

RESOLUTION NO. 21-25

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF COOPER CITY, FLORIDA REAPPOINTING THE CODE ENFORCEMENT SPECIAL MAGISTRATE AND ALTERNATE SPECIAL MAGISTRATE; SETTING THE MAGISTRATES' RATE OF COMPENSATION AND TERM OF OFFICE; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 13-65 of the City's Code of Ordinances, the City Commission seeks to provide for the appointment of a code enforcement Special Magistrate and an Alternate Special Magistrate as authorized by Chapter 162, Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission finds that reappointing the current special magistrate and alternate special magistrate is in the best interests of the citizens and residents of the city.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF COOPER CITY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. **Recitals Adopted.** That the recitals stated above are hereby adopted and confirmed.

Section 2. **APPOINTMENT; TERM; COMPENSATION**

- A.** That the City Commission of the City of Cooper City hereby reappoints Hofit N. Lottenberg as the primary Special Magistrate and hereby reappoints Theresa Edwards, as Alternate Special Magistrate, with each to serve for a term of office of three (3) years commencing on **April 10, 2021** and ending on **April 9, 2024**, subject to the conditions, limitations and restrictions of the Chapter 13, Article VI of the City's Code of Ordinances (the "Ordinance").

B. That the rate of compensation for each Special Magistrate shall be One Hundred (\$100) Dollars per hour of time reasonably expended by the Special Magistrate at each “session” (which is defined in the Ordinance and is codified as Sec. 13-65 (d) of the City Code, to mean all cases brought before the Special Magistrate for a hearing on one particular date), with the total compensation for a session not to exceed Four Hundred (\$400) Dollars unless authorized in writing by the City Manager.

Section 3. Implementation. That the City Manager shall be authorized to take any action which is necessary to fully implement this Resolution.

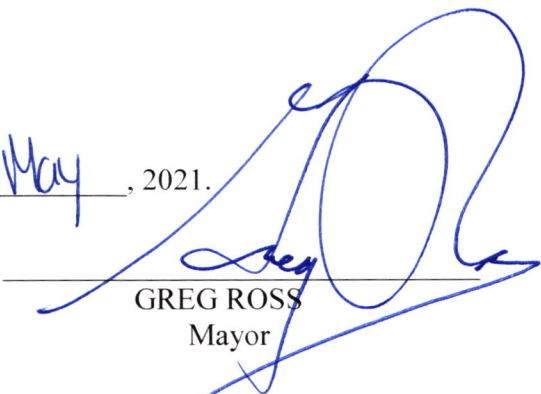
Section 4. All Resolutions or parts of Resolutions in conflict herewith, be and the same are repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 5. If any clause, section or other part of this Resolution shall be held by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, such unconstitutional or invalid part shall be construed as eliminated and shall in no way affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Resolution.

Section 6. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage and adoption.

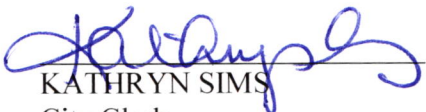
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PASSED AND ADOPTED this 11th day of May, 2021.



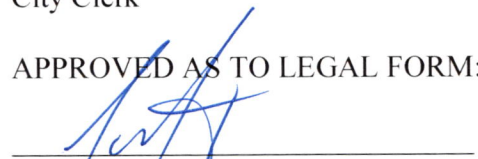
GREG ROSS
Mayor

ATTEST:



KATHRYN SIMS
City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:



JACOB G. HOROWITZ
City Attorney

ROLL CALL

- Mayor Ross
- Commissioner Green
- Commissioner Meltzer
- Commissioner Pulcini
- Commissioner Shrouder

