RESOLUTION NO. 117-12-24

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF LAKE PARK, FLORIDA APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TOWN OF LAKE PARK AND BECKER & POLIAKOFF FOR LOBBYIST SERVICES; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the Town of Lake Park, Florida (hereinafter "Town") is a municipal corporation of the state of Florida with such power and authority as has been conferred upon it by the Florida Constitution and Chapter 166, Florida Statutes; and

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

WHEREAS, at its March 7, 2018 meeting, the Town Commission by Resolution 14-03-18 authorized and directed the Mayor to sign a Memorandum of Agreement (Agreement) with Becker & Poliakoff ("Lobbyist") for lobbyist services; and

WHEREAS, Lobbyist has presented to the Town of Lake Park an amendment to the Agreement (the Amendment) which is attached hereto as **Exhibit A** by which it is seeking to continue its lobbying services from October 1, 2024 until either party decides to terminate the agreement at the monthly retainer fee of \$5,000.00 per month, and providing that either party may terminate the agreement for reasonable cause upon not less than thirty (30 days written notice to the other party; and

WHEREAS, the Interim Town Manager recommends approval of the Amendment.

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

Section 1. The whereas clauses are incorporated herein as true and correct and are incorporated herein.

<u>Section 2.</u> The Town Commission hereby agrees to retain the Lobbyist for lobbying services retroactive to October 1, 2024 until such time as either party elects to terminate the the Amendment dated November 19, 2024 which is attached hereto as **Exhibit A.** The mayor is authorized to execute the Amendment.

<u>Section 3.</u> This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon execution. #5907384 v1 26508-00001