

RESOLUTION NO. 18-

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, IN SUPPORT OF THE CITY OF OAKLAND PARK'S PROSPECT ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT TO RECONSTRUCT ROADWAY TO INCLUDE DEDICATED BICYCLE FACILITIES AND IMPROVE SAFETY FOR ALL MODES OF TRANSPORTATION, FROM COMMERCIAL BOULEVARD TO DIXIE HIGHWAY, PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS, PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Oakland Park is implementing the Prospect Road Improvement Project ("project") from Commercial Boulevard to Dixie Highway to reconstruct roadway, to include dedicated bicycle facilities and improve safety for all modes of transportation; and

WHEREAS, a portion of Prospect Road is located within the City of Fort Lauderdale on the north east side between Commercial Boulevard to NW 21st Avenue and also along the north side between NW 16th Avenue and NW 10th Avenue; and

WHEREAS, the project is expected to aid in the realization of the "*We Are Connected*" goal of the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan*, by improving transportation options on Prospect Road which include keeping two vehicular travel lanes in each direction, adding new five-foot bike lanes, reducing vehicular travel lane widths from eleven and twelve feet to ten feet and eleven feet, and upgrading curb ramps and crosswalks in order to comply with Americans With Disabilities Act requirements; and

WHEREAS, the proposed project will improve transportation options and reduce congestion and improve pedestrian, bicycle, and vehicular safety; and

WHEREAS, the Broward County Commission is requesting that surrounding cities support the project; and

WHEREAS, the City of Wilton Manors and the City of Tamarac have issued no objection letters pertaining to the project; and

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

SECTION 1. The foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct, and are incorporated herein by this reference.

SECTION 2. That the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, does hereby support the City of Oakland Park's Prospect Road improvement project from Commercial Boulevard to Dixie Highway.

SECTION 3. That all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. That if any clause, section, or other part of this resolution shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this resolution shall not be affected thereby, but shall remain in full force and effect.

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

ADOPTED this the ____ day of _____, 2018.

Mayor
DEAN J. TRANTALIS

ATTEST:

City Clerk
JEFFREY A. MODARELLI