



AGENDA ITEM MEMORADUM

Item No. 19a

Public Works

Department

Don Prince

Department Director

COMMISSION MEETING DATE (*) - 7:00 PM	Deadline to Town Clerk
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Feb14, 2012	Feb 3

*Subject to Change

- Presentation Reports Consent Ordinance
 Resolution Quasi-Judicial **Old Business** New Business

FY2011 DESIGNATED HIGH PRIORITY ITEM - PRIORITY TOPIC

SUBJECT TITLE: **Friedt Family Park Plaque**

EXPLANATION: At the October 25, 2011 Commission meeting the Commission directed Town staff to coordinate with the Friedt Family the appropriate design for the signage to rename Municipal Park to Friedt Family Park. At the December 13, 2012 Commission meeting Ordinance 2011-19 was passed by a unanimous vote. The name change on the park sign to Friedt Family Park was completed on February 7, 2012.

The Friedt Family has now requested a bronze plaque (**Exhibit 1**) also be installed with a short historical summary about the role in the Town of Lauderdale-By-The-Sea's history. Also the cost of the plaque will be about \$1,500. The Friedt Family has asked that the Town pay for construction and installation of the plaque, but offered to fund the plaque if the Town didn't have the funds in the budget for it.

RECOMMENDATION: Commission direction is requested on:

1. The installation of the proposed plaque (**Exhibit 1**)
2. Will the Town pay or contribute to the installation of the plaque?

EXHIBIT(S): Exhibit 1: Friedt Family Plaque

Reviewed by Town Attorney

Yes No

Town Manager Initials CA

2'-0"

Friedt Family Park

This Park was dedicated by Town Ordinance 81 in 1955 and rededicated by Ordinance in 2011 in honor of benefactors Glenn and Lucy Freidt Sr. in recognition of their many contributions to the welfare of the Town of Lauderdale By The Sea since their arrival in 1938.

The Town was founded in 1924 when William Morgan purchased, platted, chartered and named a mile of ocean front property "Lauderdale By The Sea". In 1935, the Town lost its charter. In 1947, by request of the residents, Glenn Friedt Sr. traveled to the state capital in Tallahassee and met with and convinced the state legislature to restore the Town charter to include the county land west of Bougainvillea Dr. to the Intercoastal Waterway. In the same year, Glenn Freidt Sr. convinced Mr. Galt to allow him to lay a Fort Lauderdale city water line across Galt Mile to supply Lauderdale By The Sea. The Friedts donated the necessary funds to establish the park with improvements and equipment, including new recreational facilities, in 1955. Additionally, in 1960 the Friedt Family donated \$100,000.00 to help the Community Church survive a challenging time. The Church Hall bears the name "Friedt Family Fellowship Hall".

2'-0"



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DATE: 02/09/2012 SALES: Richard Reyes COMMENTS:

CONTACT NAME:

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APPROVAL

PLEASE CHECK BOX

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Signature