

AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE

City Council
Meeting of: October 19, 2022

Agenda Item No.: **16**

DEPARTMENT: Community Development

CONSENT

DIRECTOR: Seth Floyd

SUBJECT:

For possible action to approve the ratification of the City of Las Vegas Historic Preservation Commission award of \$10,000 to the Neon Museum for the costs associated with the installation of educational panels in the Neon Boneyard located at 770 North Las Vegas Boulevard - Ward 5 (Crear)

FISCAL IMPACT:

Budget Funds Available

Amount: \$10,000

Funding Source: Historic Preservation Grant via Commission for the Las Vegas Centennial

Dept./Division: Department of Community Development

PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:

A funding request in the amount of \$10,000 was approved by the Historic Preservation Commission at the September 28, Commission Meeting for the costs associated with the installation of educational panels in the Neon Boneyard.

In 2019 the Museum installed the restored Hard Rock Café guitar sign and included an area at the base of the sign to recognize donors by name and provide historical information about the sign. The museum will be installing new panels that will provide more information on the history of other signs in the Boneyard, as well as maps of Fremont Street and the Strip. The panels will also provide interesting facts such as the scale of the historic signs in relation to contemporary buildings and locations in the city. These educational elements will further provide visitors with a "sense of place" in the city and connect them with Las Vegas history.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that City Council approve the Commission's funding allocation to the Neon Museum in the amount of \$10,000 for the costs associated with the installation of educational panels in the Neon Boneyard.

BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:

1. Historic Preservation Commission Grant Agreement - 22-0517-HPC1