A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING A DONATION LAW ENFORCEMENT **FORFEITURE** FUNDS. PURSUANT TO FLORIDA'S CONTRABAND FORFEITURE ACT, IN SUPPORT OF COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS AND LOCAL AGENCIES WHICH PROVIDE DRUG TREATMENT, DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION, **DRUG CRIME** PREVENTION PREVENTION. AND SAFE NEIGHBORHOOD PROGRAMS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$75,000.00.

WHEREAS, Section 932.7055(5)(c)3., Florida Statutes, requires each local Law Enforcement Agency that acquires at least \$15,000.00 pursuant to the Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act to donate no less than 15 percent of such Law Enforcement Forfeiture Funds during every fiscal year for the support or operation of drug treatment, drug abuse education, drug prevention, crime prevention, safe neighborhood programs, or school resource officer program(s); and

WHEREAS, during the past several months, many agencies and organizations desiring to receive a donation of Law Enforcement Forfeiture Funds, requested an appropriation by submitting a request accompanied by a written certification that the donated funds will be used for an authorized purpose; and

WHEREAS, based on the availability of Law Enforcement Forfeiture Funds, the following organizations and agencies have been selected to receive a donation of Law Enforcement Forfeiture Funds based on compliance with statutory criteria to receive said funds:

A Child is Missing, Inc.	\$ 2,500.00
Art & Culture Center of Hollywood	\$ 5,000.00
Aspira of Florida, Inc.	\$ 2,500.00
Community Enhancement Collaboration	\$ 5,000.00
Hollywood Florida Scholarship Foundation	\$ 5,000.00
City of Hollywood Police Athletic League	\$ 50,000.00
YMCA of South Florida Greater Hollywood	\$ 5,000.00

WHEREAS, the donation of said Law Enforcement Forfeiture Funds will incur no cost to the taxpayers of the City of Hollywood and will reflect the City of Hollywood's commitment to community organizations and agencies which provide programs in support of drug treatment, drug abuse education and prevention or crime prevention training and education; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police recommends that \$75,000.00 be made available from the Law Enforcement Forfeiture Fund pursuant to Florida's Contraband Forfeiture Act in support of those community organizations and local agencies set forth above which provide drug abuse treatment, drug abuse education, drug prevention, crime prevention or safe neighborhood programs;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA:

<u>Section 1</u>: That it hereby approves and authorizes the donation of Law Enforcement Forfeiture Funds pursuant to the Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act in support of the community organizations and local agencies described herein which provide drug abuse treatment, drug abuse education, drug prevention, or crime prevention, or safe neighborhood programs in the total amount of \$75,000.00.

<u>Section 2</u>: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this	_ day of	, 2015.
ATTEST:	PETER BOBER, N	MAYOR
PATRICIA A. CERNY, MMC, CITY CLERK  APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY for the use and reliance of the City of Hollywood, Florida, only.	-	
JEFFREY P. SHEFFEL, CITY ATTORNEY		