

RESOLUTION NO. 24-

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SUBMIT A GRANT APPLICATION, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, TO THE BROWARD METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION'S COMPLETE STREETS AND OTHER LOCAL INITIATIVES PROGRAM, FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SOUTH MIDDLE RIVER MOBILITY COMPLETE STREETS PROJECT, AND FOR FUNDING OF UP TO FOUR MILLION DOLLARS PER PROJECT; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE GRANT APPLICATION AND ANY AND ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY OR INCIDENTAL TO THE GRANT APPLICATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is providing funds to local governments through the Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization (BMPO); and

WHEREAS, the BMPO is providing grant funding to local governments for complete streets, traffic calming, intersection improvements, and other related projects, through its Complete Streets and Other Localized Initiatives Program (CSLIP); and

WHEREAS, CSLIP is a competitive grant program, which funds local transportation projects with construction costs between \$1,000,000 and \$4,000,000; and

WHEREAS, applications will be objectively evaluated, and the top-ranked projects will receive funding based on the availability of funds; and

WHEREAS, awarded projects will be reviewed by the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), which regulates the manner federal funds are spent on local roadways by municipalities; and

WHEREAS, following its evaluation, the BMPO will recommend the top-ranked projects for grant funding through the FDOT Work Program, based on available funds for the CSLIP; and

WHEREAS, if awarded, and accepted, the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida (City), will be required to manage the design and construction of the project using the federally mandated Local Agency Program (LAP) process; and

WHEREAS, the LAP is a reimbursement-based grant program; and

WHEREAS, the LAP requires that the City provide funding for any contingency costs that may arise during construction in the year of construction; and

WHEREAS, the South Middle River Mobility project has been identified by the affected neighborhood association as a priority project and the association has provided support of this project; and

WHEREAS, if the grant is awarded and accepted, the City will maintain or coordinate the maintenance of the city roadways after the project's completion;

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

SECTION 1. That the above recitals are true and correct and incorporated into this Resolution by this reference.

SECTION 2. That the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, does hereby authorize the City Manager to submit a grant application, on behalf of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, to the Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization's Complete Streets and Other Local Initiatives Program for implementation of the South Middle River Mobility Complete Streets Project, and for funding of up to four million dollars (\$4,000,000) per project.

SECTION 3. That the City Manager of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, is hereby authorized to execute the grant application and any and all documents necessary or incidental to the grant application.

SECTION 4. That the office of the City Attorney shall review and approve as to form all documents prior to their execution by the City Manager.

SECTION 5. That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon final adoption.

ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2024.

Mayor
DEAN J. TRANTALIS

ATTEST:

City Clerk
DAVID R. SOLOMAN

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND CORRECTNESS:

City Attorney
THOMAS J. ANSBRO

Dean J. Trantalis _____

John C. Herbst _____

Steven Glassman _____

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