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CITY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: November 12, 2025

SUBMITTED BY: Kelly Thomas, Event Review Committee

ITEM TYPE: Special Event

AGENDA SECTION: CONSENT AGENDA

SUBJECT: Paws in Motion Walk-a-thon and Festival

SUGGESTED ACTION: Event Review Committee recommends approval with the following stipulations: 1 Bradenton Police Department Extra Duty Officer onsite, 1 Public Works Solid Waste staff member onsite, 1 Public Works Parks staff member on site, and compliance of all COB Special Event Standards.

Is this item Quasi-Judicial?

No

Does this item require a public hearing?

No

EXPLANATION:

Humane Society of Manatee County would like to host their annual fundraiser, Paws in Motion, on March 14, 2026, at Riverwalk. There will be a 1-mile walk with canines with activities after the walk at the Pavilion area. There will be food trucks and beverages for the attendees to enjoy. The event has an expectation of 200 participants.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

N/A

ATTORNEY REVIEW/RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

SUGGESTED MOTION:

Motion to approve the Paws in Motion Walk-a-thon and Festival event with the stipulations recommended by staff.

ATTACHMENTS:

Paws in Motion Walk-a-thon and Festival Application and Site Plan