



Business expansion, retention and attraction

MEMORANDUM

To: STP Tourism Board
From: Martha Armstrong <marthaa@tcad.org>
Date: November 15, 2017
Re: Tourism Capital Grant multi-year grant payments

The Tourism Capital Grants program has one contract scheduled for payment in Fall 2017. TCAD has met with the Sciencenter to review their project's progress. All matching funds have been raised. Renovus Solar completed installation of solar array on the Sciencenter roof. The solar electric generation read-out exhibit will be installed soon. The electric car charging station is operating. Designs for the other exhibit elements are underway (e.g. hydro-electric, wind, water conservation, local agriculture including a garden). Exhibits are scheduled to be complete by September 2018.

I recommend releasing the 2017 distribution to the Sciencenter.

Award Summary of 2017 Multi-Year Contract recommendation

Applicant	Award Year	Project Value	AWARD	Distribution Years	2017 recommend
Sciencenter: Sustainability Gallery & Garden	2016	144,347	48,115	2016-2017	24,115