August 11, 2014

Board of Supervisors Sponsorship Policy for National Championship Events

Background Information

8-13-07 County Administrator reported under his CA reports that members of the BoS received a request from the Blacksburg Dixie League – Boys 9-10 years old team for funds to help offset the cost of participation in the National Championship.

The County did not provide previously donations to local sports teams. The County Administrator recommended a policy such as the team must be comprised of at least 90% of members from Montgomery County, teams must win a state tournament, and the BoS would provide $100 sponsorship to individuals and $500 to teams.

8-27-07 The BoS meeting on August 27, 2007 the Board adopts a sponsorship policy for national championship events. **A copy of the resolution is attached.**

8-8-11 Under BoS reports, Supervisor John Muffo moved to appropriate $1,000 to the Blacksburg Dixie League All-Stars to help them cover travel expenses to the Dixie League World Championship in North Carolina.

7-23-12 Staff recommended the Board appropriate $1,000 for Montgomery County Dixie Angels Youth Softball Team (Girls ages 9-10) traveling to the Dixie Angels X-Play World Series held in Troy, Alabama. The Board increased the amount to $1,500.

7-28-14 Board appropriated $1,500 for contribution to Montgomery County Dixie Ponytails Youth Softball Team traveling to the Dixie Ponytails X-Play World Series held in Ponchatoula, Louisiana.

AT AN ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY, VIRGINIA HELD ON THE 27th DAY OF AUGUST, 2007 AT 6:30 P.M. IN THE BOARD CHAMBERS, MONTGOMERY COUNTY GOVERNMENT CENTER, 755 ROANOKE STREET, CHRISTIANSBURG, VIRGINIA:

R-FY-08-26
RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING
A SPONSORSHIP POLICY
NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP EVENTS

On a motion by Mary W. Biggs, seconded by Annette S. Perkins and carried,

BE IT RESOLVED, The Board of Supervisors of Montgomery County, Virginia hereby **approves and establishes a policy** to address requests from individuals who seek corporate sponsorship to participate in national championship events, as follows:

1. The Board of Supervisors will budget funds to assist teams comprised of at least 90% of members from the Montgomery County community.

2. Teams must be affiliated with leagues which are located in the Montgomery County community.

3. Teams or individuals who reside in the Montgomery County community to be eligible for this sponsorship must win a state tournament qualifier whereby by winning the team/individual receives automatic bid to a national championship tournament. Typical programs which conduct national championship tournaments are Dixie, Pony, Little League, AAU, USSA, and ASA as an example of national recreational leagues which provide for national qualifier tournaments.

4. The Board of Supervisors will provide $100 sponsorship for individuals, payable through their recreational leagues, and $500 to teams to help defray the expense of participating in a national championship and representing the community at the national level.

The vote on the foregoing resolution was as follows:

AYE	NAY
Annette S. Perkins	James D. Politis
John A. Muffo	Gary D. Creed
Mary W. Biggs	Doug Marrs
Steve L. Spradlin	

ATTEST: B. Clayton Goodman, III

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County Administrator