

August 20, 2009

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Florida Department of Environmental Protection
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Re: Virginia Key Beach Park Trail
Recreational Trails Program Application #T29030

Dear Ms. Weiss,

I received your correspondence dated August 14, 2009 notifying me that the Virginia Key Beach Park Trust Recreational Trails Project was not funded during the 2009 Trails Program Submission Cycle.

Although your notice was disappointing the Trust is encouraged and will apply again in the future. Please share any advice you have that would make the Virginia Key Beach Park Trust Recreational Trails Project a stronger application during the 2010 Submission Cycle.

The Trust is committed to providing a unique cultural and recreational experience to its visitors and will continue to work hard to secure the funding and resources needed to fulfill this goal.

I look forward to hearing from you. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Guy Forchion
Director of Operations

cc: Ingrid Stuart, Virginia Key Beach Park Trust
Donna Shelley, City of Miami