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ITEM NO. 11.P

North Bay Village Recommendation Memorandum

DATE: June 11, 2024

TO: Honorable Mayor, Vice Mayor and Members of the Village Commission

FROM: Leo Cosio,

**SPONSORED
BY:**

SUBJECT: A Resolution Authorizing the Village Manager to Execute an Agreement with Xavier Cortada, Inc. for Public Art Projects - Ralph Rosado, Ph.D., AICP

RECOMMENDATION

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COMMISSION OF NORTH BAY VILLAGE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH XAVIER CORTADA, INC. FOR A PUBLIC ART MURAL AT TREASURE ISLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$20,000.00; AMENDING THE BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023-2024; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

It is recommended that the Village Commission authorize the Village Manager to negotiate and execute an agreement with Xavier Cortada, Inc. for Public Art Mural at Treasure Island Elementary School.

BACKGROUND AND ANALYSIS

Staff respectfully requests consideration and approval of the proposed resolution that would authorize the Village Manager to engage eco-artist Xavier Cortada, Miami-Dade County's Artist-in-Residence. Mr. Cortada's project consists of two parts. Firstly, he will create an environmental-themed mural at Treasure Island Elementary School and conduct an interactive presentation for NBV Summer Camp attendees, focusing on sea level rise and climate change. Attendees will have the opportunity to create and take home their own elevation yard signs displaying their home's elevation above sea level. Secondly, Mr. Cortada will create a sculpture for the Village's Public Art Program, serving as an elevation marker to be placed at Vogel Park.

Appropriation of Fund Balance - from the General Fund will be transferred to to the Capital Projects Funds for both Xavier Cortada Public Art Projects. Projects CP24-11 TIES