



City of Margate Police Department

ACCREDITED LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY



MEMORANDUM

TO: Michael Palma, Captain
FROM: Joseph Galaska, Lieutenant 
DATE: September 10, 2018

SUBJECT: Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act - Donation

In accordance with the Florida Contraband Act, the Margate Police Department is required to expend or donate no less than twenty five percent of the fiscal year's total collection of state forfeiture funds. To meet this requirement, approximately \$28,800.00 must be donated to charitable organizations within the guidelines of Florida State Statute 932.7055.

We are requesting \$4,800.00 be donated to A Child is Missing, which is a non-profit organization and is a permissible entity to receive the donated funds. This organization directly assists the Margate Police Department with the early search and recovery of children, the elderly, people with disabilities, and college students through their automated telephone system. They also provide education through trainers that visit summer camps and educate children about communication, bullying, and safety.

Attached is the W-9 form and back up information regarding A Child is Missing.

A.C. J. Galaska -  TOT Acting Chief J. Shaw

I concur with this donation and certify that this request complies with the requirements of Florida State Statute 932.7055 (5). I request that the City Commission appropriate these funds for its intended purpose to A Child is Missing.

Acting Chief Jonathan Shaw 