



City of Rochester Hills
AGENDA SUMMARY
NON-FINANCIAL ITEMS

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Legislative File No: 2018-0237

TO: Mayor and City Council Members
FROM: Patrick McKay, Manager, Rochester Hills Museum at Van Hoosen Farm
Ken Elwert, Director, Parks & Natural Resources Department
DATE: June 4, 2018
SUBJECT: Support for Grant Application to **Michigan Council For Arts and Cultural Affairs** for Exhibit Fabrication at the Rochester Hills Museum at Van Hoosen Farm

REQUEST:

The Rochester Hills Museum at Van Hoosen Farm is seeking City Council support for submission of a \$30,000 grant application to Michigan Council For Arts and Cultural Affairs for Exhibit Fabrication at the Rochester Hills Museum at Van Hoosen Farm.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

For the past eight months, Flutter and Wow has met with Museum staff, conducted public meetings with stakeholders, surveyed Museum guests, and observed Museum visitors in gallery spaces and at events. They have completed Phase I design work and presented their exhibit design ideas to the Museum Foundation Board in February 2018.

Department staff is currently in process of seeking funding for Phase II - Exhibit Fabrication and Installation. One of the possible sources is a \$30,000 grant for this project through the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs.

RECOMMENDATION:

We are requesting that the Rochester Hills City Council approve submission of a grant application to Michigan Council For Arts and Cultural Affairs for Exhibit Fabrication at the Rochester Hills Museum at Van Hoosen Farm.

APPROVALS:	SIGNATURE	DATE
Department Review		
Department Director		
Mayor		
Deputy Clerk		