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A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE CERTAIN AGREEMENTS AND DOCUMENTS RELATED TO FEDERAL AND STATE GRANT PROGRAMS ADMINISTERED BY THE HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DIVISION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE.

WHEREAS, Section 4.01(b) of the Charter of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida provides that pursuant to resolution, the execution of certain instruments may be delegated to another person; and

WHEREAS, to facilitate the efficient and timely administration of federal and state grant funds by the Housing and Community Development Division ("HCD") of the City Manager's Office, the City Commission finds that it is in the best interest of the City to delegate authority and designate the City Manager as the proper person to execute certain agreements and documents on behalf 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 Manager is hereby delegated authority to execute and deliver certain agreements and documents in connection with federal and state grant programs such as the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program, HOME Investment Partnerships Program, Housing Opportunities for Persons with HIV/AIDS (HOWPA) and the State Housing Initiatives Partnership Program (SHIP), all as administered by the Housing and Community Development Division, which authority shall include, but not limited to, authorization to execute HUD certifications, funding agreements, participation agreements, any amendments thereto, and satisfaction of mortgages.

<u>SECTION 2</u>. The City Manager's authority is limited to execution of documents and agreements related to programs and awards approved under the Annual Action Plan, and any amendments thereto, by the City Commission.

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SECTION 3. That this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED this the _____ day of _____, 2017.

ATTEST:

Mayor JOHN P "JACK" SEILER

City Clerk JEFFREY A. MODARELLI