

RESOLUTION NO. 22-

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION GRANT AGREEMENT WITH THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ACCEPT ADDITIONAL GRANT FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$84,940.00 FOR A TOTAL MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF UP TO \$101,228.00 IN GRANT FUNDING FROM THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE DOWNTOWN FORT LAUDERDALE HELISTOP LAYOUT PLAN AND OBSTRUCTION SURVEY AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE AMENDMENT TO THE PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION GRANT AGREEMENT WITH THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION ON BEHALF OF THE CITY AND TO ACCEPT SUCH ADDITIONAL GRANT FUNDING FOR FINANCIAL PROJECT NUMBER 448966-1-94-01; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the John Fuhrer Fort Lauderdale Downtown Helistop ("DT1") is owned by the City of Fort Lauderdale and is situated above the Riverwalk Center Garage; and

WHEREAS, on April 20, 2021, the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida ("City"), adopted a resolution approving a Public Transportation Grant Agreement with the Florida Department of Transportation ("FDOT") for the Helistop Layout Plan and Obstruction Survey in Downtown Fort Lauderdale; and

WHEREAS, the Helistop Layout Plan was last updated in July 1995; and

WHEREAS, the revised scope of work now includes the design of the Helistop Layout Plan, Airspace Analysis, Helicopter Touchdown and Lift-off, Helicopter Final Approach and Take-off, Heliport Planimetric Data, and Heliport Lighting and Marking, which increased the overall project costs; and

WHEREAS, the estimated total cost of the project increased by One Hundred Sixty-Nine Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty dollars and 00/100 cents (\$169,880.00), bringing the amended total cost of the project to Two Hundred Two Thousand Four Hundred Fifty-Six dollars and 00/100 cents (\$202,456.00); and

WHEREAS, FDOT has agreed to increase its grant funding by Eighty-Four Thousand Nine Hundred Forty dollars and 00/100 cents (\$84,940.00) to fund a maximum of up to One Hundred and One Thousand Two Hundred and Twenty-Eight Dollars and 00/100 cents (\$101,228.00) of the total eligible project cost; and

WHEREAS, on September 21, 2022, the Aviation Advisory Board supported staff's recommendation to accept the additional grant amount from FDOT; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission finds that approving the Amendment to the Public Transportation Grant Agreement and acceptance of the additional grant funds is in the best interest of the City of Fort Lauderdale.

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

SECTION 1. That the City Commission hereby approves the Amendment to the Public Transportation Grant Agreement with the Florida Department of Transportation, for the additional project costs associated with the Helistop Layout Plan and Obstruction Survey in Downtown Fort Lauderdale, Financial Project Number 448966-1-94-01 and the City Manager is authorized to execute the Amendment to the Public Transportation Grant Agreement on behalf of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

SECTION 2. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to accept additional grant funds on behalf of the City of Fort Lauderdale from the Florida Department of Transportation in the amount of Eighty-Four Thousand Nine Hundred Forty dollars and 00/100 cents (\$84,940.00) for a total maximum amount of up to One Hundred and One Thousand Two Hundred and Twenty-Eight Dollars and 00/100 cents (\$101,228.00) for the Helistop Layout Plan and Obstruction Survey in Downtown Fort Lauderdale.

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

SECTION 4. That all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

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

ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2022.

Mayor
DEAN J. TRANTALIS

ATTEST:

City Clerk
DAVID R. SOLOMAN

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney
ALAIN E. BOILEAU

Dean J. Trantalis _____
Heather Moraitis _____
Steven Glassman _____
Robert L. McKinzie _____
Ben Sorensen _____