

## **Agenda Item Details**

| Meeting            | Mar 09, 2022 - City Commission Meeting  |
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| Category           | 9. CONSENT  |
| Subject            | 9.01 Sunset Review Commission Policy 239, TEFRA Host Approval James O. Cooke, IV, City<br>Treasurer-Clerk |
| Access             | Public  |
| Туре               | Action  |
| Fiscal Impact      | No  |
| Budgeted           | No  |
| Recommended Action | Option 1. Approve Commission Policy 239, TEFRA Host Approval  |

## **Public Content**

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## Statement of Issue

The Federal Tax Equity and Fiscal Responsibility Act of 1982 provided a mechanism for non-profit charitable corporations to issue tax-exempt debt if they received Host Approval within the jurisdiction of a local or state government. While requests are not frequent, the City has been approached on multiple occasions to provide Host Approval for a non-profit corporation to issue tax-exempt debt to provide either affordable housing or a senior assisted living project. This Policy is designed to standardize the process for providing Host Approval and, in the case of a parcel that would be removed from the tax rolls, providing for a Payment in Lieu of Taxes (PILOT) agreement.

## **Recommended** Action

Option 1. Approve Commission Policy 239, TEFRA Host Approval.

Fiscal Impact

N/A

# Supplemental Material/Issue Analysis

## History/Facts & Issues

City Commission Policy 1102, Tax-Exempt Housing Bond Policy, was deleted due to a number of deficiencies that made it more prudent to replace completely. City Commission Policy 239 was subsequently approved on July 29, 2017 as a replacement. The 2017 policy provides for a sunset review every five years; therefore, it is being presented for review in 2022. There are no changes recommended.

## **Options**

Option 1. Approve City Commission Policy 239, TEFRA Host Approval. Option 2. Provide staff with additional guidance.

## Attachments/References

Commission Policy 239 TEFRA Host Approval

CP 239.pdf (81 KB)