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COMMITTEE MEMORANDUM

TO: Members of the Finance and Citywide Projects Committee
FROM: Jimmy L. Morales, City Manager 
DATE: July 22, 2016
SUBJECT: **DISCUSSION REGARDING A COMPETITION SWIMMING POOL**

BACKGROUND

The Parks and Recreation Department presented this item at the April 15, 2016 Neighborhoods and Community Affairs Committee (NCAC) meeting and again at the May 20, 2016 Finance and Citywide Projects Committee (FWCP) meeting.

At the May 2016 FWCP meeting, Staff was directed to continue studying the numbers and research swimming pool options with master planners before bringing the item back to the Committee.

Since that meeting, Staff and the Department of Capital Improvement Projects have evaluated the figures and have found them to be in line with market values in correlation with the various sizes and scopes of the pool types presented. The City is in the midst of the FY 16-17 budget process, and has proposed a total 8.71 million dollars in the capital budget to construct an Olympic-size swimming pool. A specific account has not been identified to fund this project, as of the last budget briefing on July 6, 2016.

CONCLUSION

Administration recommends not engaging consultants at further expense until the City narrows the scope by identifying the size of the pool, and a site has been selected.

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