June 8, 2007

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Sean McSweeney, EPC Broward Beautiful Program Manager Broward County Environmental Protection Department 115 S. Andrews Avenue, Room A-240 Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301

Subject: Special Report – Broward Beautiful GreenSHADE Grant No. G06\_05 for City

of Fort Lauderdale project located at Lauderdale Memorial Park and Sunset

**Memorial Gardens** 

Dear Mr. McSweeney:

The Internal Audit Office has applied certain audit procedures, as discussed below, to the accounting records of the City of Fort Lauderdale (City) in order to determine compliance with the requirements applicable to the subject **Broward Beautiful GreenSHADE Grant No. 06\_05** as detailed in the accompanying exhibit of revenues and expenditures for the period ending April 30, 2007. The management of the Business Enterprises Department is responsible for the City's compliance with those requirements. Our responsibility is to determine whether the revenues and amounts received from Broward County were expended in accordance with the agreement and to determine compliance with those requirements based on our review.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted government auditing standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the requirements referred to above occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the City's compliance with those requirements.

The results of our tests indicate that with respect to the items tested, the City complied in all material respects with the provisions of the agreement and the revenues and amounts received from Broward County were expended in accordance with the agreement. It should be noted that although the project has been completed, the City has not yet invoiced the County for reimbursement (Section 3.5 of the grant agreement). Furthermore, Close-out Report demonstrating compliance with the approved project plans has been prepared, but has not yet been submitted to the County (Section 3.4 of the grant agreement).

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With respect to the items not tested, nothing came to our attention that caused us to believe the Public Works Department had not complied in all material respects with those provisions. Additionally, it was determined that there were no funds, including interest earned on such funds, due back to the County.

Sincerely,

Allyson C. Love Director, Office of Management and Budget

ACL/RF/mr/07-12/ROA 06/07-XX-11

Enclosure – Schedule

c: George Gretsas, City Manager
Kathleen Gunn, Assistant City Manager
Stephen Scott, Assistant City Manager
David Hebert, Assistant City Manager
Jeff Modarelli, Economic Development Director
Cate McCaffrey, Business Enterprises Director
Betty Burrell, Director of Finance
Dawn Johnson, Treasury Accountant II
Julius Delisio, Business Enterprises Administrative Assistant II

## City of Fort Lauderdale Broward Beautiful GreenSHADE Grant No. 06\_05 Statement of Revenues and Expenditures For the Period Ending 4/30/07

	Broward County Contract	Required Match	Total Program
REVENUES:			
Due from Broward County - Broward Beautiful * Misc. Grant Reimbursement Received	\$ 5,322.00	\$ 5,370.00	\$ 5,322.00 5,370.00
Total Revenues	\$ 5,322.00	\$ 5,370.00	\$ 10,692.00
EXPENDITURES:			
Horticultural Supplies	\$ 5,322.00	\$ 5,322.00	\$ 10,644.00
Total Expenditures	\$ 5,322.00	\$ 5,322.00	\$ 10,644.00
Excess of Revenues Over - (Under) Expenditures		**	\$ 48.00
Notes: Revenue: 1 Carriage Services Sunset Memorial Gardens Buildi 2 Perpetual Care Trust Fund	ng Fund	\$ 3,549.00 1,821.00	

5,370.00

## Legend:

Misc Grant Reimbursement

<sup>\*</sup> Not yet invoiced by City to Broward County.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Recommendation to return match revenues not expended to 2.