

From: EARNEST BURKE

Sent: Thursday, November 18, 2010

To: Tom Muehlenbeck

Subject: 2011 Plano MLK Celebration "One Time Funding Support Request"

Good Afternoon Mr. Muehlenbeck,

I have received an estimate from Karen at Parks & Recreation for the proposed 2011 MLK Community Unity Walk route based on the same route requested in 2008. The pricing estimate is as follows:

"As far as costs for the barricades along the route from Parker Rd & K Avenue to City Hall she said *the estimated cost would be approximately \$2450* (with no Police assistance to block entrances). And if we did not use the Police we would have to have volunteers there to prevent people from moving or going around the barricades. This was based on the route information from 2008". *Quoted information is Per Linda James, 2011 Community Walk Logistics Committee, Chair, conversation with Karen, Plano Parks and Recreation Department 11/18/2010.*

We will use community volunteers to prevent people from moving or going around the barricades.

My previous email reflected a cost estimate of \$3800 for a Police supported route monitoring of the 2010 Community Unity Walk route. The new 2011 route with community volunteers as traffic monitors is more cost effective and efficient for all concerned. In my request to the Mayor and Council to be placed on the agenda to as for a one time funding support request, I will use the Conservative projected amount of \$3800 which allows some tolerance if a patrol unit or two are needed as back-up for emergency purposes.

Please contact me if you have any questions or items of discussion regarding the above information. Please confirm receipt of this information and notification regarding the request for placement on the Tuesday, December 7, 2010 Council Agenda.

Best Regards,

Earnest Burke

To: The Honorable Mayor & City Council of Plano
From: Earnest Burke, Vice Chair, 2011 Plano MLK Celebration
Subject: 2011 Plano MLK Celebration "One Time Funding Support Request"

The 2011 Plano MLK Steering Committee respectfully request "One Time Funding Support" for the 2011 Plano MLK Celebration. This request is for the following venues:

- Saturday, January 15, 2011, Plano Police Department Officer support for the Community Walk; \$3,800.
- Saturday, January 15, 2011, Municipal Center for the City Hall Program; \$845.
- Thursday, January 20, 2011, PISD Tribute to Dr. King, Plano Centre; \$4,905.
- **Grand total of One Time Request; \$9,550**

Due to recent scheduling changes we request that an event notice be placed in the December 2010 utility billing notice.

We appreciate your consideration to place this request on the Tuesday, December 7, 2010 City Council agenda.

Best Regards,

Earnest Burke,