



CITY COMMISSION ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION

TITLE: Resolution 22-22 - (Utilities)

SUBJECT: A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF COOPER CITY, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE CITY OFFICIALS TO MAKE GRANT APPLICATION TO FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF PROTECTION FOR VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENT UNDER THEIR RESILIENT FLORIDA PROGRAM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$170,000 AND TAKE ANY AND ALL ACTIONS NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

CITY MANAGER RECOMMENDATION:

The City Manager recommends the City Commission approve and authorize the submission of a grant application to the Florida Department of Protection for Vulnerability Assessment under their Resilient Florida Program in the amount of \$170,000.

BACKGROUND OF ITEM:

On June 7, 2022, the City was notified by the Florida Department of Environment Protection (“DEP”), Office of Resilience and Coastal Protection (“ORCP”), that it has not prepared a Vulnerability Assessment (“VA”) of the City or currently has one that is in compliance with Florida Statute 380.093(3). The ORCP also advised that grant funding was available from FDEP where no match was required with the application deadline of June 22, 2022 to be submitted online.

Due to the short application window and after consultation with the ORCP Administrator, City’s application was uploaded and accepted with City’s Manager’s interim authorization on June 22, 2022. However, a formal Resolution of the City Commission is required for the processing of the application.

ANALYSIS:

This VA Study is not only a statutory requirement but is also necessary to access the impacts on critical assets due to climate change, sea-level rise, and flooding. Although Cooper City is fairly inland, it abuts one of the regional canal systems, C-11, and could potentially be impacted by a higher ground water table.

Pursuant to FS 380.093(3), the scope of VA is required to include an analysis of vulnerability and risk of all critical assets owned or maintained by the City.

If the VA Study identifies and concludes that upgrades of certain critical assets are necessary, City may be eligible for matching grant funds for future construction.

STRATEGIC PLAN:

The study is in line with the Strategic Plan as it will potentially determine upgrades of certain assets within the City’s infrastructure.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact for Vulnerability Assessment Study because this will be fully grant-funded by the State.

ALTERNATIVES:

N/A

ATTACHMENTS:

1. Resolution 22-22

Workflow History 			
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Allen, Tedra	NEW ITEM: Not Yet Routed	*COMPLETE: Forward to Ci...	07/05/22 01:24 PM
Horowitz, Jacob	Assigned to Attorney	COMPLETE: Forward to Cit...	07/11/22 04:32 PM
Napoli, Joseph	Assigned to City Manager	COMPLETE: Forward to Cit...	07/14/22 09:46 AM
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Allen, Tedra	Assigned to City Clerk	APPROVE ITEM: End Work...	07/14/22 10:06 AM
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