

FLORIDA'S SPACE COAST

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November 6, 2020

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Frank Abbate, County Manager

RE:

Approval of CARES Act Funding for Animal Rescue Groups

The Board of County Commissioners, in special session on November 5, 2020, authorized you, or your designee, to reimburse for qualifying expenses up to \$100,000 to both SPCA of Brevard and the Brevard Humane Society for a maximum total of \$200,000, exclusive of the \$10,000 already applied for from the Brevard Humane Society through the County's Small Business Grant Program, this shall not be taken to mean that Brevard Humane Society will be able to double dip and be reimbursed for the same expenses; approved the SPCA of Brevard to also apply for the Small Business Grant Program, if they wish to do so, for the \$10,000 limit for qualifying expenses; authorized the Chair to sign any necessary documents to carry out the Board's direction; and further directed staff to bring this back to the Board on December 22, 2020, should these entities have any additional qualifying expenses for consideration of allocating additional funding.

Your continued cooperation is always appreciated.

Sincerely,

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

SCOTT ELLIS, CLERK

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CC:

Each Commissioner

County Attorney

Finance Budget