

RESOLUTION NO. 26-

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A PROJECT AGREEMENT WITH THE FLORIDA INLAND NAVIGATION DISTRICT – WATERWAY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR GRANT FUNDING OF UP TO \$1,032,636.00 OR 50% OF ELIGIBLE PROJECT COSTS, WHICHEVER IS LESS, TO DESIGN AND PERMIT BOAT RAMP RENOVATIONS AT THE LAUDERDALE LANDING.

WHEREAS, the Florida Inland Navigation District (“FIND”) can provide financial assistance for local governments within the district to provide public access to the District’s waterways; and

WHEREAS, the application for the Riverwalk North Seawall Replacement project was approved by FIND to receive \$1,032,636.00 to replace approximately 510 linear feet of seawall on the New River Downtown Historic District, between Andrews Avenue and the Florida East Coast Railway. This project will add a new floating dock and a fixed dock with amenities like steel ramps for access. The project will also include paver-brick walkways at a new elevation to meet the new seawall height and the addition of hand railings and landscaping.

WHEREAS, accepting the FIND grant requires a local match of 50%, costing \$1,032,636.00. The total estimated cost for this portion of the construction phase is \$2,065,272.00 with the remaining costs funded by the Community Investment Plan (CIP). All work must be completed by September 30, 2027; and

WHEREAS, it is recommended the City Commission approve a resolution authorizing the City Manager to accept a reimbursable grant agreement for up to \$1,032,636.00 or 50% of eligible project costs, whichever is less, with FIND to design and permit ramp renovations at the Lauderdale Isles Landing boat launch ramp.

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

SECTION 1. That the City Manager is hereby delegated the authority to execute on behalf of the City of Fort Lauderdale the grant agreement to replace approximately 510 linear feet of seawall on the New River Downtown Historic District. in an amount not to exceed \$1,032,360.00, or 50% of eligible project costs, whichever is less.

SECTION 2. That the City Manager is further delegated the authority to execute on behalf of

the City any other documents or instruments necessary or incidental to the implementation, administration and completion of the renovation of the Riverwalk North Seawall Replacement.

SECTION 3. That the office of the City Attorney shall review and approve as to form all documents prior to their execution by City officials.

SECTION 4. That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon and after its passage.

ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2026.

Mayor
DEAN J. TRANTALIS

ATTEST:

City Clerk
DAVID R. SOLOMAN

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND CORRECTNESS:

City Attorney
SHARI L. McCARTNEY

Dean J. Trantalis _____

John C. Herbst _____

Steven Glassman _____

Pamela Beasley-Pittman _____

Ben Sorensen _____