



**CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE  
City Commission Agenda Memo  
REGULAR MEETING**

**#19-0185**

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**TO:** Honorable Mayor & Members of the  
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

**FROM:** Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

**DATE:** March 5, 2019

**TITLE:** Resolution Authorizing the Acceptance of Grant Funds and Execution of a  
Grant Agreement with the Florida Department of Environmental Protection  
for Resilient Coastline Funding Grant in the amount of \$45,300

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**Recommendation**

It is recommended that the City Commission approve a resolution authorizing the City Manager to accept a grant from the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (“FDEP”) and execute any documents required to accept funds between the FDEP and the City of Fort Lauderdale.

**Background**

The FDEP administers the Adaptation Action Initiative which is intended to aid local governments with taking action related to adaptation to current and future risks related to sea level rise, coastal flooding, erosion, and ecosystem changes.

The City has been awarded a grant in the amount of \$45,300 from the FDEP for the Advancing Fort Lauderdale's Resilience program and matching funds are not required.

Funds will be used to complement current efforts to update the City's Comprehensive Plan by identifying and promoting long-term opportunities for resilient approaches to stormwater management and flood hazard mitigation.

**Resource Impact**

This action will result in a positive impact to the City in the amount of \$45,300, which will be appropriated to the accounts below contingent upon the approval of the Consolidated Budget Amendment CAM #19-0024.

**Source:**

<b>Funds available as of January 23, 2019</b>					
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AVAILABLE BALANCE (Character)	AMOUNT
129-GResili19- C325	Advancing Fort Lauderdale's Resilience	US Dept of Commerce Pass Thru FL DEP	\$0	\$0	\$45,300
				<b>APPROPRIATION TOTAL ►</b>	\$45,300

**Use:**

ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AVAILABLE BALANCE (Character)	AMOUNT
129-GResili19- 3199	DEP Resilient Coastlines	Services/Materials /Other Professional Services	\$0	\$0	\$45,300
				<b>APPROPRIATION TOTAL ►</b>	\$45,300

**Strategic Connections**

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018* initiative, included within the Infrastructure Cylinder of Excellence, specifically advancing:

- Goal 2: Be a sustainable and resilient community.
- Objective 2: Reduce flooding and adapt to sea level rise.
- Initiative 2-2.1: Incorporate sea level rise and resiliency projects into the Stormwater Management Plan and the Flood Hazard Mitigation Program.

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan: We Are Community*.

**Related CAM(s)**

#19-0024

**Attachment(s)**

Exhibit 1 – Grant Agreement

Exhibit 2 – Resolution

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