RESOLUTION NO. 2024-54

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE ENTRY BY THE TOWN INTO A THIRD AMENDMENT TO GRANT AGREEMENT WITH LOXAHATCHEE GROVES CERT TEAM, INC. TO PROVIDE AN EXTENSION TO THE TERM, A GRANT AWARD, AND USE OF THE TOWN LOGO AND FOR CHANGES IN LAW; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE **NECESSARY** DOCUMENTS IN FORMS ACCEPTABLE TO THE TOWN MANAGER AND TOWN ATTORNEY TO IMPLEMENT THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER AND THE TOWN ATTORNEY TO TAKE SUCH ACTIONS AS ARE NECESSARY TO IMPLEMENT THIS RESOLUTION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town of Loxahatchee Groves (Town) desires to assist community organizations that provide a public benefit to the citizens of the Town; and

WHEREAS, the Loxahatchee Groves CERT Team, Inc. (CERT) is comprised of members who are trained through a Citizens Emergency Response Team program created by the Department of Emergency Management to assist in storm related events and other emergencies; and

WHEREAS, CERT provides voluntary emergency response assistance within the Town; and

WHEREAS, effective October 1, 2021, the Town and CERT entered into a one-year Grant Agreement; and

WHEREAS, effective October 1, 2022, the Town and CERT extended the term of the Grant Agreement for an additional one-year term and provided for parking and storage of the CERT equipment and supply trailer(s) by the Town; and

WHEREAS, effective October 1, 2023, the Town and CERT extended the term of the Grant Agreement for an additional one-year term and provided for parking and storage of the CERT equipment and supply trailer(s) by the Town and a carry-over of funds; and

WHEREAS, the Town and CERT desire to extend the Grant Agreement for an additional one-year term, provide for the amendment of terms, adding a new section for the use of the Town's logo, adding a section regarding human trafficking and carry forward unexpended funds from FY24 Grant Award to provide CERT with a potential grant of up to \$3,786.00 during FY25; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council has determined the Third Amendment to Grant Agreement with CERT serves a valid public purpose.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES, FLORIDA, THAT:

<u>Section 1</u>. The foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution.

Section 2. The Town Council of the Town of Loxahatchee Groves hereby approves the Third Amendment to Grant Agreement with Loxahatchee Groves CERT Team, Inc., attached hereto as Exhibit "A". The Mayor is authorized to execute any and all documents to implement the Grant Agreement, including letter agreements and addenda, in forms acceptable to the Town Manager and Town Attorney. The Town Manager and Town Attorney are authorized to take such actions as are necessary to implement this Resolution.

Section 3. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage and adoption.

Councilmember ______offered the foregoing Resolution. Councilmember ______

seconded the Motion, and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

		Aye	Nay	Absent	
ANITA KANE, MAYOR					
MARGARET HERZOG, VICE MAYOR					
LAURA DANOWSKI, COUNCILMEMBER					
PHILLIS MANIGLIA, COUNCILMEMBER					
ROBERT SHORR, COUNCILMEMEBER					
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FLORIDA, THIS DAY OF	_, 2024.				
		OWN OF LOXAHATCHEE GROVES ORIDA			
ATTEST:	Mayo	Mayor Anita Kane			
Town Clerk	Vice I	Vice Mayor Margaret Herzog			
APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:	Counc	Councilmember Laura Danowski			
Office of the Town Attorney	Councilmember Phillis Maniglia				
	Councilmember Robert Shorr				