

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-036

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF COCONUT CREEK, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF EIGHT THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED ONE DOLLARS (\$8,801); AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER, OR DESIGNEE, TO EXECUTE THE ATTACHED AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT (FDLE) AND THE CITY OF COCONUT CREEK FOR THE BICYCLE PATROL PROGRAM; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Coconut Creek applied for and was awarded the Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) for the Bicycle Patrol Program by FDLE; and

WHEREAS, the grant funds will be used to purchase professional bicycle patrol equipment and protective gear to outfit the dedicated Bicycle Patrol Services (BPS) unit; and

WHEREAS, the BPS will supplement the patrol function in areas of the City that are identified as more advantageous for bicycle coverage than a patrol vehicle; and

WHEREAS, the grant provides Eight Thousand Eight Hundred One Dollars (\$8,801) to assist with the purchase of the necessary equipment to outfit the unit, such as bicycles, patrol lights, trailer hitches, locking devices, patrol bike repair stands, floor pumps, helmets, gloves, water bottles, and seat covers; and

WHEREAS, another advantage of BPS is that it presents more opportunities to get closer to the community, showing personalized presence and providing peace of mind to residents.

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

Section 1: That the foregoing "WHEREAS" clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are hereby made a specific part of this resolution.

All exhibits attached hereto are incorporated herein and made a specific part of this resolution.

Section 2: That the City Commission hereby accepts the FDLE JAG for the Bicycle Patrol Program in the amount of \$8,801.

Section 3: That the City Commission has reviewed and hereby approves the attached agreement between FDLE and the City for the purpose of purchasing professional bicycle patrol equipment and protective gear to outfit the dedicated BPS unit.

Section 4: That the City Manager, or designee, is hereby authorized to execute said agreement between FDLE and the City, attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Section 5: That if any clause, section, other part or application of this resolution is held by any court of competent jurisdiction to be unconstitutional or invalid, in part or in application, it shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion or applications of this resolution.

Section 6: That this resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption.

Adopted this 11th day of March, 2021.

Louis Sarbone, Mayor

Attest:

Leslie Wallace May, City Clerk

Sarbone Aye

Rydell Aye

Tooley Aye

Belvedere Aye

Welch Aye