

**PRELIMINARY CONSENT AGENDA**

**FLORIDA INLAND NAVIGATION DISTRICT  
Board of Commissioners Board Meeting**

**9:00 a.m., Saturday November 16, 2013**

**Hutchinson Island Marriott Beach Resort & Marina  
555 NE Ocean Boulevard  
Stuart, (Martin County) FL, 34996**

**Item A. Miami-Dade County 2014 Annual Baynanza Biscayne Bay Waterway  
Cleanup Request, Miami-Dade County.**

Miami-Dade County has requested funding assistance for their 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Baynanza Biscayne Bay Cleanup (event date April 26, 2014). The District has funded this cleanup for many years in the past. The request is consistent with the District's program rules.

(Please see back up pages 2 - 5 )

RECOMMEND Approval of the request from Miami-Dade County for funding assistance for the 2014 Annual Baynanza Biscayne Bay Cleanup in an amount not to exceed \$10,000.00.

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**Item B. Keep Brevard Beautiful Waterways Cleanup Request, Brevard County.**

Keep Brevard Beautiful, Inc. has requested funding assistance for three annual waterway cleanup events in Brevard County, the St. Johns River Cleanup (event date March 15, 2014), the Indian River Lagoon Trash Bash (event date April 26, 2014), and the Florida Coastal Cleanup (event date September 20, 2014). The District has funded these cleanups at \$5,000 each for many years in the past. The requests are consistent with the District's program rules.

(Please see back up pages 6 - 10)

RECOMMEND Approval of the request from Keep Brevard Beautiful for three annual waterway cleanups (St. Johns River, Indian River Lagoon and the Florida Coastal Cleanup) in the amount of \$5,000 each.

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October 2, 2013

Janet Zimmerman, Assistant Executive Director  
Florida Inland Navigation District (FIND)  
1314 Marcinski Road  
Jupiter, FL 33477

Ref: Request for Sponsorship Funding Towards Baynanza 2014

Dear Ms. Zimmerman:

I am happy to inform you that Miami-Dade County is already working on the celebration of Baynanza 2014. We have greatly appreciated the support for our annual Baynanza Biscayne Bay Cleanup Day by the Florida Inland Navigation District (FIND) in past years, and look forward to working together again with FIND in 2014.

The 32<sup>nd</sup> annual Biscayne Bay Cleanup Day is scheduled for April 26, 2014, and is expected to draw over 6,000 community participants. These volunteers from all over Miami-Dade County are dedicated to cleaning our shores and nearby islands of debris.

The Florida Inland Navigation District has been an outstanding supporter of Baynanza, and we are looking forward to maintaining our partnership. For this purpose, we are asking for the same contribution amount of \$10,000 from FIND. This contribution will assist us with the funding of the Baynanza t-shirts that are provided to all participating volunteers. The cost of the t-shirts is approximately \$26,000 for 7,400 shirts (see attached). Baynanza t-shirts help generate excitement about participation in this event and are an essential element in educating our community about the importance of protecting our waterways and marine environment. In return for your sponsorship, FIND's logo will appear, just as it has had in previous years, in the Baynanza 2014 marketing materials, including the commemorative t-shirt and Calendar of Events.

The funds contributed towards Baynanza 2014 will be managed by Miami-Dade County Division of Environmental Resources Management (DERM), and I will be lead person assigned to coordinate Baynanza 2014. I can be reached at 305-372-6770 or [espnl@miamidade.gov](mailto:espnl@miamidade.gov).

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**Baynanza's History**

Baynanza was created in 1982 in an effort by Miami-Dade County to save Biscayne Bay, and to date, it's the largest coastal cleanup in South Florida. This program was created when local community leaders and Miami-Dade County joined forces with other government and private agencies to raise awareness about the dire conditions of one of our most important natural resources, Biscayne Bay. At the time, the Bay was being threatened by the direct impact of pollution from sewage runoff, marine debris, and other contaminants. The main idea for the creation of Baynanza was to get the community involved in the efforts to bring Biscayne Bay back to life, and the name came from a play of words between bonanza and bay. Thirty years later, the Baynanza Biscayne Bay Cleanup Day, has become a staple in the local efforts to clean our coastal areas and community awareness. On this day, thousands of volunteers go out to more than two dozen sites throughout Miami-Dade County to pick up several tons of trash from the shorelines and nearby islands of the Bay. But Baynanza is more than just a 1-day event. This internationally known program is comprised of more than 45 great environmental events organized by several local agencies and sponsors. Overall, Baynanza runs from March to April every year, giving the community an array of educational events to choose from.

**Baynanza's Current Success**

Miami-Dade County hosted the 31<sup>st</sup> anniversary of the Baynanza Biscayne Bay Cleanup Day on Saturday, April 20, 2013. Almost 6,000 community volunteers participated at 23 cleanup sites. At the end of the day, the Baynanza volunteers managed to collect more than 40 tons of trash from the shoreline of Biscayne Bay.

**Baynanza 2014**

The Baynanza 2014 Biscayne Bay Cleanup Day is scheduled to take place on Saturday, April 26<sup>th</sup> and is expected to draw over 6,500 community participants. These volunteers will help to clean 23 sites and 16 islands in Biscayne Bay (see attached). Collectively, we hope to pick up more than 40 tons of trash from our waterways.

We greatly appreciate your interest and support for Miami-Dade County's Baynanza activities. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Best Regards,




Luis Espinoza  
Baynanza Coordinator


<b>Baynanza Biscayne Bay Cleanup Day 2014 Budget</b>		
<b>Description</b>	<b>Cost</b>	<b>Contributions</b>
Sanitation Equipment & Supplies (toilets, dumpsters, recycle trash, biohazard disposal)	\$ 10,000	
Commemorative t-shirts (7,400 shirts)	\$ 26,000	From FIND \$ 10,000
Staff Day of the Event	\$ 24,000	
Staff Event Planning	\$ 15,000	
Event Supplies (water, ice, garbage bags, etc.) for the volunteers	\$ 2,500	
Cargo Equipment Rental / Services / Storage PODs / Parks Showmobile	\$ 6,000	
Site Signage and Banners	\$ 500	
Commemorative Calendar of Events	\$6,500	
Miscellaneous Supplies	\$ 1,000	
Registration Forms (2,000 copies)	\$ 500	
Cleanup Sites Organizer's Kit (Safety kits, etc)	\$ 2,000	
Postage	\$ 2,000	
Transportation (Vehicles / Vans)	\$ 2,000	
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$98,000</b>	<b>\$10,000</b>

# BISCAYNE BAY **CLEANUP** SITE MAP DAY

The map displays Biscayne Bay with 23 numbered cleanup sites. Major roads shown include US-1, US-27, US-95, US-112, and US-636. Landmarks include Opa-Locka Airport, Miami International Airport, and the Atlantic Ocean. Key locations like Virginia Key, Fisher Island, and Key Biscayne are also marked.






**Atlantic Ocean**



## BAYNANZA

### HOW TO REGISTER

-  Use our online registration form at [www.miamidade.gov/environment](http://www.miamidade.gov/environment)
-  Fax completed form to (305) 372-6419
-  or mail the form to:  
RER C/O Baynanza  
701 N.W. 1st Court, Ste. 200  
Miami, Florida 33136



Be sure to **BRING:** Work gloves • Extra Water • Insect repellent • Sunscreen • Hat • Comfortable closed toe shoes

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October 8, 2013

Mr. Mark Crosley  
Florida Inland Navigation District  
1314 Jupiter, Florida 33477

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Tony Sasso

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Dear Mark,

Keep Brevard Beautiful, Inc. is in the preliminary stages of planning our 2014 cleanups. We appreciate all of your financial support in the past. We hope you will support our large community cleanups again next year.

We begin with the St. Johns River Cleanup on March 15<sup>th</sup>. Different sites will be targeted on this date. Later on in the year, we would like to target more cleanups in the St. Johns River including an after hunting season cleanup. The 2013 event brought out 120 volunteers who collected 5.63 tons of trash at six sites.

As an affiliate of Keep America Beautiful, we begin the year with the Great American Cleanup. Trash Bash is an annual opportunity to motivate our community to take action to control litter on the shorelines of the Indian River Lagoon with over 42 check-in sites throughout Brevard County. Next year it will be held on April 26, 2014. Competitions between cities and county commission districts hope to create added enthusiasm. Commemorative t-shirts are worn the day of the event. The 2013 Trash Bash results are: 1,860 volunteers who collected 19.1 tons of trash.

The Coastal Cleanup, which is held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday in September, 21st is another traditional large community cleanup event. The Ocean Conservancy asks for a survey of items found. Volunteers are also given commemorative t-shirts for the occasion. The 2013 cleanup brought out 1,201 volunteers who collected over 9,880 lbs of trash. The lagoon portion of the cleanup alone saw seven check-in sites having 238 volunteers who collected 2,820 pounds of trash.

Beginning in 1988, FIND has provided waterway cleanup assistance for the Trash Bash. Our volunteer based cleanup effort is a high profile event which serves to motivate community pride while educating the community about the conditions which affect the Indian River Lagoon and St. Johns



River. It is our sincere hope that FIND will continue to support these large community cleanup events on the Indian River Lagoon and the St. Johns River, as we plan to make this year the best yet!

Keep Brevard Beautiful, Inc. is requesting \$15,000.00 for the year 2014 which will include three programs, one cleanup event in the St. Johns River and two in the Indian River Lagoon. If you have any questions regarding this request, please call me. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tony Sasso".

Tony Sasso  
Executive Director

**Keep Brevard Beautiful, Inc.**  
**Florida Inland Navigation District**  
**St Johns River Cleanup**

**March 15, 2014**

<b>Required Equipment/Materials</b>	<b>FIND Request</b>	<b>In Kind</b>
Trash bags	0.00	1,400.00
Grabbers	0.00	1,200.00
Gloves	700.00	
Signage	0.00	200.00
Incentive items	1970.00	0.00
Insect Repellent	100.00	0.00
T shirts	1600.00	0.00
Advertising	330.00	1,200.00
Dumpster		400.00
Office Supplies	200.00	
First aid Kits	100.00	
Sun screen		275.00
Water		1,000.00
<b>Total requested from FIND</b>	<b>5000.00</b>	
<b>Total In-Kind Funds</b>		<b>5,675.00</b>
<b>Total Cleanup Cost</b>	<b><u>10,675.00</u></b>	



**Keep Brevard Beautiful, Inc.**  
**Florida Inland Navigation District**  
**Trash Bash**

April 26, 2014

<b>Required Equipment/Materials</b>	<b>FIND</b>	<b>In Kind</b>
Trash bags	0.00	2,000.00
Sunscreen	0.00	275.00
Gloves	300.00	0.00
Buckets	300.00	0.00
Advertising	200.00	500.00
T shirts	2700.00	1,100.00
Office Supplies	400.00	
Grabbers	500.00	500.00
Incentive items	500.00	
First Aid Kits	100.00	
Water		1,000.00
Dumpster		200.00
Total requested from FIND	<b>5000.00</b>	
Total In-Kind Funds		<b>5,575.00</b>
<b>Total Cleanup Cost</b>		
	<b>10,575.00</b>	

**Keep Brevard Beautiful, Inc.  
Florida Inland Navigation District  
Florida Coastal Cleanup**

**September 20, 2014**

<b>Required Equipment/Materials</b>	<b>FIND</b>	<b>In Kind</b>
Office Supplies	100.00	
Advertising	375.00	700.00
T shirts	4150.00	
Grabbers	175.00	
Gloves	200.00	
Donations		3,000.00
Trash Bags		1,000.00
Water		1,000.00
<b>Total requested from FIND</b>	<b>5000.00</b>	
<b>Total In-Kind Funds</b>		<b>5,700.00</b>
<b>Total Cleanup Cost</b>		<b><u>10,700.00</u></b>