# **RESOLUTION NO. 18-**

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE FORT LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY, APPROVING THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS FROM THE NORTHWEST 9<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT TO THE NEW MID-BLOCK RAPID FLASHING BEACON NW 9<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE AND NW 2<sup>ND</sup> STREET PROJECT; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

<u>SECTION 1</u>. That the transfer of funds from the Northwest 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Improvements Projects to the New Mid-Block Rapid Flashing Beacon NW 9<sup>th</sup> Ave and NW 2<sup>nd</sup> Street Project as set forth in the Community Redevelopment Agency Agenda Memo #18-0421, copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated herein, is hereby approved.

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

ADOPTED this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2018.

ATTEST:

Chairman DEAN J. TRANTALIS

CRA Secretary JEFFREY A. MODARELLI



- TO: CRA Chairman and Board of Commissioners Fort Lauderdale Community Redevelopment Agency
- **FROM**: Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, Executive Director
- **DATE**: May 1, 2018
- **TITLE**: Resolution to Approve Budget Amendment Appropriation of \$70,000 from the Northwest 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Improvements Project to the New Mid-Block Rapid Flashing Beacon NW 9<sup>th</sup> Ave and NW 2<sup>nd</sup> Street Project. Fiscal Year 2018

## **Recommendation**

It is recommended that the Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA) Board of Commissioners adopt a resolution approving the transfer of \$70,000 from the Northwest 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Improvements Project to the New Mid-Block Rapid Flashing Beacon NW 9<sup>th</sup> Ave and NW 2<sup>nd</sup> Street Project.

## **Background**

The CRA approved the Northwest 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Improvements capital improvement project which consisted of roadway redesign, installation of new sidewalks and Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) ramps, landscaped medians, on-street parking, street decorative lights and landscaping along Northwest 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue from Sistrunk Boulevard to Broward Boulevard. The crosswalk at Northwest 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Northwest 2<sup>nd</sup> Street was brought to the attention of the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), responsible for the design of the project, during the project's design phase and was intended to be included but was somehow never constructed.

The proposed crosswalk will provide a safe connection for students of Walker Elementary and residents of the neighborhood on the west side of NW 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue to the Boys and Girls Club on the east side of NW 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue at NW 2<sup>nd</sup> Street. The scope of the project includes the design survey of the intersection, final design, and construction of the crosswalk. The design includes the traffic signing and marking, needed ADA ramps, any drainage relocations due to conflicts, sidewalk reconstruction at intersection to connect to crosswalk, and new rapid-flashing beacon crosswalk signage with push buttons. This project will improve safety for the pedestrians crossing this street. Permitting, construction phase services, and bidding assistance are included in the design fees.

The Northwest 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Improvements Project construction phase was completed on

May 14, 2017 and it is now in its warranty phase; therefore, funds for the construction of the crosswalk need to be transferred from the Northwest 9<sup>th</sup> Avenue Improvements Project to the New Mid-Block Rapid Flashing Beacon NW 9<sup>th</sup> Ave and NW 2<sup>nd</sup> Street Project. There is an associated item on the May 1, 2018 City Commission Regular Meeting.

<u>Consistency with the NPF CRA Community Redevelopment Plan</u> The project is consistent with subsection 5.L of the Northwest Progresso Flagler Heights (NPF) CRA Community Redevelopment Plan which provides for the investment in pedestrian programs and projects.

## Resource Impact

There will be a fiscal impact in the amount of \$70,000.

#### Source:

Funds available as of April 24, 2018						
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB-OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AVAILABLE BALANCE (Character)	AMOUNT	
347-P11487.347- 6599	Northwest 9th Avenue Improvements	Capital Outlay/Construction	\$2,000,000	\$785,853	\$70,000	
			TOTAL A	MOUNT →	\$70,000	

Use:

Funds available as of April 24, 2018					
ACCOUNT NUMBER	INDEX NAME (Program)	CHARACTER CODE/ SUB- OBJECT NAME	AMENDED BUDGET (Character)	AVAILABLE BALANCE (Character)	AMOUNT
347-P12427.347- 6599	New Mid-Block Rapid Flashing Beacon NW 9th Ave and NW 2nd Street	Capital Outlay/Construction	\$0	\$0	\$70,000
			TOTAL A	MOUNT →	\$70,000

## Strategic Connections

This item is a *Commission Annual Action Plan* priority, included within the Policy Agenda, advancing the Northwest Progresso Flagler Heights CRA – Capital Improvements and Housing strategy.

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018* initiative, included within the Neighborhood Enhancement Cylinder of Excellence, specifically advancing:

• Goal 5: Be a community of strong, beautiful and healthy neighborhoods.

- Goal 7: Be a well-positioned City within the global economic and tourism markets of the South Florida region, leveraging our airports, ports and rail connections.
- Objective 2: Facilitate a responsive and proactive business climate.
- Initiative 1: Evaluate and expand our existing portfolio of business attraction Incentives.

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan*: We Are Community and We Are Prosperous.

# Related CAM

#18-0223

# <u>Attachment</u>

Exhibit 1 – Resolution

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