

#23-0232

**TO**: Honorable Mayor & Members of the

Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Greg Chavarria, City Manager

**DATE**: March 23, 2023

**TITLE**: Resolution (a) Approving an Application for a Dock Permit for Usage of

Public Property by 817 RIO LLC, a Florida limited liability company for a proposed 47'+/- long X 8'+/- wide marginal dock and appurtenant steps and (b) Authorizing Execution of a Declaration of Restrictive Covenants –

(Commission District 4)

#### Recommendation

Staff recommends that the City Commission adopt a Resolution (a) granting a dock permit for use by private persons of public property located at 817 Cordova Road, Fort Lauderdale, FL for a proposed 47'+/- long X 8' +/- wide marginal dock and appurtenant steps and (b) authorizing execution of a Declaration of Restrictive Covenants relative to the dock permit.

## **Background**

The applicant is seeking a resolution granting a dock permit for use by private persons of public property in accordance with Section 8-144 of the Code of Ordinances for the installation, use, repair and maintenance of a proposed marginal dock and access steps adjacent to 817 Cordova Road. Per Resolution 19-205, an application fee of \$1500 is associated with obtaining a dock permit.

Pursuant to Code Sec. 8-144 (1) (a) the applicant is required to execute a Declaration of Restrictive Covenants relative to the Dock Permit. The Resolution authorizes the proper City officials to countersign the Declaration.

The Marine Advisory Board recommended unanimous approval (8:0) of the application (see Exhibit 3).

### **Resource Impact**

There is a positive fiscal impact of \$1,500. Revenue related to the application fee is included in the FY2023 Operating Budget in the account listed below.

Funds available as of February 7, 2023					
ACCOUNT NUMBER	COST CENTER NAME (Program)	CHARACTER/ ACCOUNT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AMOUNT RECEIVED (Character)	AMOUNT
10-001-6060-575-347- 200-PKR189	Marine Facilities Administration	Service Charge – Parks and Recreation / Private Dock Fees	\$147,800	\$7,500	\$1,500
TOTAL AMOUNT ▶				\$1,500	

# **Strategic Connections**

This item is a 2022 Top Commission Priority, advancing the Parks and Public Places initiative.

This item supports the *Press Play Fort Lauderdale 2024* Strategic Plan, specifically advancing:

- The Public Places Focus Area
- Goal 3: Build a healthy and engaging community.
- Objective: Improve access to and enjoyment of our beach, waterways, parks and open spaces for everyone

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

This item supports the Advance Fort Lauderdale 2040 Comprehensive Plan specifically advancing:

- The Public Places Focus Area
- The Parks, Recreation & Open Spaces Element
- Goal 1: Be a community where persons of all ages are able to partake in a fun and healthy lifestyle.

### <u>Attachments</u>

Exhibit 1 – Application

Exhibit 2 – Code Sec. 8 – 144

Exhibit 3 – February 2, 2023 Draft Marine Advisory Board Minutes

Exhibit 4 – Declaration of Covenants

Exhibit 5 – Approval Resolution

Exhibit 6 - Denial Resolution

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