



Be The Spark

We, as a society, have become more aware of the impending Ecological disaster that we are facing. Last year Micro Plastics were found in the uterus of a human. We are at the tipping point, the time to make a change is NOW. But what can we as individuals do? That's where Better Days comes in. There's a phrase I often use "Be The Spark" Be the spark of inspiration. We at Better Days strive to BE THE SPARK every day by helping to inform and show how everyone can make a difference.

Imagine going to the beach on a beautiful Saturday morning. Instead of sitting in the sand, you decided to bring an empty shopping bag with you, so that you can walk down the beach and pick up some trash as you go. Right about now you're thinking, Ok, very nice, but in the grand scheme of things, it's a preverbal grain of sand (Pun Intended). However, when you, your neighbors, and your friends all come out as a community to enjoy a day at the beach together, and everyone walks down the beach picking up some garbage, something AMAZING HAPPENS!! The entire coastline is cleaned in a few hours. We know because we accomplished this again with our 2nd Annual Great Beach Cleanup and Holiday Toy Drive December 11th 2021 when we came together as a community and cleaned over 63 miles of beach in just a few hours, AND that was just the start. We at Better Days will help lead the charge by showing the way, by creating Zero Carbon foot print events, integrating the latest in green Eco-Friendly technologies. Teach others how we can all do the little things like taking a walk down the beach and saying NO to using plastic products when there is an alternative. This year we will continue to create events that can Literally HEAL... Heal the planet, Heal our community and Heal ourselves. We remember that the last 2 years have been tough, but we can emerge smarter, stronger and more dedicated to seeing that there are Better Days ahead.

With this in mind we have created an Eco-Friendly event where the goal is to Be The Spark, while leading the way as we push to create a Zero Carbon Footprint event and clean even more coastline in a single day; 110 miles to be exact.

We are BACK!! and we invite you to join us as we continue show how a single person can make a difference and a community can come together to do the impossible.

Please Join us as we make AMAZING Happen AGAIN!

Thank You

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**"The best way to predict the future is to create
it"**

Alan Kay

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To Whom it may concern,

My name is Garret Nathan, I'm the Founder of The Better Days Foundation. This past December we did our 2nd Annual Great Beach Cleanup and Holiday Toy Drive cleaning over 63 Miles of beach in a single afternoon while raising a Bunch of Toys for Sick Kids in our Local Hospitals. This April we have partnered up with Earth Day to bring the Official Earth Day Events to South Florida. This will include continuing our mission to rid Florida's coastline of plastics and other harmful debris by attempting to not only clean 110 miles of Florida's beaches but we will attempt for the first time to also clean the 110 miles of our intercostal waterway. We would also like to have our Environmental Augmented Reality Mural Project started for this series of events. Please see the following pages for details and examples of the Murals. We would like to put the murals down throughout East Fort Lauderdale, focusing on the Beach Area and other high traffic areas where these murals can make an impact .

We will be doing another series of events in July and would like to re-do the already done murals and expand the amount of cities involved. This is something we would like to continue for years to come and can re-do the murals every 4 months. Our end goal is to create a 3 county wide Augmented Reality walkable Art Gallery.

We already have the support of the Cities, State Representatives, Local Officials and the Broward delegation all approving and supporting this project.

We are asking to be allowed to create these Murals without the Fees associated with these types of projects. We are a non-profit and this project is designed to help the environment and our community. This will not only help to educate and inspire change, these murals will help to beautify our community and increase tourism.

Please feel free to call me with any questions,

Thank you for your time

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The Better Days Foundation is a 501c3 Eco Based Charity foundation with 2 fundamental goals;

First is to Inspire, empower, and to educate. Our motto “Be The Spark” is what we live our lives by. To inspire individuals to believe in the notion that everyone can create change and make a difference, even the smallest actions can have a major impact. To educate about the dangers of littering and plastic debris on our beaches and in our oceans and the simple steps that can be done to correct the problem and stop it from continuing.

Second, we will continue to lead the way by organizing beach cleanups as a way to bring communities together, educate people on the dangers of plastic and how a simple act like taking a walk on the beach picking up some garbage can create change and when an entire community comes together in a single afternoon AMAZING HAPPENS....WE ALL BECOME THE SPARK as 100+ miles of Florida's Beaches are cleaned in a few hours.

We DON'T have a SOCIETY if We DESTROY the ENVIRONMENT”

Margaret Mead

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Our Goal is to create change. One way we will accomplish this is with cutting edge technology. We will bring more awareness to the ocean and how pollution directly affects us by creating a first of its kind murals project with an Augmented Reality twist. We will create a walkable Art Gallery throughout our community using sewer drains and the surrounding sidewalk as our canvas. Some of these select drains will begin to have our Augmented Reality Twist. These murals will be easily located on our App, which will show you a walkable map of your surrounding location with the mural locations marked to make them easier to find. This Twist will allow you to scan the murals with our App and watch the mural come to life with Augmented Reality animations. This "Twist" will begin on a few select murals to start, but throughout the year we will continue to expand the amount of Augmented Reality murals. This is an incredible addition to our events for this year and as far as we can tell something that has NEVER been done before. Please see next page for examples of the murals.

Since these murals will take some time to paint and to do the Augmented Reality Magic, there will be a mural painting weekend, on the weekend before launching our new murals. We have suggested that each city hold events highlighting the murals being painted. These events are not being planned by us and it is up to the individual city to host its own events.

"Out of adversity comes opportunity."
Ben Franklin

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Examples of Painted Drains





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To Whom It May Concern:

Please accept this letter of support on behalf of The Better Days Foundation Mural Project. Garret Nathan made a compelling presentation to the Broward Legislative Delegation last year regarding the Great Beach Clean-Up and Mural Project. This project provides for murals highlighting the dangers of pollution to be painted on the sidewalks around town. As Chair of the Delegation I support this project and its goals.

The Better Days Foundation seeks to mitigate the pollutants in our environment and illuminate the current damage. They work very hard to work with our residents to improve our lives and raise awareness of this urgent issue through a beach clean-up, holiday toy drive, and a mural project. They work with many schools, classrooms, and adults to make a positive impact on our community. They would like to continue this good work and, as such, need your support and endorsement to move forward.

Thank you for allowing me to provide this letter of support for The Better Days Foundation Mural Project. Please feel free to contact me at (954) 682-0999 if you have any additional questions.

Kindest Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Michael Gottlieb".

State Representative, District 98

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- Civil Justice & Property Rights Subcommittee ● Justice Appropriations Subcommittee- Ranking Member
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