

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA, RATIFYING THE SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION TO THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE FY 23 WORK ZONE SAFETY GRANT; AUTHORIZING THE APPROPRIATE CITY OFFICIALS TO ACCEPT, IF AWARDED, THE GRANT IN AN APPROXIMATE AMOUNT OF \$50,000.00 IN ORDER TO PURCHASE A SPEED MEASUREMENT MESSAGE TRAILER AND FUND PERSONNEL COSTS FOR DIRECTED HIGH VISIBILITY ENFORCEMENT OPERATIONS; AUTHORIZING THE APPROPRIATE CITY OFFICIALS TO EXECUTE APPLICABLE GRANT DOCUMENTS.

WHEREAS, the Police Department submitted an application to the Florida Department of Transportation ("FDOT") for the Work Zone Safety Grant; and

WHEREAS, the FDOT grant is focused on combating work zone accidents, and has made grant funding available to Florida law enforcement agencies; and

WHEREAS, work zone accidents have become more frequent in the City; and

WHEREAS, current speed measurement and message trailers in use by the Police Department are built with outdated technology; and

WHEREAS, speed measurement and message trailer equipment made with new technology allows officers to more efficiently, effectively and safely issue warnings and conduct enforcement; and

WHEREAS, there is presently no available funding in the City budget for the replacement of any future speed measurement devices; and

WHEREAS, the acceptance of grant funds does not require a contribution of matching funds and will incur no cost to the taxpayers of the City; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police recommends that the City Commission authorize the appropriate City officials to accept, if awarded, FY 23 FDOT Work Zone Safety Grant funds in the amount of \$50,000.00.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HOLLYWOOD, FLORIDA:

Section 1: That the foregoing “WHEREAS” clauses are ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are incorporated in this Resolution.

Section 2: That it ratifies the submission of the application for the FY 23 FDOT Work Zone Safety Grant funds.

Section 3: That the City Manager is authorized to accept the grant, if awarded, provided that the City Manager shall have the discretion to refuse the grant if he determines it is in the best interest of the City to do so, in which case he shall advise the City Commission of his intention to refuse the grant.

Section 4: That it approves and authorizes the appropriate City officials to execute all grant documents upon receiving the grant funds, together with such non-material changes as may be acceptable to the City Manager and approved as to form and legal sufficiency by the City Attorney.

Section 5: That this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2022.

JOSH LEVY, MAYOR

ATTEST:

PATRICIA A. CERNY, MMC
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL
SUFFICIENCY for the use and reliance
of the City of Hollywood, Florida, only.

DOUGLAS R. GONZALES
CITY ATTORNEY