



Town of Lake Park Town Commission

Agenda Request Form

Meeting Date: November 1, 2023

Originating Department: Public Works

Agenda Title: Resolution Designating Funds Received by the Town from the Palm Beach County Discretionary Surtax Project Fund Budget for use as part of a Florida Commerce Community Development Block Grant Mitigation Program Associated with the Southern Outfall Stormwater Infrastructure Retrofit Project.

Approved by Town Manager: Bambi McKibbon-Turner Digitally signed by Bambi McKibbon-Turner
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Cost of Item: \$367,120.00 **Funding Source:** PBC Discretionary Surtax Projects

Account Number: 301-52-521-301-63100 **Finance Signature:** Barbara A. Gould Digitally signed by Barbara A. Gould
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Date: N/A **Newspaper:** _____

Attachments: 1. Agenda Request Form
2. Resolution to Designate Matching Funds
3. Contract between the Town of Lake Park and Florida Commerce for CDBG Grant Funding
4. Presentation on the Southern Outfall Stormwater Retrofit Project

Please initial one:

X Yes, I have notified everyone

Not applicable in this case

Background:

On February 17, 2019, the Town Commission authorized an update to the Town's Stormwater Master Plan (the Plan). The updated plan, which the Town Commission adopted on July 21, 2021 (Resolution 40-07-21), included the results of extensive research and advanced hydrology

and hydraulic modeling. In addition, the plan identified concerns related to the structural condition and lack of capacity of the Town's drainage infrastructure.

Furthermore, the plan provided recommendations to mitigate current and future impacts of climate change, sea-level rise, and other factors and prescribed implementation of a low-impact, Green Infrastructure (GI) strategy as the most viable approach to address these challenges.

Among the most time-sensitive priorities identified in the plan is the need to replace a dilapidated 780 feet segment of the Southern Outfall drainage conduit, which has exceeded its recommended service life. It is estimated that a failure of this 72-inch, corrugated aluminum conduit would cause significant disruption to the Town's ability to convey storm water away from nearly 450 acres to the Lake Worth Lagoon.

Furthermore, the Plan' recommended projects includes replacement and improvement projects identified as the "Southern Outfall Stormwater Infrastructure Retrofit Project" (the Project), which includes the replacement of the southern outfall piping system from US to Lake Worth Lagoon, the addition of green infrastructure improvements to Bert Bostrom Park, and the implementation of green infrastructure and traffic safety improvements along 10th Street, from Park Avenue to Silver Beach Road, and the rehabilitation of various drainage piping throughout the Town.

To help fund the Project, the Town applied to and was previously notified by the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity (now known as *Florida Commerce*) that it has been awarded a Community Development Block Grant Mitigation Program (CDBG-MIT) grant in the amount of **\$11,067,635.00**.

The grant award provides **\$11,067,635.00** of Federal funding and **\$367,120.00** in Local (Town Match) funding, which provides a total grant amount of **\$11,434,755.00**.

The Town previously executed a subrecipient Agreement (**Attachment 3**) provided by Florida Commerce for the grant funds and requires a Resolution (**Attachment 2**) from the Town Commission identifying and designating the source of the Town's match funds associated with the grant.

The CDBG-MIT Grant funds provided by Florida Commerce will provide the Town with needed financial resources required to implement the project, as recommended in the Town's Stormwater Master Plan.

The Town Manager Recommends approval.

Recommended Motion:

I move to adopt Resolution No. _____