

Memorandum of Understanding

This proposed agreement by and between the City of Flagler Beach, a Florida Municipal corporation ("City") and Flagler Strong Inc., a Florida not for profit organization ("organization"):

WHEREAS, the Flagler Strong organization began to form in 2016 following the aftermath of Hurricane Matthew; and

WHEREAS, the Flagler Strong organization has now incorporated as a 501(c)(3) not for profit organization dedicated to disaster preparedness, disaster relief, citizens of Flagler Beach relief, business owners of Flagler Beach, and the beautification and restoration of Flagler Beach; and

WHEREAS, the City of Flagler Beach desires to engage citizens in voluntary efforts that can be constructively organized to assist the city with recovery operations and other desirable civic goals of the City; and

WHEREAS, the City appreciates and desires to partner with organizations such as Flagler Strong to further the goals of the City and build a better, stronger community.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that both the City and Flagler Strong desire to cooperate in various projects and resolve to:

1. Recognize Flagler Strong as an official organization that can assist during volunteer efforts in a declared disaster.
2. That the parties establish this memorandum of understanding to coordinate and operate within the Flagler Strong charter in order to achieve various community goals as directed by the City Commission from time to time.
3. That the City Manager is hereby authorized to represent the city and its ongoing interests as a liaison to Flagler Strong for said purpose.
4. This agreement is made between the two organizations and will be reviewed and/or renewed every year as long as Flagler Strong exists as a recognized 501(c)(3) not for profit organization.

This memorandum of Understanding accurately reflects the understanding between the City of Flagler Beach and Flagler Strong made this _____ day of May, 2024.

City of Flagler Beach

Flagler Strong

Patti King, Mayor

Tracy Callahan-Hennessey, President