

**CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS
AGENDA ITEM
AGENDA SUMMARY FORM**

DEPARTMENT: Mayor & Council

AGENDA DATE: 8.30.22

CONTACT PERSON NAME AND PHONE NUMBER: Representative Cassandra Hernandez ~ 915.212.0003

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED:

STRATEGIC GOAL

Goal 5 - Promote Transparent and Consistent Communication Amongst All Members of the Community

SUBJECT:

APPROVE a resolution / ordinance / lease to do what? **OR AUTHORIZE** the City Manager to do what? Be descriptive of what we want Council to approve. Include \$ amount if applicable.

For Notation Purposes:

Accept the donation of \$470 worth of school supplies from El Paso Disposal for community engagement events in District 3.

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

Discussion of the what, why, where, when, and how to enable Council to have reasonably complete description of the contemplated action. This should include attachment of bid tabulation, or ordinance or resolution if appropriate. What are the benefits to the City of this action? What are the citizen concerns?

The Office of Representative Hernandez host yearly initiatives for District 3 and the community, which are funded through a combination of donations from community partners and with District 3 discretionary funds.

Some initiatives include: providing turkeys to families, schools and civic associations who provide meals to less fortunate families; Halloween Drive-Thrus to allow children to get candy and dental supplies during the pandemic, instead of going door-to-door trick-or-treating; block parties, as well as a toy and grocery-gift card giveaways for the Sambrano neighborhood in South Central; and providing supplies and goodies to our senior centers.

In addition, this year the Office of District 3 plans to host a *Movies in the Park* to engage the newly acquired parts of the District, as a result of redistricting.

We recognize the need and togetherness these events bring to our neighborhoods. Through the community partners willing to support District 3 through their donations, we are able to make these events possible.

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

Has the Council previously considered this item or a closely related one?

Yes, District 3 has notated donations for past community initiatives held in District 3.

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

How will this item be funded? Has the item been budgeted? If so, identify funding source by account numbers and description of account. Does it require a budget transfer?

N/A

*****REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION*****