



## ITEM SUMMARY

**MEETING DATE:** February 7, 2022

**FROM:** Carlos Cedeño, Director, Public Works Department

**SUBJECT:** **Resolution 2022-01**  
Florida Department of Transportation Landscape Maintenance Memorandum of Agreement for Forest Hill Boulevard Median Enhancements

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### BACKGROUND

In Fiscal Year 2020 the City of Greenacres initiated the planning process of median landscape enhancements on State Road 882 (Forest Hill Boulevard). The first phase of the project entailed retaining a Landscape Architect consultant to research and design an appropriate landscape treatment for the City's unirrigated roadway medians to rejuvenate the existing plantings.

During Fiscal Year 2021, the City's Landscape Architect consultant reviewed permit requirements, developed concept plans and applied to the State of Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) District IV for a permit. On October 27, 2021, FDOT issued Permit No. 2021-L-496-00003 to make the requested landscape enhancements.

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### ANALYSIS

The City of Greenacres agrees to maintain the landscape improvements (as described within "Exhibit C"). This includes the care, maintenance and replacement of plant materials, irrigation system and/or hardscape by periodic mowing, fertilizing, weeding, litter pick-up, pruning, necessary re-planting, irrigation repair and/or repair of the median concrete replacement associated with the specialty surfacing as needed

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### FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Funds have been budgeted through FY 2019 Capital Improvement Project # 305-210 for the planning, designing and construction of the enhancement of the landscaped medians.

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### LEGAL

The Resolution has been prepared in accord with applicable City Code requirements

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### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

*Approval* of Resolution No. 2022-01 approving the Landscape Maintenance Memorandum of Agreement between the City of Greenacres and the State of Florida Department of Transportation.