

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024 - 23**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LABELLE, HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA, ESTABLISHING UNIFORM RATES FOR PROVIDING SREETLIGHTING, PROVIDING SEVERABILITY, PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the City Commission of the City of LaBelle, Hendry County, Florida has determined that a need exists for streetlighting to promote the orderly and safe development of property, in the incorporated area of the City of LaBelle; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Commissioners of the City of LaBelle are authorized pursuant to The LaBelle Code, Chapter 14, Streets, Sidewalks and Other Public Places; Article I. In General, Sec. 14-4, Sec. 14-5, and Sec. 14-6, to establish uniform rates for streetlighting within the incorporated boundaries of the City of LaBelle; and

**WHEREAS**, the furnishing of streetlighting, in accordance with the purposes of the aforementioned code provisions has been determined to be a special benefit to all real property owners within the incorporated boundaries of the City of LaBelle; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Commission has found the provision of streetlighting to be a valid governmental purpose and a public necessity to the inhabitants of the incorporated areas of the City of LaBelle.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LABELLE, FLORIDA:**

**Section 1.**     Adoption of Representations. The foregoing “Whereas” clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true, and the same are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution.

**Section 2.**     Authorization and Approval. The City Commission of the City of LaBelle hereby adopts, authorizes and approves the establishment of the Streetlighting Uniform Rates assessments as follows:

1. Thirty-seven cents (\$0.37) per foot of front street footage per parcel of land abutting a street within the incorporated boundaries of the City of LaBelle.

**Section 3.**     Authority of the Mayor. The Mayor is hereby authorized to take all necessary and expedient action to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

**Section 4.**     Repealer. All Resolutions or parts of Resolutions in conflict herewith be and same are hereby repealed.

**Section 5.** Effective Date. This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage and adoption.

**PASSED** and **ADOPTED** this 27th day of September 2024.

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Julie C. Wilkins, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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Tijauna Warner, MMC, Deputy City Clerk

**APPROVED AS TO FORM AND  
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:**

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Derek Rooney, Esq.  
City Attorney

Moved by: \_\_\_\_\_

Seconded by: \_\_\_\_\_

**VOTE:**

Commissioner Akin	_____ (Yes)	_____ (No)
Commissioner Ratica	_____ (Yes)	_____ (No)
Commissioner Spratt	_____ (Yes)	_____ (No)
Commissioner Vargas	_____ (Yes)	_____ (No)
Mayor Wilkins	_____ (Yes)	_____ (No)