

RESOLUTION 04-01-25

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF LAKE PARK, FLORIDA AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH BETWEEN THE TOWN OF LAKE PARK AND THE STATE OF FLORIDA, DEPARTMENT OF STATE, DIVISION OF HISTORICAL RESOURCES FOR THE LAKE PARK HISTORIC EVERGREEN HOUSE PRESERVATION IMPROVEMENTS, FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town is a municipality with such powers and authority as is enumerated by Chapter 166 Florida Statutes and the Florida Constitution; and

WHEREAS, the Town is empowered to enter into contractual arrangements with public agencies, private corporations or other persons; and

WHEREAS, the Town desires to implement sustainable strategies that will improve the quality of life and safety of residents and visitors in the town; and

WHEREAS, the Town previously determined a need to repair and improve the Evergreen House with exterior and interior restoration improvements; and

WHEREAS, the Town has been awarded a preservation grant through the Division of Historical Resources (the Division) to assist with the Evergreen House restoration improvements; and

WHEREAS. the grant amount is \$195,000.00 from the Division and \$198,500.00 from the Town in the form of a cash match amount for a total project amount of \$397,000.00; and

WHEREAS, on Tuesday, September 24, 2024 the Division provided the Grant Agreement document for execution by the Town of Lake Park; and

WHEREAS, the Division has the authority to issue such a grant; and

WHEREAS, Town staff is recommending to Town Commission that it is in the interest of the Town to execute this Grant Agreement (# 25.h.sc.100.065) with the Division.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF LAKE PARK AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein.

Section 2. The Town Commission hereby authorizes and directs the mayor to execute an agreement between the Town and the State of Florida, Department of State, Division of Historical Resources.

Section 3. This resolution shall be effective upon its execution.