

TOWN OF PALM BEACH

Information for Town Council Meeting on: March 8, 2022

To: Mayor and Town Council

Via: Kirk W. Blouin, Town Manager

From: Nicholas Caristo, Chief of Police

Re: Accept Donation of \$46,800 from Everglades Island Residents
For Purchase of Security Cameras

Date: February 14, 2022

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the Town Council accept a donation from Everglades Island residents in the amount of \$46,800 for the Police Department to purchase security cameras in the area of Everglades Island as deemed appropriate and necessary by the Chief of Police and the Town Manager in accordance with the Town's Purchasing Procedures.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Palm Beach Police Department continues to benefit from the generosity of the residents and businesses of the Town of Palm Beach. The Department has recently received a commitment for a donation of \$46,800 from Everglades Island residents. The donors request that the funds be utilized as deemed appropriate and necessary by the Chief of Police and the Town Manager, for security cameras in the area of Everglades Island, for the Police Department.

Per Town Administrative Procedure No. 1-08-08 (Attachment A), any donation with a value over \$25,000, which is not included in the Town's budget, must be approved by Town Council.

FUNDING/FISCAL IMPACT

The donation will be forwarded to the Finance Department for deposit in the Police Department's donation account. Security cameras and related equipment purchased using donated funds will be obtained in accordance with established Purchasing Procedures.

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Attachment

cc: Jane Le Clainche, Director of Finance
Dean Mealy, Purchasing Manager
John C. Randolph, Town Attorney