

**CITY OF TAMARAC
INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM
PARKS AND RECREATION**

TO: Michael C. Cernech, City Manager DATE: July 22, 2020

**FROM: Gregory Warner, Director of Parks
and Recreation**

**RE: Temp. Reso. # – Acceptance of
a donation from the Tamarac
Parks and Recreation
Foundation.**

Recommendation:

I recommend the City accept the donation of a 37 passenger bus from the Tamarac Parks and Recreation Foundation.

Issue:

Tamarac City Code Section 6.156-3, *Acceptance of donations*, requires Commission approval for donations exceeding the value of \$1,000. The Tamarac Parks and Recreation Foundation wishes to donate a 37 passenger bus to the City with an estimated book value of \$40,500.

Background:

The Tamarac Parks and Recreation Foundation has purchased a 37 passenger bus from the City of North Lauderdale. The bus has an estimated book value of \$40,500. The Tamarac Parks and Recreation Foundation purchased the bus with the intention of donating it to the City for use by the Parks and Recreation Department. Parks and Recreation can utilize the bus to transport groups of youth and adults to various parks, facilities and attractions in the area. Specifically, this will help with summer camp, fast track and adult trips. The bus will also be used for other city programs such as Tamarac University and Leadership Tamarac. The bus will allow for greater flexibility in programming, as well as, a cost savings due to not needing to contract for a bus with a third party.

The Parks and Recreation Foundation has determined that donating the bus meets their mission of “Enhancing Tamarac Parks and Recreation facilities, programs and services through partnerships and fundraising to positively impact the quality of life for children to seniors regardless of ability or financial status”.

Fiscal Impact:

The bus will be added to the City’s asset inventory and onto it’s property insurance policy.

Gregory Warner