



COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY BOARD MEETING OF: November 10, 2025

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND AWARDS

AGENDA ITEM 9.A

SUBJECT:

2025 International Economic Development Excellence Award for the Boynton Beach Night Market

SUMMARY:

The Boynton Beach Community Redevelopment Agency (BBCRA) is proud to announce that it has been awarded a 2025 Bronze Excellence Award in the Special Events category for the Boynton Beach Night Market by the International Economic Development Council (IEDC). BBCRA staff was acknowledged and honored at the IEDC 2025 Annual Conference in Detroit, Michigan (see Attachment I).

Every year IEDC looks specifically for economic development organizations, government entities, initiatives, and programs that have demonstrated consistent, exemplary performance in the economic development profession, leading the execution of projects that have a significant impact on revitalizing communities, and playing a major role in shaping and improving the practice of economic development. This year, 450 entries were submitted across 26 unique program categories, with 191 organizations receiving distinguished awards.

Based on feedback from the judges, the BBCRA was selected for this prestigious honor because of its innovative and unique approach to supporting businesses and engaging the community. Additionally, the presentation for the award entry included the recap video for the 2024 Night Market, which really helped the judges visualize the impact of the promotional activation (see Attachment II).

"The Boynton Beach CRA is leading the field of excellence in economic development with its Boynton Beach Night Market project. This award shines a spotlight on the Boynton Beach CRA's commitment to its community and showcases the significant impact of economic development," said Nathan Ohle, IEDC President and CEO. "IEDC is honored to present this award to the Boynton Beach CRA to celebrate both their leadership and innovation in the field."

FISCAL IMPACT:

Fiscal Year 2024-2025 Budget, General Fund Line Item 01-51010-216, \$170

CRA PLAN/PROJECT/PROGRAM:

2016 Boynton Beach CRA Community Redevelopment Plan

CRA BOARD OPTIONS:

No action is required at this time unless otherwise determined by the CRA Board.

ATTACHMENTS:**Description**

- [Attachment I - Photo from IEDC Awards Ceremony](#)
- [Attachment II - IEDC Award Presentation](#)