

**TOWN OF EMERALD ISLE
Board of Commissioners**



AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET

Meeting Date: May 10, 2016

Agenda Item #: 6

ITEM TO BE CONSIDERED

Title: Presentation - Race Proceeds, Emerald Isle Marathon, Half-Marathon, and 5K Races

Brief Summary:

Candace Dooley, Race Director for the Emerald Isle Marathon, Half-Marathon, & 5K Races, and the Race Committee will formally present a check to the Town for \$26,000 (50% of the net proceeds) for future bicycle path and pedestrian improvements.

The races were held on Saturday, April 9 in Emerald Isle, with approximately 1,400 runners registered for the 3 races. A total of 171 runners finished the full marathon, 3 hand crankchairs finished the full marathon, 612 runners finished the half-marathon, and 439 runners finished the 5k race.

Total net proceeds were \$52,000. An additional \$26,000 (50% of the net proceeds) will be donated to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, and representatives from CFF will also attend the May 10 meeting.

The Race Committee also included Annita Best, Patrick Dooley, Emily Egerton, Bryson McLean, Dorla Pake, Amy Reardon, Noelle Ricks, Frank Rush, Suzanne Rush, Emily Sylvester, and Stephanie Whitehead.

Emerald Isle Police, Fire, EMS, Public Works, and Parks and Recreation staff assisted in the days leading up to the race and on race day, and the effort was also supported by several local sponsors and numerous race day volunteers.

Suggested Motion:

No formal action required. Candace Dooley will present a large check to the Town and to the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation.

BACKGROUND

Originating Department / Individual:

Candace Dooley, Race Director

Attachments:

- 1 Check for \$26,000 for Town
- 2 Check for \$26,000 for Cystic Fibrosis Foundation
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____
- 6 _____



ACTION TAKEN:

Motion By: _____

Carried: _____