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Sent: Tuesday, February 20, 2018 1:05 PM
To: Nancy Popick; Jennifer Johnson; Joseph Kavanagh
Cc: Jim Cherof; Sam May; Adam Reichbach
Subject: RE: opine request FW: Butterfly Festival

Good afternoon. The City Attorney's Office has reviewed this inquiry, as requested.

The Broward County Code of Ethics for Elected Officials applies to this proposed "gift" from the City of Coconut Creek. While Coconut Creek may be a city vendor, the restriction on gifts from vendors expressly does not apply to Broward County or any municipality within the County. In other words, our City Commissioners may legally accept the invitation from Coconut Creek, including parking and food/drink valued at \$28.00.

Hopefully this helps. Please let us know if there is any additional information that we can provide.

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From: Jim Cherof
Sent: Tuesday, February 20, 2018 11:48 AM
To: Jacob G. Horowitz
Subject: Fwd: opine request FW: Butterfly Festival
Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: Nancy Popick <npopick@margatefl.com>
Date: February 20, 2018 at 10:35:29 AM EST
To: "jcherof@cityatty.com" <jcherof@cityatty.com>
Cc: ""ddoody@cityatty.com" (ddoody@cityatty.com)"" <ddoody@cityatty.com>
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From: Jennifer Johnson
Sent: Tuesday, February 20, 2018 8:13 AM
To: CityAtty
Cc: Joseph Kavanagh; Theresa Jones
Subject: RE: Butterfly Festival

Good morning,

Just wanted to check in on this- the event is this Saturday.

Thank you,

Jennifer M. Johnson, CMC

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From: Jennifer Johnson
Sent: Thursday, February 15, 2018 12:10 PM
To: CityAtty
Cc: Joseph Kavanagh; Theresa Jones
Subject: FW: Butterfly Festival

Can you please offer an opinion on the below? This event is going to be held next Saturday, February 24th in Coconut Creek. My understanding is that Coconut Creek is a vendor and we would like to let the Commission know if they can accept the parking pass and the food offered from the VIP tent (estimate below).

Thank you,

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From: Hughes, Bernadette [<mailto:BHughes@coconutcreek.net>]
Sent: Thursday, February 15, 2018 11:43 AM
To: Jennifer Johnson
Cc: DeLaunay, Maureen; May, Leslie
Subject: RE: Butterfly Festival

Hi, Jennifer. It was good speaking with you. As discussed, there is no cost associated with parking. We use a caterer for the Sponsor tent, and estimating 300 attendees in the tent makes the cost per attendee \$26.33. We also provide dessert and drinks, so you could probably round up to about \$28 per person. Please call or email if you have any further questions. Thank you.

Bernadette

Bernadette Hughes

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From: Jennifer Johnson [<mailto:jjohnson@margatefl.com>]
Sent: Thursday, February 15, 2018 10:33 AM
To: Hughes, Bernadette <BHughes@coconutcreek.net>
Subject: FW: Butterfly Festival

Hello,

Can you help with the below questions?

Thanks,

Jennifer M. Johnson, CMC

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From: Jennifer Johnson
Sent: Thursday, February 15, 2018 10:30 AM
To: 'mdelaunay@coconutcreek.net'
Cc: Theresa Jones; Joseph Kavanagh
Subject: Butterfly Festival

Good morning,

Will there be free parking passes and a VIP tent this year for the festival on February 24th? If so, is there a value associated with each?

Thank you,

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