



# MONROE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

RICHARD A. RAMSAY, SHERIFF

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August 30, 2017

Mr. Roman Gastesi, County Administrator  
Historic Gato Building  
1100 Simonton Street  
Key West, Florida 33040

RE: Request for Expenditures from Law Enforcement Trust Fund

Dear Mr. Gastesi:

I would like to request that the Commission authorize the following expenditures from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund:

**\$ 1,000.00 Florida Keys Scenic Corridor Alliance:** to support the upcoming county wide event "Keys Cleanup Day" on September 16, 2017. The event aims to mobilize the entire Keys' community in order to clean simultaneously the entire 110 miles of our island chain and promote community involvement regarding the ongoing coastal and highway trash problem.

**TOTAL: \$ 1,000.00**

I hereby certify that these expenditures are lawful pursuant to the Florida Contraband Act. There will be no recurring expenses in the existing budget.

Please feel free to contact my General Counsel, Patrick McCullah, or me, should you have any questions or concerns regarding this request.

Sincerely,

Rick Ramsay  
Sheriff of Monroe County

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# FLORIDA KEYS Scenic Corridor Alliance

July 10, 2017

Sheriff Rick Ramsay  
Monroe County Sheriff's Office  
5525 College Road  
Key West, FL 33040

Dear Sheriff Ramsay,

It is part of the mission of the Florida Keys Scenic Corridor Alliance (FKSCA) to enhance the scenic image of the Florida Keys Scenic Corridor. This is why we greatly appreciate your continued efforts at cleaning up our All-American Road. Your contribution has helped make our task achievable with real results and by setting the example for others to follow.

As you know, the trash problem is an ongoing chore. It takes the entire community to keep our highway picked up. We hope to encourage more community participation in several ways. One is to support the Adopt-A-Highway Program by encouraging organizations to adopt sections of the highway which do not presently have a sponsor. The other is to support a Keys wide trash pickup on September 16, 2017.

This event will take place on the same day as International Coastal Cleanup Day and in this way the entire Keys, from highway to coast line, will be trash free at the end of the day. We will collaborate with your office, Adopt-A-Highway teams, volunteers, and the Coastal Cleanup campaign to have as many boots on the ground as is possible for a successful outcome.

We understand that your office may have funds available to help support our cause. Not only will we need assistance in advertising this event but we would like to give out All American Road promotional items to the volunteers who participate, i.e. safety vests and hats. These items will help promote the Scenic Highway and serve as a continual reminder to keep our highway clean.

We estimate about 500 participants and believe \$5,000.00 would be a reasonable request to see this event through. This will generate a lot of positive publicity towards our mutual interests throughout the Florida Keys. We hope you can help support our efforts to Clean Up the Florida Keys.

Thank you for your continued community service and support of the Florida Keys Scenic Corridor Alliance.

Sincerely,



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