## RESOLUTION NO. R-CRA-

A RESOLUTION OF THE HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY ("CRA"), APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE APPROPRIATE CRA OFFICIALS TO EXECUTE A PROPERTY IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM GRANT AGREEMENT WITH AQUARIUS CONDOMINIUM ASSOCIATION, INC. FOR ONSITE IMPROVEMENTS TO THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 2751 SOUTH OCEAN DRIVE IN A TOTAL GRANT AMOUNT UP TO \$75,000.00.

WHEREAS, on February 2, 2011, the Community Redevelopment Agency ("CRA") Board passed and adopted Resolution No. R-CRA-2011-08, which amended and consolidated the Property Improvement Program ("PIP") for the Beach and Downtown Districts into one comprehensive program; and

WHEREAS, the CRA adopted the PIP to facilitate the upgrading of structures and to eliminate slum and blighting influences within both districts of the CRA; and

WHEREAS, the PIP is a comprehensive program with eligibility guidelines and specific criteria; and

WHEREAS, Kiet Ngo, as a duly authorized representative of Aquarius Condominium Association, Inc. ("Aquarius") submitted an application in accordance with the PIP requirements; and

WHEREAS, Aquarius intends to improve the appearance of the property located at 2751 South Ocean Drive, which is within the Beach District of the CRA; and

WHEREAS, CRA staff has reviewed the application in accordance with the PIP guidelines and determined that Aquarius's application meets the eligibility criteria for a grant under the PIP Program; and

WHEREAS, the total project cost for the 2751 South Ocean Drive building is estimated at \$1,869,616.50, and the grant amount for this project will not exceed \$75,000.00, making the CRA's contribution approximately 4% of the total cost; and

WHEREAS, Aquarius will expend these monies on the project and the grant will be distributed upon completion of improvements; and

WHEREAS, the proposed private redevelopment will enhance and preserve the CRA's efforts for redevelopment in the area and further promote commercial redevelopment in the CRA District; and

WHEREAS, the CRA Executive Director and CRA staff recommend approval of a grant to Aquarius pursuant to the PIP Program; and

WHEREAS, after reviewing the applications submitted by Kiet Ngo on behalf of Aquarius, the CRA Board found and determined that it would be beneficial to the redevelopment effort and a proper public purpose under Chapter 163, Florida Statutes, to support Aquarius' improvement project through a grant of funds pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth in the attached property improvement grant agreement to be executed by the parties; and

WHEREAS, funding for the attached agreement has been appropriated and exists in account number 163.638504.55200.548640.000000.000 (Property Improvement Program).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY:

<u>Section 1</u>: That the foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are incorporated in this Resolution.

<u>Section 2</u>: That it approves and authorizes the execution, by the appropriate CRA officials, of the attached Property Improvement Program Grant Agreement with Aquarius, located at 2751 South Ocean Drive, together with such non-material changes as may subsequently be agreed to by the CRA Executive Director and approved as to form by the CRA General Counsel.

<u>Section 3</u>: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _	day of	, 2024.
ATTEST:		HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY
PHYLLIS LEWIS BOARD SECRETARY	_	JOSH LEVY, CHAIR
APPROVED AS TO FORM:		
DOUGLAS R. GONZALES GENERAL COUNSEL		