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Memorandum

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY

Date: December 18, 2007

Agenda Item No. 10(B)(1)(A)

To: Honorable Chairman Bruno A. Barreiro
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

From: George M. Burgess
County Manager

R-1379-07

Subject: FY 2007-2008 Tourist Development Council Grants Program
First Quarter Recommendations

Recommendation
It is recommended that the Board approve the funding of 35 grants for a total of $394,700 from the FY 2007-2008 Tourist Development Council Grants Program – First Quarter.

Scope
The impact of this agenda item is countywide.

Fiscal Impact/Funding Source
Funding for the Tourist Development Council (TDC) Grants Program comes from the 2% Tourist Development Room Tax Revenue and the 2% Hotel/Motel Food and Beverage Surtax revenues. In addition, the Greater Miami Convention and Visitors Bureau provides $25,000 to the TDC pursuant to a multi-year agreement.

Track Record/Monitor
Each recommended organization has a track record for responding to Departmental grant requirements and contractual conditions. Michael Spring, Director of the Miami-Dade Department of Cultural Affairs, is responsible for monitoring the grant contracts.

Background
The Tourist Development Council convened on November 15, 2007 to review 36 applications requesting $669,400 for the First Quarter of the program. The TDC recommended funding 35 applicants for a total of $394,700.

The projects selected for funding represent a diversified range of activities and demographic locations. In its deliberations, the TDC carefully considered and applied the Tourist Development Council Grants guidelines, as outlined below.

The Tourist Development Council Grants Program is responsive on a quarterly basis to organizations/events, which showcase Miami-Dade County's appeal as a tourist destination by sponsoring tourist-oriented sports events, cultural and special events (visual and performing arts, including theater, concerts, recitals, opera, dance, art exhibitions, festivals and other tourist-related activities) and television origination projects.

The TDC specifically evaluated each applicant organization based on the following competitive review criteria: 1) tourism impact/marketing plan; 2) quality and track record of the organization and its event; 3) event coordination and management; and 4) fiscal feasibility and accountability. Attached is a list describing the projects being recommended for funding.

Assistant County Manager

MEMORANDUM

(Revised)

TO: Honorable Chairman Bruno A. Barreiro and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: December 18, 2007

FROM: R. A. Cuevas, Jr. County Attorney

SUBJECT: Agenda Item No. 10(B)(1)(A)

Please note any items checked.

_____	"4-Day Rule" ("3-Day Rule" for committees) applicable if raised
_____	6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing
_____	4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing
_____	Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget
_____	Budget required
_____	Statement of fiscal impact required
_____	Bid waiver requiring County Manager's written recommendation
_____	Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing
_____	Housekeeping item (no policy decision required)
√	No committee review

Approved _____ Mayor

Veto _____

Override _____

Agenda Item No. 10(B)(1)(A)
12-18-07

RESOLUTION NO. R-1379-07

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE FUNDING OF THIRTY-FIVE (35) GRANTS FROM THE FY2007-2008 FIRST QUARTER TOURIST DEVELOPMENT ROOM TAX PLAN AND SURTAX CATEGORY TO PROMOTE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY TOURISM WITH: 3B PRODUCTIONS, LLC; BAYFRONT PARK MANAGEMENT TRUST CORPORATION; CENTER FOR EMERGING ART, INC; CENTER FOR HAITIAN STUDIES, INC; CENTRO CULTURAL BRASIL-USA DA FLORIDA, INC.; COMMUNITY AIDS RESOURCE, INC. DBA CARE RESOURCE; CULTURAL COUNCIL, INC., THE; DAVE AND MARY ALPER JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER, INC; DOWNTOWN MIAMI PARTNERSHIP; EDGE ZONES, INC.; EPIC ARTS FOUNDATION, INC. F/A EARTH DANCE FILM FESTIVAL; EXPONICA INTERNATIONAL, INC.; FAIRCHILD TROPICAL BOTANIC GARDEN, INC.; FLORIDA FILM INSTITUTE, INC. F/A FLORIDA MEDIA MARKET, INC.; FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY BOARD OF TRUSTEES, FOR THE BENEFIT OF INSTITUTE FOR PUBLIC MANAGEMENT AND COMMUNITY SERVICE; GABLESTAGE, INC.; GALA CHORUSES; GREATER SOUTH DADE/SOUTH MIAMI/KENDALL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, INC. DBA CHAMBER SOUTH; HISPANIC-AMERICAN LYRIC THEATRE, INC.; ITALIAN FILM FESTIVAL, INC.; M. ATHALIE RANGE CULTURAL ARTS FOUNDATION, INC.; MIAMI BEACH CHAMBER OF COMMERCE; MIAMI BEACH LATIN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, INC./CAMARA DE COMERCIO LATINA DE MIAMI BEACH, INC.; MIAMI BOOK FAIR INTERNATIONAL, INC.; MIAMI CONTEMPORARY DANCE COMPANY; MIAMI INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF ART & DESIGN; MIAMI SHORT FILM FESTIVAL, INC.; MIAMI-DADE COUNTY DAYS, INC.; MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PARK AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT (OPERATIONS REGION 5); MONUMENTAL WORLD, INC.; MUSEUM OF CONTEMOPORARY ART, INC.; NEW WORLD FESTIVAL, INC.; PROYECTO ARTE ACTUAL, INC. DBA THE MOORE SPACE; TIGERTAIL PRODUCTIONS, INC.; TROPICAL

EVERGLADES VISITOR ASSOCIATION, INC. AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MANAGER TO EXECUTE GRANT AGREEMENTS FOLLOWING COUNTY ATTORNEY APPROVAL OF FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY AND TO EXERCISE THE CANCELLATION PROVISIONS CONTAINED THEREIN

WHEREAS, this Board desires to accomplish the purposes outlined in the accompanying memorandum, a copy of which is incorporated herein by reference,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that this Board approves funding of thirty-five (35) grants for a total of $394,700 from the FY2007-2008 First Quarter meeting of the Tourist Development Council Grants Program-Room Tax Plan and Surtax Category to promote Miami-Dade County tourism by funding tourist-oriented cultural, sporting, television and special event/promotions as follows:

3B Productions, LLC	5,000
Bayfront Park Management Trust Corporation	5,000
Center for Emerging Art, Inc.	5,000
Center for Haitian Studies, Inc.	10,000
Centro Cultural Brasil-USA da Florida, Inc.	3,500
Community AIDS Resource, Inc., dba Care Resource	25,000
Cultural Council, Inc., The	6,000
Dave and Mary Alper Jewish Community Center, Inc.	15,000
Downtown Miami Partnership	4,000
Edge Zones, Inc.	5,000
Epic Arts Foundation, Inc. f/a Earth Dance Film Festival	5,000
Exponica International, Inc.	15,000

Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden, Inc.	18,000
Florida Film Institute, Inc. f/a Florida Media Market, Inc.	3,000
Florida International University Board of Trustees, for the benefit of Institute for Public Management and Community Service	14,400
GableStage, Inc.	10,500
GALA Choruses	25,000
Greater So. Dade/So. Miami/Kendall Chamber of Commerce, Inc. D/B/A Chamber South	4,000
Hispanic-American Lyric Theatre, Inc.	6,300
Italian Film Festival, Inc.	5,000
M. Athalie Range Cultural Arts Foundation, Inc.	15,000
Miami Beach Chamber of Commerce	20,000
Miami Beach Latin Chamber of Commerce of Miami Beach/Camara de Comercio Latina de Miami Beach, Inc.	20,000
Miami Book Fair International, Inc.	17,500
Miami Contemporary Dance Company	7,500
Miami International University of Art & Design	20,000
Miami Short Film Festival, Inc.	7,500
Miami-Dade County Days, Inc.	15,000
Miami-Dade County Park and Recreation Department (Operations Region 5)	15,000
Monumental World, Inc,	10,000
Museum of Contemporary Art, Inc. (MoCA)	15,000
New World Festival, Inc.	12,000
Proyecto Arte Actual, Inc. d/b/a The Moore Space	4,500
Tigertail Productions, Inc.	6,000
Tropical Everglades Visitor Association, Inc.	20,000

and authorizes the County Mayor or his designee to execute grant agreements with each grantee for and on behalf of Miami-Dade County, Florida following County Attorney approval of form and legal sufficiency; and to execute the cancellation provisions contained therein.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Commissioner Joe A. Martinez, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Rebeca Sosa and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Bruno A. Barreiro, Chairman	aye		
Barbara J. Jordan, Vice-Chairwoman	aye		
Jose "Pepe" Diaz	aye	Audrey M. Edmonson	aye
Carlos A. Gimenez	aye	Sally A. Heyman	aye
Joe A. Martinez	aye	Dennis C. Moss	aye
Dorrin D. Rolle	aye	Natacha Seijas	aye
Katy Sorenson	aye	Rebeca Sosa	aye
Sen. Javier D. Souto	aye		

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 18th day of December, 2007. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY ITS BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

Approved by County Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.
Stephen Stieglitz

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MIAMI-DADE COUNTY FLORIDA

By: Kay Sullivan
Deputy Clerk

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS
2007-08 Tourist Development Council - First Quarter

GRANT AWARD AGREEMENT - ARTICLE I

The Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs and the Cultural Affairs Council, the Mayor and the Board of County Commissioners are pleased to announce that Miami-Dade County has awarded a grant as described herein to (hereinafter referred to as the Grantee). The grant award is the result of an extensive public review process, which found that the Grantee is performing a public service through its programs and projects, and is awarded as follows:

GRANTEE AND GRANT DESCRIPTION

1.	GRANTEE:	(EIN#)
2.	AMOUNT OF GRANT:	$ (Reimbursement/Direct Award)
3.	PROJECT:	(as described in the program application and any revisions attached)
4.	ITEMIZED PROJECT BUDGET:	(as described in the Reinstatement of Project Budget attached hereto)
5.	GRANT START DATE:	October 1, 2007
6.	GRANT END DATE:	December 31, 2007
7.	REPORT DEADLINE:	March 31, 2008

The Parties hereto have executed this Agreement on the _____ day of _____, 20 _____.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, by its BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:

_____
Clerk, Miami-Dade County
Board of County Commissioners

_____
County Manager/Designee

GRANTEE:

Articles I, II, III, IV and V, together with their exhibits, the Restatement of Project Budget, original application and Universal Affidavit, make up this grant award contract. In signing this article, the undersigned officials, on behalf of the Grantee, certify that they have read and will abide by the terms and considerations set forth in the General Terms and Conditions for Tourist Development Council Grants (Articles II, III, IV and V) dated September, 2004 as provided with the grant award package, and with those provisions outlined in the notarized and attached Universal Affidavit. Further, the Grantee agrees that the funded project will be executed in substantially the form outlined in the original application as approved for funding; in accordance with the program guidelines of the Tourist Development Council; and within the scope of budget submitted in the attached Restatement of Project Budget.

(Grantee's Corporate Seal)

_____
Signature Authorized Official #1

_____
Printed Name/Title Authorized Official #1

_____
Signature Authorized Official #2

_____
Printed Name/Title Authorized Official #2

Approved for form and legal sufficiency by the Miami-Dade County Attorney (9/2004).

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS
GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR TOURIST DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL GRANTS (September, 2007)
ARTICLES II, III, IV and V

ARTICLE II

1. **Parties:** The parties to the Grant Award Agreement, which shall be referenced herein as the "Agreement," are the Grantee listed in Article I.1, and Miami-Dade County, Florida, a political subdivision of the State of Florida. The Home Rule Charter authorizes Miami-Dade County to provide for the uniform health and welfare of the residents throughout the County, and further provides that all functions not otherwise specifically assigned to others under the Charter, shall be performed under the supervision of the County Mayor or his designee. The County Mayor has delegated the responsibility of administering this grant to the Director of the Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs, who shall be referred to herein as the "Director."

2. **Amount and Payment of Grant Award:** The total amount of the grant is specified in Article I.2. By making this grant, Miami-Dade County assumes no obligation to provide financial support of any type whatever in excess of the total grant amount. Cost overruns are the sole responsibility of the Grantee. Grant funds will be supplied to the Grantee once the award is approved and subject to the conditions and limitations as outlined in the Agreement and its accompanying articles and attachments.

Miami-Dade County's obligation to pay the award under the Agreement is contingent upon an appropriation by the Miami-Dade County Mayor and the Board of County Commissioners and on the availability of funds. In the event that County funds on which the Agreement is dependent do not materialize or are withdrawn, the Agreement is terminated and the County has no further liability to the Grantee, beyond that already incurred by the termination date. In the event of a County revenue shortfall, the total grant will be reduced accordingly. Such termination or reduction of the total grant shall not affect the responsibility of the Grantee under the Agreement as to those funds distributed.

Tourist Development Council grants are made as either a Reimbursement Award or a Direct Award, with the type of grant determined on a case-by-case basis by the Director and on the approval of the Tourist Development Council. The type of this grant award is specified in Article I.2.

If Article I.2 designates this grant as a Reimbursement Award, the Grantee agrees to provide to the Director or his designee, within ninety days (90) of the event, copies of original documentation conclusively demonstrating the expenditure of funds for the items indicated as grant award expenses in the Restatement of Project Budget as a condition of receiving payment of this award. Documentation shall include, but not be limited to, copies of original bills, invoices, vouchers, receipts, and canceled checks (front and rear) clearly designating payment for expenses associated with the event. Cash transactions are not acceptable unless a copy of a contract, invoice, receipt or other documentation supporting such cash payment is received, marked "paid" and signed by the recipient of the cash. The Director reserves the right to request original documentation to substantiate grant expenditures. Within forty-five (45) business days of receipt of satisfactory documentation described and required by this Agreement, the County shall reimburse the Grantee for the grant expenditures. If documentation as outlined above is not received within ninety days (90) of the event, or if the Director concludes that the documentation provided by the Grantee does not definitively demonstrate that funds were expended for the purposed allowed by this Agreement, the grantee shall waive any and all rights to receive payment of the grant.

If Article I.2 designates this grant as a Direct Award, grant funds will be supplied to the Grantee once the award is approved and subject to the conditions and limitations as outlined in the Agreement and its accompanying articles and attachments.

3. **Project Description:** The Grantee may use the grant only for the purposes which are specifically described in Article I.3, designated "Project," as documented in the Grantee's program application and in accordance with the published guidelines of the grant program through which this grant is being awarded. Any necessary changes in the scope of the project are cited in the attached Restatement of Project Budget. Further, it is expressly understood and agreed that the Grantee's program(s) supported by these grant funds must be open and accessible to the public, provide public exposure and benefit the public unless otherwise noted under Article V, "Special Conditions," of the Agreement.

Minor project revisions believed to be necessary for the purpose of completing the project, but which do not substantially alter the original project, its quality, impact, or benefit to the organization, the County or its citizens, must be requested in writing to the Director sufficiently prior to implementation of revisions for the Director's approval. Minor revisions include, but are not limited to those affecting project scope, venue, timeframe and participants. The Director will make the final determination on revisions within fourteen (14) business days of the date of receipt of the request in the Department of Cultural Affairs' offices.

4. **Project Budget:** The Grantee agrees to demonstrate fiscal stability and the ability to administer grant funds responsibly and in accordance with standard accounting practices by developing and adhering to a project budget that is based upon reasonable revenue development and expenditures projected to accomplish the project covered under the Agreement. This budget is referenced in Article I.4 and is attached to the Agreement as the Restatement of Project Budget, and the Grantee agrees that all expenditures will be subject to the terms of the Agreement and will not significantly deviate from the budget included as a part of the Grantee's program application or funding request information provided to the Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs. **The Grantee agrees and expressly understands that any grant budget revisions including line item changes necessary for the purpose of completing the project must be requested in writing to the Director for his consideration prior to the Grant End Date stated in Article 1.6 and that any requested changes may not exceed twenty-five percent (25%) of the total amount of the grant award.** The Director will approve or disapprove the Grantee's request in writing within fourteen (14) business days of the date of receipt of the request in the Department's offices.

5. **Grant End Date:** The Grantee shall encumber all grant and matching funds on or before the Grant End Date as outlined in Article I.6. Any grant funds not encumbered by the Grant End Date or for which a project extension has not been requested, or any encumbered funds not expensed within forty-five (45) days of the Grant End Date shall revert to the Department and the Agreement shall be terminated in accordance with Article II.14. A project extension may be requested in writing from the Director at least thirty (30) business days prior to the Grant End Date. The Director, at his discretion, may grant an extension of up to one (1) year of the Grant End Date so long as such extension will not significantly alter the project including its quality, impact, or benefit to the organization, the County or its citizens.

6. **Report Deadline:** To demonstrate that the Grantee has used the grant award for the project as approved (Article I.3.) and the Itemized Project Budget (Article I.4.) as attached to the Agreement as the Restatement of Project Budget, and has met and fulfilled all requirements as outlined in the Agreement, original application, and any other substantive materials as may be attached or included as a condition to this grant award, the Grantee must submit to the Director or his designee, a written Final Report documenting that the Grantee is meeting or has fulfilled all project and financial requirements. This report is to be received by the Director or his designee by the date specified in Article I.7 in the form specific to the program through which this grant is being awarded. **The Grantee agrees and expressly understands that in making Final Report to the Department, any deviation from the grant expense budget attached to the Agreement as the Restatement of Project Budget must be requested in writing to the Director for his consideration prior to the Grant End Date stated in Article 1.6 and that any requested changes may not exceed twenty-five percent (25%) of the total amount of the grant award.** The Director, at his sole discretion, may require the Grantee to submit interim reports demonstrating progress on the project and accounting for project expenses to date. The Director may also require that a compilation statement or independent financial audit encompassing the entire grant period and accounting for the expenditure of grant funds be prepared by an independent certified public accountant at the expense of the Grantee.

The Grantee shall attach to the Final Report, copies of original documentation conclusively demonstrating the expenditure of funds for the items indicated in the Restatement of Project Budget as grant award expenses. Documentation shall include, but not be limited to, copies of original bills, invoices, vouchers, receipts, and copies of canceled checks (front and rear) clearly designating payment for expenses associated with the event. Cash transactions are not acceptable unless a copy of a contract, invoice, receipt or other documentation supporting such cash payment is received, marked "paid" and signed by the recipient of the cash. The Director reserves the right to request original documentation to substantiate grant expenditures.

In the event that the Grantee fails to submit the required Final Report by the deadline date specified in Article I.7, the Director may terminate the Agreement in accordance with Article II.14. Further, the Director or his designee must approve this report before the Grantee is deemed to have met all conditions of the grant award.

7. **Program Monitoring and Evaluation:** The Director or his designee may monitor and conduct an evaluation of the Grantee's operations and the project for which this grant is provided, which may include visits by County representatives to: observe the project or Grantee's programs, procedures, and operations; discuss the Grantee's programs with the Grantee's personnel; and/or evaluate the public impact of these funded events and activities.

Upon request, the Grantee shall provide the Director with notice of all meetings of its Board of Directors or governing board, general activities and project-related events. In the event the Director or his designee conclude, as a result of such monitoring and/or evaluation, that the Grantee is not in compliance with the terms of the Agreement, is not fulfilling other program requirements or stipulations for which this Grant has been provided or for other reasons which significantly impact on the Grantee's ability to fulfill the conditions of this grant award, the Director or his designee must provide in writing to the Grantee, within thirty (30) days of the date of

said monitoring/evaluation, notice of the inadequacy or deficiencies noted which may significantly impact on the Grantee's ability to complete the project or fulfill the terms of the Agreement within a reasonable time frame. If Grantee refuses or is unable to address the areas of concern within thirty (30) days of receipt of such notice, the Director, at his discretion, may take other actions, which may include the withholding, reduction or rescission of grant funds until such time as the Grantee can demonstrate that such issues have been corrected.

Further, in the event that the Grantee refuses or is unable to address the areas of concern and the grant award has been disbursed in full or in part, then the Director may request the return of the full or partial grant payment. At the Director's sole discretion, a Grantee found to be deficient or in default of a previous grant contract may be declared permanently ineligible to apply to the Department of Cultural Affairs' grants programs. Reinstating the Grantee's eligibility to apply is also at the Director's sole discretion, and may only be considered subsequent to all deficient areas on prior grants having been addressed to the satisfaction of the Director.

If Grantee is not in compliance with the conditions of any other County agreement, the Director, at his discretion, may take other actions, which may include the withholding, reduction or rescission of grant funds until such time as the Grantee can demonstrate that such issues have been corrected.

8. **Bank Accounts:** Monies received pursuant to the Agreement shall be kept in accounts in established Florida banks, credit unions or savings and loan associations whose identity shall be disclosed in writing, with the identity and title of individuals whom the Grantee authorizes to withdraw or write checks on grant funds from the banking institution identified on the "Bank Account Disclosure" form submitted by the Grantee. These accounts need not be accounts which are segregated from other accounts maintained by the Grantee. However, it is highly recommended that the Grantee maintain a separate account for these grant funds.

9. **Accounting and Financial Review:** The Grantee must keep accurate and complete books and records for all receipts and expenditures of this grant award and any matching funds required in conformance with reasonable general accounting standards. These books and records, as well as all documents pertaining to payments received and made in conjunction with this grant, such as vouchers, bills, invoices, receipts and canceled checks, shall be retained in Miami-Dade County in a secure place and in an orderly fashion by the Grantee for at least two (2) years after: the Grant End Date specified in Article I.6.; the expiration of an extended grant period as approved by the Director; the completion of a County requested or mandated audit or compliance review; the conclusion of a legal action involving the grant award, the Grantee and/or project or activities related to the grant award.

The Director or his designee may examine these books, records and documents at the Grantee's offices or other approved site under the direct control and supervision of the Grantee during regular business hours and upon reasonable notice. Furthermore, the Director may, upon reasonable notice and at the County's expense, audit or have audited all financial records of the Grantee, whether or not purported to be related to this grant.

10. **Publicity and Credits:** The Grantee must include the following credit line in all promotional and marketing materials related to this grant including web sites, news and press releases, public service announcements, broadcast media, event programs, and publications: "With the support of the Miami-Dade County Tourist Development Council, the Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs and the Cultural Affairs Council, the Miami-Dade County Mayor and Board of County Commissioners." The grantee must also use the Tourist Development Council logo in marketing and publicity materials whenever possible. Please call the Department to request an electronic logo file or download it from our website (www.miamidadearts.org).

By accepting County funds, the grantee is required to recognize and acknowledge Miami-Dade County's grant support in a manner commensurate with all contributors and sponsors of its activities at comparable dollar levels.

11. **Liability and Indemnification:** It is expressly understood and intended that the Grantee, as the recipient of grant funds, is not an officer, employee or agent of Miami-Dade County, its Board of County Commissioners, its Mayor, the Tourist Development Council, the Department of Cultural Affairs or the Cultural Affairs Council. Further, for purposes of the Agreement and the grant project or activity, the parties hereto agree that the Grantee, its officers, agents and employees are independent contractors.

The Grantee shall take all actions as may be necessary to ensure that its officers, agents, employees, assignees and/or subcontractors shall not act as nor give the appearance of that of an agent, servant, joint venturer, collaborator or partner of the Tourist Development Council, the Department of Cultural Affairs, the Cultural Affairs Council, the Miami-Dade County Mayor, the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners, or its employees.

The Grantee agrees to be responsible for all work performed and all expenses incurred in connection with the project. The Grantee may subcontract as necessary to perform the services set forth in the Agreement, including entering into subcontracts with vendors for services and commodities, provided that it is understood by the Grantee that Miami-Dade County shall not be liable to the subcontractor for any expenses or liabilities incurred under the subcontract, and that the Grantee shall be solely liable to the subcontractor for all expenses and liabilities incurred under the subcontract.

The Grantee shall indemnify and hold harmless the County and its officers, employees, agents and instrumentalities from any and all liability, losses or damages, including attorneys' fees and costs of defense, which the County or its officers, employees, agents or instrumentalities may incur as a result of claims, demands, law suits, causes of actions or proceedings of any kind or nature arising out of, relating to or resulting from the performance of the Agreement by the Grantee or its employees, agents, servants, partners, principals or subcontractors. The Grantee shall pay all claims and losses in connection therewith and shall investigate and defend all claims, suits, or actions of any kind or nature in the name of the County, where applicable including appellate proceedings, and shall pay all costs, judgments, and attorneys' fees which may issue thereon. The Grantee expressly understands and agrees that any insurance protection required by the Agreement or otherwise provided shall in no way limit the responsibility to indemnify, keep and save harmless, and defend the County or its officers, employees, agents and instrumentalities as herein provided.

12. **Assignment:** The Grantee is not permitted to assign this grant award or any portion thereof. Any purported assignment will render this grant null and void and the Grantee shall be subject to immediate rescission of the full amount of the grant award and reimbursement by the Grantee of its full value to the County.

13. **Compliance with Laws:** It shall be a contractual obligation of the Grantee hereunder, that during the term of the Agreement, the Grantee agrees to abide by and be governed by all applicable federal, state and county laws and the terms of grants made to Miami-Dade County and the Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs and Cultural Affairs Council, of which this grant is a sub grant, including, but not limited to the following Miami-Dade County Ordinances, Resolutions, sections of the County Code and federal laws:

(a) County Ordinance No. 72-82 - Miami-Dade County's Conflict of Interest and Code of Ethics Ordinance - as amended, which is incorporated herein by reference as if fully set forth herein;
(b) Section 2-8.1- of the Miami-Dade County Code - Ownership Disclosure;
(c) County Ordinance No. 90-133- Amending Sec. 2-8.1; (d)(2) - Employment Disclosure;
(d) Section 2-8.6 -of the County Code - Criminal Record;
(e) County Resolutions R-202-96, R-206-96, R-13211-99;
(f) County Ordinance No. 92-15 codified as Section 2-8.1.2 of the County Code - Employment Drug-free Workplace;
(g) County Ordinance No. 142-91 codified as Section 11A -29 et. seq. of the County Code – Family Leave; County Resolution R-385-95 - Miami-Dade County Disability Nondiscrimination Affidavit, incorporating the following Federal laws and Acts:
    (1) The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (ADA), Pub.L. 101-336, 104 Stat. 327, 42 U.S.C. 12101-12213 and 47 U.S.C. Sections 225 and 611 including Title I, Employment;
    (2) Title II, Public Services;
    (3) Title III, Public Accommodation and Services Operated by Private Entities; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973;
    (4) Title IV, Telecommunications;
    (5) Title V, Miscellaneous Provisions: The Rehabilitation Act of 1973,29 U.S.C. Section 794; The Federal Transit Act, as amended 49 U.S.C. Section 1612; The Fair House Act as amended, 42 U.S.C. Section 3601 - The foregoing requirements of this section shall <u>not</u> pertain to contracts with the United States or any department or agency thereof, or the State or any political subdivision or agency thereof or any municipality of this State;
(h) Section 2-8.1 (c) of the County Code regarding Delinquent and Currently Due Fees or Taxes;
(i) Resolution R-1206-97 regarding Welfare Reform Work Participation.

The Grantee has certifiably indicated compliance with these laws, ordinances and resolutions by properly executing the affidavits attached hereto.

Further, all funded activities must provide equal access and equal opportunity in employment and services, and may not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, ancestry, national origin, sex, pregnancy, age, disability, marital status, familial status, sexual

orientation or physical ability, in accordance with Title VI and Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 as amended (42 U.S.C. 2000d et seq.), the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) of 1990, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and Miami-Dade County ordinances No. 97-170, § 1, 2-25-97 and No. 98-17, § 1, 12-1-98.

14. Remedies: In the event the Grantee shall fail to materially conform with any of the provisions of the Agreement or its attachments referenced herein, the Director may withhold or cancel all, or any, unpaid installments of the grant upon giving five (5) calendar days written notice to the Grantee, and the County shall have no further obligation to the Grantee under the Agreement. Further, in the event of a material breach of any term or condition of the Agreement, upon five (5) calendar days written demand by the Director, the Grantee shall repay to Miami-Dade County all portions of the grant which have been received by the Grantee, but which have not actually been disbursed by the Grantee as of the date that the written demand is received.

In the event this grant is canceled or the Grantee is requested to repay grant funds because of a breach of the Agreement, the Grantee may be declared permanently ineligible to apply to the Tourist Development Council or the Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs' grants programs. Reinstating the Grantee's eligibility to apply is at the Director's sole discretion, and may only be considered subsequent to all deficient areas on prior grants having been addressed to the satisfaction of the Director. Further, the Grantee will be liable to reimburse Miami-Dade County for all unauthorized expenditures discovered after the expiration of the grant period. The Grantee will also be liable to reimburse the County for all lost or stolen grant funds.

Grant funds which are to be repaid to Miami-Dade County pursuant to this Section or other Sections in the Agreement, are to be repaid by delivering to the Director a certified check for the total amount due, payable to the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners.

These provisions do not waive or preclude the County from pursuing any other remedy, which may be available to it under the law.

15. Indulgence Will Not Be A Waiver of Breach: The indulgence of either party with regard to any breach or failure to perform any provision of the Agreement shall not be deemed to constitute a waiver of the provision or any portion of the Agreement either at the time the breach or failure occurs or at any time throughout the term of the Agreement.

16. Written Notices: Any written notices required under the Agreement will become effective when delivered in person or upon the receipt of a certified letter addressed to the Grantee at the address specified in Article I.1 of the Agreement, and to the Director when addressed as follows: Director, Miami-Dade County Department of Cultural Affairs, 111 NW First Street, Suite 625, Miami, Florida 33128.

17. Captions Used In the Agreement: Captions as used in the Agreement are for convenience of reference only and should not be deemed or construed as in any way limiting or extending the language or provisions to which such captions may refer.

18. Contract Represents Total Agreement: The Agreement, including its special conditions and attachments, represents the whole and total agreement of the parties. No representations, except those contained within the Agreement and its attachments, are to be considered in construing its terms. Other than as specified in this agreement, no modifications or amendments may be made to the Agreement unless made in writing, signed by both parties, and approved by appropriate action by the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners and Mayor.

ARTICLE III - INSURANCE

The Grantee must maintain and shall furnish upon request to the Director or his designee, certificates of insurance indicating that insurance has been obtained which meets the requirements as outlined below:

1. Workers' Compensation Insurance for all employees of the Grantee as required by Chapter 440 Florida Statutes.
2. Public Liability Insurance on a comprehensive policy in an amount not less than $300,000 combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage.
3. Automobile Liability Insurance covering all owned, non-owned and hired vehicles used in connection with the project, in an amount not less than $300,000 combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage.

The insurance policies required above shall be issued by companies authorized to do business under the laws of the State of Florida, with the following qualifications:

1. The Company must be rated no less than "B" as to the management, and no less than "Class V" as to financial strength by the latest edition of Best's Insurance Guide, published by A.M. Best Company, Oldwick, New Jersey, or its equivalent, subject to the approval of the County Risk Management Division; or,
2. The Company must hold a valid Florida Certificate of Authority as shown in the latest "List of All Insurance Companies Authorized or Approved to Do Business in Florida," issued by the State of Florida Department of Insurance, and is a member of the Florida Guaranty Fund.

Certificates must indicate that no modification or change in insurance shall be made without thirty (30) days advance written notice to the certificate holder.

Modification or waiver of any of the aforementioned insurance requirements is subject to the approval of the County's Risk Management Division. The Grantee shall notify the County of any intended changes in insurance coverage, including any renewals of existing policies.

ARTICLE IV - TERMINATION

If, for any reason, the Grantee shall fail to fulfill in a timely and proper manner its obligations under the Agreement, or should violate any of the covenants, agreements, or stipulations of the Agreement, the County shall thereupon have the right to terminate the Agreement by giving written notice to the Grantee of such termination and specifying the effective date thereof, at least five (5) days before the effective date of such termination.

Notwithstanding the above, the Grantee shall not be relieved of liability to the County by virtue of any breach of the Agreement by the Grantee, and the County may withhold any payments to the Grantee until such time as the exact amount of damages due to the County from the Grantee is determined.

ARTICLE V - SPECIAL CONDITIONS

None.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS
RESTATEMENT OF PROJECT BUDGET

PROJECT INFORMATION

Fiscal Year / Program: 2007-2008Tourist Development Council Grants Program

Organization Name:

Project Title:

Dates of Activities:

Necessary changes in the project (if any):

GRANT AWARD BUDGET

Itemize cash expenses to be expended from the grant award. Expenditures must equal the total amount of the grant award as listed on the Grant Award Agreement. Round amounts to the nearest dollar (do not show cents). NOTE: The items specified in this budget must correspond with the Grant Dollars Allocated column of the Project Expense Budget on your original application form.

	GRANT AWARD
PERSONNEL	
ADMINISTRATIVE:	
ARTISTIC:	
TECHNICAL:	
OUTSIDE ARTISTIC FEES:	
OUTSIDE OTHER FEES:	
MARKETING/PUBLICITY	
PRINTING	
POSTAGE	
IN COUNTY TRAVEL	
OUT OF COUNTY TRAVEL	
EQUIPMENT RENTAL	
EQUIPMENT PURCHASE	
SPACE RENTAL	
INSURANCE	
UTILITIES	
SUPPLIES/MATERIALS	
OTHER COSTS (ITEMIZE):	
TOTAL GRANT AWARD:	

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PROJECT BUDGET

List cash and in-kind expenses and revenues specifically identified with your project/season. Round amounts to the nearest dollar (do not show cents). NOTE: Total project expenses and revenues must equal.

	CASH EXPENSES	IN-KIND		CASH REVENUES	IN-KIND
PERSONNEL			ADMISSIONS		
ADMINISTRATIVE:			CONTRACTED SERVICES		
ARTISTIC:			TUITIONS		
TECHNICAL:			CORPORATE SUPPORT		
OUTSIDE ARTISTIC FEES:			FOUNDATION SUPPORT		
OUTSIDE OTHER FEES:			PRIVATE/INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT		
MARKETING/PUBLICITY			GOVERNMENT GRANTS:		
PRINTING			FEDERAL NEA		
POSTAGE			STATE		
IN COUNTY TRAVEL			LOCAL		
OUT OF COUNTY TRAVEL			APPLICANT CASH ON HAND		
EQUIPMENT RENTAL			*OTHER REVENUES (ITEMIZE):*		
EQUIPMENT PURCHASE					
SPACE RENTAL					
INSURANCE					
UTILITIES					
SUPPLIES/MATERIALS					
OTHER COSTS (ITEMIZE):					
			GRANT AWARD		

SUB TOTALS: _____ _____ **SUB TOTALS:** _____ _____

TOTAL EXPENSES: _____ **TOTAL REVENUES:** _____

Prepared by:

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

TYPED/PRINTED NAME _____ TITLE _____

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1. **3B Productions, LLC** — $5,000
900 16th Street, #210, Miami Beach, FL 33139
Organization Established in 2002
FUNKSHION - Fashion Week Miami Beach
Funds are requested to support the production of Fashion Week Miami Beach - FUNKSHION, a four day event scheduled for October 10 -14, 2007. The event features fashion designers, artists, and musicians. The biggest names in fashion will come from all over the world to showcase their newest collections. Designers such as Nicole Miller, Kimora Lee Simmons (Baby Phat), Sisley, Fila and Fred Perry have been confirmed. All designers will come and attend their own shows.

2. **Bayfront Park Management Trust Corporation** — $5,000
301 N. Biscayne Blvd., Miami, FL 33132
Organization Established in 1987
Downtown Miami's 2007 New Year's Eve Celebration
Funds are requested to support Downtown Miami's 2007 New Year's Eve Celebration at Bayfront Park. This exciting event will include: a multicultural concert by nationally-known performers at the Amphitheater; a 75-foot holiday tree; weekend craft market; and the Big Orange ascending the side of the Intercontinental Hotel at midnight, accompanied by a fireworks display over beautiful Biscayne Bay.

3. **Center for Emerging Art, Inc.** — $5,000
800 West Avenue #737, Miami Beach, FL 33139
Organization Established in 1995
Music Map of the World
Funds are requested to support the artistic, administrative and marketing expenses associated with the Center for Emerging Art's "Music Map of the World" Concert Series, held from October 11-14, 2007. The program consists of four concerts to take place at The Standard Hotel in Miami Beach, with an outreach concert at Miami Beach Senior Center and the Miami Lighthouse for the Blind.

4. **Center for Haitian Studies, Inc.** — $10,000
8260 NE 2nd Avenue, Miami, FL 33138
Organization Established in 1989
RASIN Festival 2007
Funds are requested to support the 14th Annual Haitian Roots Music Festival "RASIN 2007," which will be held on Saturday, November 3, 2007 from 2pm until Midnight. "RASIN 2007" will feature the leading internationally renowned Haitian Roots bands from Haiti and Miami and the popular dance troupe Sosyete Koukouy of Miami. "RASIN 2007" will offer the public an excellent opportunity to enjoy the riches of the Haitian culture through music, dance, food and arts.

Tourist Development Council Grants Program
FY2007-2008 - First Quarter

Organization/ Project Description	*FY2007-2008 Final Award*

5. **Centro Cultural Brasil-USA da Florida, Inc.** — $3,500
80 SW 8th Street, Suite 2600, Miami, FL 33149
Organization Established In 1996
Rio de Janeiro, The Wonderful City
Funds are requested to support artistic, marketing and production costs associated with "Rio de Janeiro, The Wonderful City: A Treasure of Culture and History." The event is a Brazilian cultural festival taking place on November 8-11, 2007, at the International Village during the Miami International Book Fair. Government of Rio de Janeiro is working with th event's organizers to bring Rio's distinctive culture to this area and enhance Miami's cosmopolitan character and attraction as a tourist destination.

6. **Community AIDS Resource, Inc., dba Care Resource** — $25,000
3510 Biscayne Boulevard, 3rd Floor, Miami, FL 33137
Organization Established In 1983
White Party Week
Funds are requested to support partial marketing costs associated with White Party Week 2007, a week-long series of events to be held in the City of Miami and Miami Beach from November 21 - 26, 2007. All events draw local, national and international tourists to hotels in Miami and Miami Beach.

7. **Cultural Council, Inc., The** — $6,000
7745 S.W. 142 Street, Palmetto Bay, FL 33158
Organization Established In 1990
17th Annual In the Park with Art
Funds are requested to support a free, juried two-day fine art show at Coral Reef Park on Octoeber 27 - 28, 2007. The show will attract over 100 artists from across the country and will serve over 10,000 residents from across the county and beyond. There will be educational programs for children and performances by local music ensembles will be a feature of the show.

8. **Dave and Mary Alper Jewish Community Center, Inc.** — $15,000
11155 S.W. 112th Avenue, Miami, FL 33176
Organization Established In 1934
2007-2008 Visual Arts Season
Funds are requested to support the Dave and Mary Alper JCC's gallery exhibits for the 2007-2008 season. The gallery offers visual arts programs free of charge to the community and features Jewish and local non-Jewish artists, reflecting themes of diversity, inclusion, tradition/history and assimilation.

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9. Downtown Miami Partnership — $4,000
25 SE 2nd Avenue, #1007, Miami, FL 33131
Organization Established in 1977

Downtown Miami Welcome Center

Funds are requested to support the operation of a Welcome/Visitors Center for Downtown Miami. The Downtown Miami Welcome Center opened in the fall of 2002 and has serviced 18,000+ visitors to date. The Center is a year round resource assisting visitors six days a week from its location in the lobby of the historic Olympia Theater (Gusman Center for the Performing Arts). The Center is open Monday-Saturday, 10am - 6pm.

10. Edge Zones, Inc. — $5,000
2214 North Miami Avenue, Miami, FL 33127
Organization Established in 2004

Zones Contemporary Art Fair

Funds are requested to support Zones Contemporary Art Fair from December 6-10, 2007. This new type of fair created by a local art center allows local and guest artists to represent themselves and to present their work directly to an audience of art professionals, collectors and the public. The fair will run concurrently with Art Basel at the Edge Zones site in Miami's Wynwood Art District.

11. Epic Arts Foundation, Inc. f/a Earth Dance Film Festival — $5,000
1923 Ashby Avenue, Berkeley, CA 94703
Organization Established in 1998

Earth Dance Film Festival at CASADECOR

Funds are requested to support the Earth Dance Film Festival, a juried film festival featuring eco-themed comedies, documentaries, animation films and thrillers that promise not to sacrifice entertainment for ecology or sophistication for sustainability, from November 8, 2007 through December 16, 2007, at CASADECOR.

12. Exponica International, Inc. — $15,000
8250 West Flagler Street, #114, Miami, FL 33144
Organization Established in 2000

Exponica International 2007 "La Feria de las Americas"

Funds are requested to support Exponica International "La Feria de las Americas" 2007, which is scheduled to take place on November 10-12, 2007. This is a unique 3-day event in South Florida that shares the richness and traditions of the Hispanic culture with Miami-Dade residents and visitors. The event brings together people from more than 15 nationalities through art & craft vendors, music, dance and folkloric displays.

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13. Fairchild Tropical Botanic Garden, Inc. — $18,000
10901 Old Cutler Road, Miami, FL 33156
Organization Established in 1936

Roy Lichtenstein Sculpture Exhibition

Funds are requested to support the "Roy Lichtenstein at Fairchild," a large scale sculpture exhibition to take place from December 1, 2007 through May 31, 2008 as part of the "Art & Flowers" series. The combination of Faichild's 83 acres of stunning garden landscapes and Lichtenstein's sculptures is expected to draw more than 350,000 visitors from the Southeast, Latin America and Europe. The project is estimated to have an economic impact of $30-40 million to South Florida.

14. Florida Film Institute, Inc. f/a Florida Media Market, Inc. — $3,000
640 NE 124 Street, North Miami, FL 33161
Organization Established in 1999

Florida Media Market Global Conference 2007

Funds are requested to support administrative, artistic, marketing/promotion and printing fees associated with the production of the Florida Media Market (FMM) Global Conference taking place October 18-21, 2007 in Miami Beach. The FMM Global conference will host over 500 national, international and local top media executives with ties to major corporations all over the world, featuring 8 educational workshops and panels and 4 executive screenings, highlighting industry professionals and special invited guests.

15. Florida International University Board of Trustees, for the benefi — $14,400
11200 S.W. 8th Street, University Park TC-30, Miami, FL 33199
Organization Established in 1965

Annual Inter-American Conference of Mayors and Local Authorities

Funds are requested to support the XI Annual Inter-American Conference of Mayors and Local Authorities which is scheduled for June 16-19, 2008. The conference will bring together mayors, public officials, political leaders, as well as, local, regional and national leaders of the hemisphere to discuss issues pertaining to the strengthening of democracy and the role of local governments.

16. GableStage, Inc. — $10,500
1200 Anastasia Avenue, Coral Gables, FL 33134
Organization Established in 1979

Gablestage 2007-2008 Season

Funds are requested to support GableStage's 2007-2008 Season at the Biltmore Hotel. The national historic landmark hotel complements GableStage's marketing and advertising, with an expansive multi-level publicity campaign geared at returning and potential tourists to the Miami-Dade area that are attracted by the hotel's theatre package offerings, which exclusively feature GablesStage performances.

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17. GALA Choruses — $25,000
PO Box 99998, Pittsburgh, PA 15233
Organization Established in 1983

GALA Choruses Festival 2008 Miami

Funds are requested to support GALA Choruses Festival 2008 Miami which is scheduled to take place on July 12 -19, 2008 at the Carnival Center for the Performing Arts. This event brings together gay, lesbian, bisexual and transgender choruses from around the world for a full week of performances, workshops and social events. The largest performing arts event of its kind, with over 150 choral groups performing and over 5,000 delegates attending.

18. Greater So. Dade/So. Miami/Kendall Chamber of Commerce, Inc — $4,000
6410 SW 80th Street, South Miami, FL 33143
Organization Established in 1931

36th Annual South Miami Art Festival

Funds are requested to support marketing efforts , production costs and publications to promote the 36th Annual South Miami Art Festival which is scheduled for November 3-4, 2007, on the streets of Sunset Drive in South Miami . The event is a juried fine arts show, which has consistently ranked in the top 200 in the United States by Sunshine Artist Magazine and attracts artists from all over the country and abroad.

19. Hispanic-American Lyric Theatre, Inc. — $6,300
9130 SW 123 Ave. Ct., Miami, FL 33186
Organization Established in 1987

World Premiere of Opera/Ballet "Rosalinda"

Funds are requested to support the World Premiere of "Rosalinda", an original opera/ballet composed by Jose Ramon Urbay and George Mattox, which is a timeless love story set in London during World War I and Paris. The performances will take place at the Ophelia & Juan Roca Theater in Miami on October 20-21, 2007.

20. Italian Film Festival, Inc. — $5,000
360 Greco Ave., Suite 201A, Coral Gables, FL 33146
Organization Established in 2003

2007 Italian Film Festival

Funds are requested to support the 2007 Italian Film Festival which will include over 10 Italian films produced in 2006-2007 that have not yet been screened for American audiences, an educational lecture at Books & Books in Coral Gables, and a variety of meet-the-artists social events and opportunities from October 4-9, 2007.

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21. M. Athalie Range Cultural Arts Foundation, Inc. $15,000
12955 Biscayne Boulevard, Suite 316, Miami, FL 33181
Organization Established In 1997

A Musical Celebration of Life - Honoring Mrs. Athalie Range

Funds are requested to support the 12th annual Musical Celebration of Life. This year's program will honor pioneers who have made a significant contribution to the black community. The event will be held on December 12, 2007, at the Eden Roc Resort and Spa in Miami Beach at 6:00 p.m.

22. Miami Beach Chamber of Commerce $20,000
1920 Meridian Avenue, Miami Beach, FL 33139
Organization Established In 1929

Miami Beach Visitors Center

Funds are requested to support operational costs for the Visitor Information Center which handles over 40,000 documented tourist inquiries annually. Located directly across from the Holocaust Memorial, the Center's services include multi-lingual guides, maps and brochures, promotional videos, resolution of visitor complaints, support volunteers for conferences and conventions.

23. Miami Beach Latin Chamber of Commerce of Miami Beach/Cam $20,000
510 Lincoln Road, Miami Beach, FL 33139
Organization Established In 1988

Tourist Hospitality Center/Centro de Hospitalidad Turistico

Funds are requested to support the 12-year old Miami Beach Tourist Hospitality Center to provide direct visitor information contact. A wide range of visitors' information and assistance services at the center helps create the "repeat guest experience" and develop more visitor referalls to local businesses. The program is an effective "service arm" that enhances marketing efforts of the Greater Miami Convention and Visitors Bureau and other agencies. It influences visitors positively on Miami's hospitality. The Center fulfills an average of 16,000 tourism inquiries via walk-ins, telephone, mail-outs, and e-mails directing visitors to hotels, restaurants, retail centers, cultural attractions, and special events. The Center is located at an attractive pedestrian location on Lincoln Road and is open all year round.

24. Miami Book Fair International, Inc. $17,500
300 NE 2 Avenue, Suite 3704, Miami, FL 33132
Organization Established In 1984

Miami Book Fair International

Funds are requested to support the 24th Annual Miami Book Fair International, a literary festival that brings several hundred authors and exhibitors, as well as thousands of tourists to the Wolfson Campus of Miami Dade College and its surrounding streets. This year's fair will take place from November 4-11, 2007, and will feature best selling authors: Caroline Kennedy, Richard Russo and Edna Buchanna, among others.

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25. Miami Contemporary Dance Company — $7,500
1919 Purdy Avenue, Miami Beach, FL 33139
Organization Established in 2000

International Dance Project: Il Balletto dell'Esperia

Funds are requested to support the Miami Contemporary Dance Company's international dance production featuring Il Balletto dell'Espere from Italy for two nights at the Colony Theater, in Miami Beach from November 30, 2007 through December 1, 2007.

26. Miami International University of Art & Design — $20,000
1501 Biscayne Boulevard, Miami, FL 33132
Organization Established in 1965

The International Arts of Fashion Competition

Funds are requested to support the production of the first International Arts of Fashion competition to be held in the United States. Students from 20 countries as well as 25 major colleges in the US will come to Miami to compete and attend seminars/workshops taught by internationally recognized fashion leaders on October 29-November 3, 2007, at the Miami International University of Art & Design. In the 24-year history of the competition, Miami entries hold the highest number of honors awarded, demonstrating the emergence of the Miami area as an international contender in the fashion arena.

27. Miami Short Film Festival, Inc. — $7,500
2501 Brickell Avenue, Suite 608, Miami, FL 33129
Organization Established in 2006

The 6th Miami Short Film Festival

Funds are requested to support the outside artistic and marketing costs associated with the 6th Annual Miami Short Film Festival. The festival will feature a series of short films in Miami-Dade County during the week of November 26th through December 2, 2007. The Miami Short Film Festival has a track record of attracting visitors and tourists, as well as young entrepreneurs, artists, students and potential future professionals from all genres of the entertainment and film industry from around the world.

28. Miami-Dade County Days, Inc. — $15,000
10719 SW 104th Street, Miami, FL 33176-8162
Organization Established in 1989

Miami-Dade County Days in Tallahassee 2008 - "Paella Fest"

Funds are requested to support "Paella Fest" part of the 19th annual Miami-Dade County Days, showcasing Miami-Dade County during the Legislative Session in Tallahassee, Florida. The goal of the event is to promote the needs of the community and educate the legislators from Florida about Miami-Dade County.

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29. Miami-Dade County Park and Recreation Department (Operation $15,000
275 NW 2nd Street, Suite 548, Miami, FL 33128
Organization Established in 1929

Ribfest 2007

Funds are requested to support marketing costs for the 4th Annual Ribfest, a family barbeque style picnic and festival scheduled for November 2-4, 2007, at the Homestead Air Reserve Park. Activities include rib cooking contest, live music by two nationally known groups, a family fun zone, among many other activities.

30. Monumental World, Inc, $10,000
529 NW 42nd Street, Miami, FL 33127
Organization Established in 2007

MONUMENTAL

Funds are requested to support and promote MONUMENTAL, a public, prestigious and contemporary art exhibition that will highlight Miami as a world-class destination with 15 major international monumental outdoor sculptures on Ocean Drive. MONUMENTAL will bring a museum quality exhibition to the public, from December 1-15, 2007 and is free of charge.

31. Museum of Contemporary Art, Inc. (MoCA) $15,000
770 NE 125 Street, North Miami, FL 33161
Organization Established in 1981

Enoc Perez

Funds are requested to support programming costs associated with the Museum of Contemporary Art's (MOCA) exhibition of "Enoc Perez," taking place in conjunction with Art Basel Miami Beach from December 6, 2007 through March 22, 2008.

32. New World Festival, Inc. $12,000
1008 Alhambra Circle, Coral Gables, FL 33134
Organization Established in 1980

Coral Gables Cultural Calendar County-wide Tourism Cultural Activities

Funds are requested to support the production of cultural events, among them the annual Mainly Mozart Festival, and the publication of the monthly Coral Gables Cultural Calendar, as part of the effort to make Coral Gables and Miami-Dade County a cultural-oriented tourist destination.

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33. Proyecto Arte Actual, Inc. d/b/a The Moore Space — $4,500
4040 NE 2nd Avenue, 2nd Floor, Miami, FL 33137
Organization Established in 2001

FRENCH KISSING IN THE USA

Funds are requested to support FRENCH KISSING IN THE USA, the first group exhibition in the United States to present the emerging generation's art scene of French art at The Moore Spcae from December 4, 2007 to March 8, 2008. Taking the title from the 1986 hit song by Blondie, the exhibition will present seventeen artists in a variety of media: painting, sculpture, video, photography and works of sound.

34. Tigertail Productions, Inc. — $6,000
842 NW 9th Court, Miami, FL 33136
Organization Established in 1979

Tigertail International Events 2007/2008

Funds are requested to support Tigertail International Events 2007/08 from October 1, 2007 through April 30, 2008. Tigertail presents dynamic and stimulating new work in music, dance, theater, poetry and the visual arts.

35. Tropical Everglades Visitor Association, Inc. — $20,000
160 U.S. Highway #1, Florida City, FL 33034
Organization Established in 1993

Tropical Everglades Visitor Center

Funds are requested to support the 13-year old Tropical Everglades Visitor Center located in Florida City. Staffed by some 30 volunteers, the center provides much needed information seven days a week (along with telephone and e-mail inquires) to over 60,000 yearly international and domestic tourists. The center provides directions and promotes businesses throughout Miami-Dade County with an emphasis on supporting the many hotels, restaurants, attractions, as well as, the two national parks that make up the southern half of Miami-Dade County's tourism industry.