

Increase Revenue	
IN20020-484000	\$ 3,356.02 Regional Parks Donations
C640200-484000	\$ 368.99 May Museum Donations
IN20034-484000	\$16,428.70 May Arboretum Donations
Total	\$20,153.71
Increase Expenditures	
IN20020-710205	\$ 839.01 Repairs & maintenance - Parks Donations
IN20020-710300	\$ 2,517.02 Operating supplies - Parks Donations
C640200-710300	\$ 368.99 Operating supplies - Museum Donations
IN20034-710300	\$16,428.70 Operating supplies - Arboretum Donations
Total	\$20,153.71

There is no above-base maintenance cost associated with any of these donations. The donations enable Regional Parks and Open Space to offer additional programming or assist in repairing, replacing or maintaining facilities and items that are not supported by appropriations elsewhere, and to support volunteer efforts with no impact to the general fund.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board of County Commissioners accept cash [\$20,153.71] and in-kind donations [estimated value \$20,700.00] from various businesses, organizations and individuals for Regional Parks and Open Space programs and facilities; and direct the Comptroller's Office to make the appropriate budget adjustments.

POSSIBLE MOTION

Should the Board agree with staff's recommendation, a possible motion would be: "Move to accept cash [\$20,153.71] and in-kind donations [estimated value \$20,700.00] from various businesses, organizations and individuals for Regional Parks and Open Space programs and facilities; and direct the Comptroller's Office to make the appropriate budget adjustments."