RESOLUTION NO. 17-247

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA, DESIGNATING THE BEVERLY HEIGHTS NEIGHBORHOOD DESCRIBED AS BEING BOUND ON THE NORTH BY EAST BROWARD BOULEVARD BETWEEN SOUTHEAST 12TH AVENUE AND NORTH FEDERAL HIGHWAY, ON THE SOUTH BY EAST LAS OLAS BOULEVARD BETWEEN SOUTHEAST 12TH AVENUE AND NORTH FEDERAL HIGHWAY, ON THE WEST BY NORTH FEDERAL HIGHWAY BETWEEN EAST BROWARD BOULEVARD AND EAST LAS OLAS BOULEVARD, AND ON THE EAST BY SOUTHEAST 12TH AVENUE BETWEEN EAST BOULEVARD EAST LAS OLAS AND **BROWARD** BOULEVARD. AS A RESIDENTIAL PARKING PERMIT DISTRICT, AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Section 26-166 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida provides that the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida (the "City Commission") may designate residential areas meeting certain criteria as residential parking permit districts ("RPPD"); and

WHEREAS, the Transportation and Mobility Department (TAM) Parking Services Division has determined that the Beverly Heights neighborhood described as being bound on the North by East Broward Boulevard between Southeast 12th Avenue and North Federal Highway, on the South by East Las Olas Boulevard between Southeast 12th Avenue and North Federal Highway, on the west by North Federal Highway between East Broward Boulevard and East Las Olas Boulevard, and on the East by Southeast 12th Avenue between East Las Olas Boulevard and East Broward Boulevard (The "Beverly Heights Neighborhood") meets all of the provisions to become a RPPD; and

WHEREAS, an online survey was conducted of the residents concerning the Residential Parking Permit Program which resulted in 57 responses with 35 in favor of the proposed RPPD; and

WHEREAS, public meetings were held on October 4th and 11th with Beverly Heights neighbors where options were presented resulting in the following:

24/7 enforcement of the RPPD

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- Two hour maximum parking for general parking in RPPD areas
- Two residential permits per household along the designated RPPD areas

and

WHEREAS, it was also agreed that certain corner properties within the RPPD area would be allowed residential permits to park on streets adjacent to their properties; and

WHEREAS, the properties along the red zones as depicted on the map attached hereto as Exhibit "A" are not eligible for residential parking permits; and

WHEREAS, the enactment of this RPPD for the Beverly Heights neighborhood is in the best interest of the City. It will likely reduce vehicular congestion on residential streets and facilitate the efficient movement of vehicles, and is necessary to promote the health, safety and welfare of our neighbors; and

WHEREAS, the applicable procedures set forth in Sections 26-168 and 26-169 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida have been followed, and proper notice has been provided in accordance with those provisions;

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

SECTION 1. That the City Commission finds that the parking study for the Beverly Heights Neighborhood described as being bound on the North by East Broward Boulevard between Southeast 12th Avenue and North Federal Highway, on the South by East Las Olas Boulevard between Southeast 12th Avenue and North Federal Highway, on the west by North Federal Highway between East Broward Boulevard and East Las Olas Boulevard, and on the East by Southeast 12th Avenue between East Las Olas Boulevard and East Broward Boulevard, as depicted on the map attached hereto as Exhibit "A," shows that the area meets the following criteria set forth in Sections 26-168(b) of the Code of Ordinances of the City or Fort Lauderdale, Florida:

1. During any period of the day or night sought to be regulated, the number of vehicles parking (or standing) in the Beverly Heights Neighborhood in on-street

parking is equal to fifty (50) percent or more of the legal on-street parking capacity of the area; and

- 2. During the same period, twenty-five (25) percent or more of the vehicles parking (or standing) on the streets in the Beverly Heights Neighborhood are not registered in the name of a person residing in the area; and
- 3. That non-residential vehicles do or may substantially and regularly interfere with the use of the majority of on-street parking spaces by adjacent residents; and
- 4. That the interference by the non-residential vehicles occurs at regular and significant daily or weekly intervals; and
- 5. That non-residential vehicles in the proposed residential parking permit district cause or are the source of unreasonable noise, traffic hazards, barriers to the efficient collection of trash and refuse, environmental pollution or devaluation of real property in the area of the proposed district; and
- 6. There is a need for parking regulations to maintain the residential character of the neighborhood; and
- 7. That no unreasonable displacement of non-residential vehicles will result into surrounding residential areas.

<u>SECTION 2</u>. That the City Commission designates the Beverly Heights Neighborhood, as depicted on the map attached hereto as Exhibit "A," as a residential parking permit district pursuant to Section 26-166 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida. The properties along the red zones are not eligible for residential parking permits as depicted on the map attached hereto as Exhibit "A."

<u>SECTION 3</u>. That the time limitations and days of the week when non-residential vehicles will be restricted from parking in the Beverly Heights Neighborhood are from 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Monday through Sunday.

<u>SECTION 4</u>. That the cost of the residential parking permit for the Beverly Heights neighborhood is set at \$30.00 annually.

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SECTION 5. That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon its adoption.

ADOPTED this the 7th day of November, 2017.

Mayor

YOHN P. "JAĆK" SEILER

ATTEST:

City Clerk

JEFFREY A. MODARELLI