# PALM BEACH COUNTY <br> BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY 

| Meeting Date: | May 6, 2008 | [X] Consent [ ] Ordinance | [ ] Regular <br> [ ] Public Hearing |
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| Department: | Facilities Development \& Operations |  |  |

## I. EXECUTIVE BRIEF

Motion and Title: Staff recommends motion to approve: a Declaration of Cross Access Easement for the Royal Palm Beach Library and Mid-Western Community Center.

Summary: Palm Beach County is currently planning to expand the Royal Palm Beach Library, located near the southwest corner of Okeechobee Boulevard and Royal Palm Beach Boulevard in Royal Palm Beach. The existing 7,955 square foot library will be expanded by 12,530 square feet to handle the heavy volume of residents who use this facility. The Village imposed a condition of site plan approval requiring the County to establish a Cross Access Easement between the Library and the County's adjacent Mid-Western Community Center. The Cross Access Easement provides for access between the Community Center and Library at three separate points for smooth ingress/egress. The Declaration of Cross Access Easement will be recorded to provide public notice of the existence of three cross access points between the two Countyowned properties. (PREM) District 6 (HJF)

Background and Justification: Palm Beach County staff has been working with the Village of Royal Palm Beach for quite some time to expand the heavily used County Library located at 500 Civic Center Way in Royal Palm Beach. The expansion will add 12,530 square feet to the existing structure and provide 112 total parking spaces to meet code. The Library expansion has been site planned to abut the adjacent Countyowned Mid-Western Community Center to facilitate shared parking. Given the close proximity of these two County owned facilities it is assumed that customers of either the Community Center or Library will seek the closest available parking spaces for their particular destination. Should the County ever sell either property, any new owner will be on notice that traffic is allowed to flow across the respective property lines.

## Attachments:

1. Location Map
2. Declaration of Cross Access Easement


## II. FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

A. Five Year Summary of Fiscal Impact:

| Fiscal Years | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 |
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| Capital Expenditures <br> Operating Costs (rent) <br> External Revenues <br> Program Income (County) <br> In-Kind Match (County) | - | - | - | - | - |

Is Item Included in Current Budget: Yes $\qquad$ No $\qquad$ Unit__ Object $\qquad$ Budget Account No: Fund___Dept $\qquad$
$\qquad$
Program $\qquad$
B. Recommended Sources of Funds/Summary of Fiscal Impact:

No Fiscal Impact.
C. Departmental Fiscal Review: $\qquad$

## III. REVIEW COMMENTS

A. OFMB Fiscal and/or Contract Development Comments:

C. Other Department Review:

> Department Director

This summary is not to be used as a basis for payment.


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## DECLARATION OF CROSS ACCESS EASEMENT

THIS IS A DECLARATION OF CROSS ACCESS EASEMENT, made $\qquad$ , by PALM BEACH COUNTY, a political subdivision of the State of Florida ("County"), whose address is 301 North Olive Avenue, West Palm Beach, Florida, 334014791.

WHEREAS, County is the owner of that certain real property located within Palm Beach County, Florida, as set forth on Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof (the "Library Property"); and

WHEREAS, County is the owner of that certain real property located within Palm Beach County, Florida, as set forth on Exhibit "B" attached hereto and made a part hereof (the "MidWest Property"); and

WHEREAS, County desires to create a cross access easement over, upon, and across a portion of the Library Property and a portion of the MidWest Property as set forth hereinafter; and

WHEREAS, County desires that such cross access easement not be extinguished by the doctrines of merger or unity of title and remain valid and in effect upon a subsequent conveyance of either the Library Property or the MidWest Property by County.

## WITNESSETH:

NOW THEREFORE, County does hereby declare, grant and create a perpetual nonexclusive cross access easement over the portion of the Library Property and the portion of the MidWest Property depicted as the cross access easement area on the site plan attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit "C" (the "Easement Premises"). This cross access easement shall be for the benefit of the fee simple owner(s) of the Library Property and the MidWest Property and shall be for the purpose of access, ingress and egress, including but not limited to vehicular and pedestrian traffic, over, upon, and across the Easement Premises. The use of the Easement Premises pursuant to this Cross Access Easement shall not unreasonably interfere with any fee simple owner's use of either the Library Property or the

MidWest Property. Maintenance of the Easement Premises shall be the responsibility of the owner of the underlying fee of each portion of the Easement Premises.

The cross access easement created hereby shall not be extinguished by operation of law, including, without limitation, the doctrines of merger or unity of title and shall inure to the benefit of the fee simple owner of the Library Property and the MidWest Property and shall run with the land and encumber and burden the Library Property and the MidWest Property upon the conveyance of either property by County notwithstanding County's failure to specifically reserve or reference such easement in the instrument of conveyance.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF; the County has caused this Declaration of Cross Access Easement to be executed as of the day and year first above written.

## ATTEST:

## SHARON R. BOCK CLERK \& COMPTROLLER

By:
Deputy Clerk

## APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

By:
Assistant County Attorney

## COUNTY:

PALM BEACH COUNTY, a political subdivision of the State of Florida

By:
Addie L. Greene, Chairperson

## APPROVED AS TO TERMS AND CONDITIONS

By: $\underset{\text { Department Director }}{\text { Ruin WoE }}$

## EXHIBIT "A"

THE LIBRARY PROPERTY

## PARCEL $1:$

LOT 1, TRACT ONE-FIFTEEN, ACCORDING TO THE REPLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 71, PAGE 14, PUBLIC RECORDS OF PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA.

TOGETHER WITH,
PARCEL 2:
A PARCEL OF LAND BEING A PORTION OF LOT 3 OF THE PLAT DF TRACT DNE-FIFTEEM REFLAT OF LOTS 1 AND 5 AS RECOROED IN PLAT BOOK 71 . PAGE 14 GF THE PUBLIC FECORDS OF PALM BEACH COUNTY. FLORIDA. LYING IN SECTION 26. TOWNSHIP 43 SOUTH: RANGE 41 EAST. PALM BEACH COUNTY. FLORIDA. BEING MORE PAETICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:
beginning at the p.r.m. marking the southwest corner of sald plat of tract DNE - FIF TEEN ALSO BEING THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID LOT 3: THENCE NORTH O2 ${ }^{\circ} 01^{\prime \prime} 27^{\prime \prime}$ EAST ALONG THE WEST LINE OF SAID PLAT AND SAID LOT 3. A DISTANCE OF 444.34 FEET TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SAD LOT 3: THENCE NORTH $89^{\circ} 18^{\circ} 05^{\prime \prime}$ EAST (THE NEXT THREE COURSES ARE COINCIDENT WITH THE NORTH LINE OF SAID LDT 3 OF THE ABOVE REFERENCED PLATY ALONG SAID NORTH LINE A DISTANCE OF 274.59 FEET; THENCE NORTH $00^{\circ} 41^{\prime} 55^{\prime \prime}$ WEST. A DISTANCE OF 7.79 FEET: THENCE NORTH $89^{\circ} 10^{\prime} 05^{\prime \prime}$ EAST. A DISTANCE OF 50.00 FEET: THENCE SOUTH $00^{\circ} 41^{\prime} 55^{\prime \prime}$ EAST DEPARTING SAID NORTH LINE. A DISTANCE OF GO. 00 FEET: THENCE SOUTH 89 $9^{\circ} 19^{\circ} 05^{\prime \prime}$ WEST. A DISTANCE OF 227.70 FEET: THENCE SOUTH O0. $41^{\prime \prime} 55^{" E}$ EAST. A DISTANCE OF 397.26 FEET TO THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID PLAT AND SALD LOT 3: THENCE NORTH $87^{\circ} 57^{\prime} 42^{\prime \prime}$ WEST ALONG SAIO SOUTH LINE. A DISTANCE OF 118.14 FEET TO SAIO SOUTHWEST CORNER AND the point of beginning.

THE PROPERTY (Parcels 1 and 2) CONTAINS 3.53 ACRES OR 153,958 SQUARE FEET MORE OR LESS.

BEARINGS ARE BASED ON AN ASSUMED BEARING OF NORTH $87^{\circ} 57^{\prime} 42^{\prime \prime}$ WEST ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF LOT 3 AS SHOWN ON THE PLAT OF TRACT ONEFIFTEEN REPLAT OF LOTS 1 AND 5 AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 71, PAGE 15 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF PALM BEACH COUNTY AND ALL OTHER BEARINGS ARE RELATIVE THERETO.


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## EXHIBIT "B"

## THE MIDWEST PROPERTY

A PARCEL OF LAND BEING A PORTION OF LOT 3 OF THE PLAT OF TRACT ONE-FIFTEEN-REPLAT OF LOTS 1 AND 5 AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 71 AT PAGE 14 AND 1.5, PALM BEACH COUNTY PUBLIC RECORDS; SAID PLAT ALSO BEING A REPLAT OF LOTS 1 AND 5, TRACT ONE-FIFTEEN AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 68 AT PAGES 43 AND 44, PALM BEACH COUNTY PUBLIC RECORDS, ALL LYING IN SECTION 26, TOWNSHIP 43 SOUTH, RANGE 41 EAST, PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

COMMENCE AT THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF SAID PLAT OF TRACT ONE-FIFTEENREPLAT OF LOTS 1 AND 5 SAID SOUTHWEST CORNER BEING ALSO THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF AFORESAID LOT 3; THENCE S $87^{\circ} 57^{\prime \prime} 42^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$, ALONG THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID REPLAT AND LOT 3 A DISTANCE OF 118.14 FEET; THENCE N $00^{\circ} 41^{\prime}$ 55" $W$, TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING 10.01 FEET; THENCE ALONG A LINE 10.0 FEET NORTH OF AND PARALLEL WITH THE SOUTH LINE OF SAID LOT 3 TO A POINT OF INTERSECTION WITH THE SOUTHERLY EXTENSION OF THE EAST LINE OF LOT $2 A$ OF SAID REPLAT A DISTANCE OF 365.46 FEET ; THENCE N $0^{\circ} 41^{\prime} 5^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$, ALONG SAID SOUTHERLY EXTENSION A DISTANCE OF 439.71 FEET; THENCE N 45* 41'55" W, TO THE SOUTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF CIVIC CENTER WAY AS RECORDED IN THE PARENT PLAT OF TRACT ONE-FIFTEEN (PLAT BOOK 68, PAGES 43 AND 44) A DISTANCE OF 35.36 FEET; THENCE $S 89^{\circ} 18^{\prime} 05^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$, ALONG SAID SOUTH RIGHT OF WAY LINE A DISTANCE OF 112.34 FEET ; THENCE S $0^{\circ} 41^{\prime} 5^{\prime \prime}$ E, A DISTANCE OF 60.0 FEET; THENCE S 89 ${ }^{\circ} 18^{\prime} 05^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{W}$, A DISTANCE OF 227.70 FEET; THENCE $S 0^{\circ} 4 I^{\prime} 5^{\prime \prime} \mathrm{E}$, ALONG A LINE 365.04 FEET WEST OF AND PARALLEL WITH THE AFOREMENTIONED SOUTHERLY EXTENSION OF THE EAST LINE OF SAID LOT 2A, TO THE SOUTH LINE OF LOT 3 AND THE POINT OF BEGINNING A DISTANCE OF 387.25 FEET.
PARCEL CONTAINS 3.5004 ACRES

## EXHIBIT "C"

THE EASEMENT PREMISES


## Exhibit "C"

