

RESOLUTION NO. 14- (CRA)

A RESOLUTION OF THE FORT LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AUTHORIZING THE CHAIR AND EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO EXECUTE AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH BROWARD COUNTY AND THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE TO ACCEPT GRANT FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1.5 MILLION THROUGH THE BROWARD REDEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (BRP) FOR THE NE 13TH STREET COMPLETE STREET PROJECT FROM NE 4TH AVENUE TO NE 9TH AVENUE.

WHEREAS, the Broward County Board of County Commissioners announced a funding opportunity for local governments and Community Redevelopment Agencies for redevelopment projects in defined redevelopment areas that can demonstrate existing conditions of blight, high unemployment, and declining property values; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fort Lauderdale and the Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency submitted a joint application to the Broward Redevelopment Program (BRP) grant program for the NE 13th Street Complete Street Project from NE 4th Avenue to NE 9th Avenue; and

WHEREAS, the City and CRA were awarded funding in the amount of \$1.5 million; and

WHEREAS, this improvement project will consist of roadway redesign, new wider sidewalks, on street parking, color enhanced bike lanes, in ground LED lights, shade trees and ADA improvements; and

WHEREAS, this project is part of the redevelopment vision and Plan for the Central City Community Redevelopment Area; and

WHEREAS, this project would improve safety, lower transportation costs, promote economic development, increase property values, foster a green environment and encourage a healthier community by encouraging walking and biking;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE FORT LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY:

SECTION 1. That the Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency hereby authorizes the Chair and Executive Director to execute an Interlocal Agreement with Broward County and the City of Fort Lauderdale to accept grant funding in the amount of \$1.5 million for the Ne 13TH Street Complete Street Project from NE 4th Avenue to NE 9th Avenue through the Broward County Redevelopment Program.

ADOPTED this the ___ day of _____, 2014.

Community Redevelopment Agency, Chairman
JOHN "JACK" P. SEILER

ATTEST:

Community Redevelopment Agency, Secretary
JONDA K. JOSEPH

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