RESOLUTION NO. 23-148

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, MADE PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 18 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, ASSESSING AGAINST THE PROPERTIES DESCRIBED IN THE SCHEDULE ATTACHED HERETO THE COST AND EXPENSE OF LOT CLEARING AND IMPOSING A SPECIAL ASSESSMENT LIEN AGAINST EACH PROPERTY FOR THE ASSESSED AMOUNT, AND DIRECTING THE PROPER CITY OFFICIALS TO RECORD A NOTICE OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT LIEN IN THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA.

WHEREAS, the lots or parcels described on the report of lot clearing/cleaning charges attached hereto were found to be in violation of Section 18-14 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida ("Code Section"), and a nuisance for excessive overgrowth, rubbish, trash and debris; and

WHEREAS, the property owners owning the lots or parcels described in the attached report of lot clearing/cleaning charges were provided with Notice of Violations of Code Section 18-12 and failed to voluntarily comply the violation within the time prescribed by Code Section 18-13; and

WHEREAS, as a result of failure of the property owners to maintain their lots or parcels in accordance with Code Section 18-12, the City of Fort Lauderdale abated the violation in accordance with Code Section 18-14; and

WHEREAS, a statement of the cost and expense incurred in abating the public nuisance was served upon the property owners, but the property owners failed to reimburse the City for such costs and expenses; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Code Section 18-16, the property owners have been given the opportunity to contest the charges, but did not;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA:

<u>SECTION 1</u>. That the costs and expenses incurred by the City of Fort Lauderdale in abating the public nuisances of the properties, described in the attached report of lot clearing/cleaning charges under the process and procedures set forth in Code Sections 18-12, 18-13, 18-14 and 18-15 are hereby assessed against such properties, and a special assessment lien is hereby imposed against such properties.

<u>SECTION 2</u>. That the proper City officials are hereby authorized and directed to record a notice or claim of special assessment lien in the Public Records of Broward County, Florida as against the properties described in the attached report.

ADOPTED this 22nd day of August, 2023.

Mayor

DEAN J. TRANTALIS

ATTEST:

City Clerk

DAVID R. SOLOMAN

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND

CORRECTNESS:

Steven Glassman

Pamela Beasley-Pittman

Dean J. Trantalis

John C. Herbst

Warren Sturman

Yea

Yea

Yea

Yea

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