



AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET

Meeting Date: April 11, 2017

Agenda Item #: 8

ITEM TO BE CONSIDERED

Title: Presentation of 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 \$25,000 (50% of the net proceeds) for future bicycle path and pedestrian improvements.

The races were held on Saturday, March 25 in Emerald Isle, with a total of 1,023 runners registered for the 3 races. A total of 101 runners finished the full marathon, 1 hand crankchair finished the half marathon, 335 runners finished the half-marathon, and 465 runners finished the 5k race.

Total net proceeds were \$50,000. An additional \$25,000 (50% of the net proceeds) will be donated to the Crystal Coast Autism Center, and representatives from the Autism Center will also attend the 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 Crystal Coast Autism Center.

BACKGROUND

Originating Department / Individual:

Candace Dooley, Race Director

Race Committee



Attachments:

1 Check for \$25,000 for Town

2 Check for \$25,000 to Crystal Coast Autism Center

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ACTION TAKEN:

Motion By: _____

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