

Date: May 13, 2025

To: Honorable Mayor and City Council

From: Councilmember Tunua Thrash-Ntuk

Subject: Eighth District Fund Transfer

RECOMMENDATION

Recommendation to increase appropriations in the General Fund Group in the City Manager Department by \$1,200 offset by the Eighth Council District One-Time District Priority Funds, transferred from the Citywide Activities Department, to provide contributions of:

1. \$300 to North Long Beach Wolfpack Little League to support their 2025 Spring season;
2. \$300 to Long Beach Forward to support their Quinceañera Celebration on May 3, 2025;
3. \$300 to Long Beach Pride for the Long Beach Pride Festival on May 17-18, 2025;
4. \$300 to Long Beach Heritage to support their 37th Annual Preservation Awards on May 21, 2025; and

Decrease appropriations in the General Fund Group in the Citywide Activities Department by \$1,200 to offset a transfer to the City Manager Department.

DISCUSSION

North Long Beach Wolfpack Little League is a local baseball team that provides youth with an opportunity to play sports and compete with other leagues in the region. They provide a safe, enriching, and team-oriented environment for the young athletes in the community. A contribution to support their 2025 Spring Season will help Wolfpack Little League maintain fields, cover charter fees, and provide financial assistance to families in need.

Long Beach Forward is a nonprofit organization that builds community knowledge, leadership, and power in low-income communities. Since 2010, they have created movements to win equitable policies, strengthened families through supportive programs, and mobilized residents as leaders. To celebrate their 15-year anniversary, they hosted a Quinceañera with dancing, art, live music and food. The free and public event provided people with a space to connect with others while celebrating LB Forward's achievements.

Long Beach Pride is a non-profit, all volunteer organization that produces the annual three-day Long Beach Pride Festival. This contribution will help LBP continue and expand their efforts to foster a stronger and healthier society through connection and celebration.

Long Beach Heritage is a local organization focused on historic preservation, advocacy, and education since 1980. Through their assistance programs, incentives, and walking tours, they highlight and help upkeep the city's significant architecture. They are hosting the 37th Annual Preservation Awards to honor the individuals and projects that have made a lasting impact on preserving the city's historic architecture and cultural heritage.

This matter has been reviewed by Budget Manager Rebecca Bernstorff on May 2, 2025.

FISCAL IMPACT

This recommendation requests the City Manager to provide a contribution to North Long Beach Wolfpack Little League, in the amount of \$300; to Long Beach Forward, in the amount of \$300; to Long Beach Pride, in the amount of \$300; and to Long Beach Heritage, in the amount of \$300. The total appropriation increase of \$1,200 in the General Fund Group in the City Manager Department will be offset by a decrease of appropriation of the Eighth District One-time District Priority Funds in the General Fund Group in the Citywide Activities Department. This recommendation is anticipated to require a minimal level of staff hours beyond the normal budgeted scope of duties and is expected to have minimal impact on existing City Council priorities. There is no local job impact associated with this recommendation.

SUGGESTED ACTION

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Tunua Thrash-Ntuk". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Councilwoman Tunua Thrash-Ntuk