## **RESOLUTION NO. 17-**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING THE HONORARY DESIGNATION OF THAT PORTION OF U.S. 1 BETWEEN BROWARD BOULEVARD AND SUNRISE BOULEVARD, IN THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, AS "THE HOPE AND HEALING HIGHWAY," AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, Subsection 1.(35) of Chapter 2017-193, Laws of Florida, provides that "[t]hat portion of U.S. 1 between Broward Boulevard and Sunrise Boulevard, in Broward County, is designated as 'The Hope and Healing Highway."; and

WHEREAS, according to the Florida Senate's Bill Analysis and Fiscal Impact Statements for Committee Substitute for Senate Bill 368 prepared by the professional staff of the Committee on Appropriations and the professional staff of the Subcommittee on Transportation, Tourism, and Economic Development, "[t]he designation would help empower those who travel on the stretch of road each day to the Nancy J. Cotterman Sexual Assault Treatment Center, Broward County's rape crisis and children's advocacy center, and would be a tribute to those who have been victims and are survivors, those who have not yet had the courage to seek help, and those who support the mission to end sexual abuse and to help survivors heal and thrive."; and

WHEREAS, Subsection 334.071(3), Florida Statutes (2017), provides, in part, that "[e]rection of markers shall be contingent on the appropriate city or county commission passing a resolution in support of the particular honorary designation."; and

WHEREAS, that portion of U.S. 1 between Broward Boulevard and Sunrise Boulevard is located within the corporate limits of the City of Fort Lauderdale;

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

<u>SECTION 1</u>. That the City Commission supports the honorary designation of U.S. 1 between Broward Boulevard and Sunrise Boulevard as "The Hope and Healing Highway."

SECTION 2. That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon final passage.

ADOPTED this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2017.

Mayor
JOHN P. "JACK" SEILER

City Clerk

JEFFREY A. MODARELLI