## RESOLUTION NO. 17-\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL THE TOWN OF CUTLER BAY, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING A GRANT FROM THE **FLORIDA DEPARTMENT TRANSPORTATION OF** (FDOT); APPROVING THE LOCAL AGENCY PROGRAM (LAP) AGREEMENT WITH FDOT FOR THE MANTA DRIVE ROADWAY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT; PROVIDING FOR AUTHORIZATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

- **WHEREAS**, the Town of Cutler Bay (the "Town") has submitted a request for funding to the Florida Department of Transportation ("FDOT") through the Transportation Alternatives Program ("TAP") Grant (the "Grant"); and
- **WHEREAS**, on November 7, 2016, the Miami-Dade Transportation Planning Organization (the "TPO") notified the Town that it had adopted Resolution No. 65-16 approving a list of TAP priority projects, which included a recommendation for a TAP Grant award to the Town in the amount of \$344,260.00; and
- **WHEREAS,** on June 22, 2017, the TPO adopted Resolution No. 21-17, approving the Town's TAP Grant award of \$344,260.00 as part of the TPO's 2018 Transportation Improvement Program; and
- **WHEREAS**, the TAP Grant funding supports the Manta Drive Roadway Improvement Project (the "Project"), which is located on Manta Drive from Marlin Road to Old Cutler Road; and
- **WHEREAS,** in order to receive funding for the Project, the Town is required to enter into a Local Agency Program ("LAP") Agreement with FDOT; and
- **WHEREAS,** the Town Council desires to accept the TAP Grant and authorize the Town Manager to execute the LAP Agreement for the award of the Project funds to the Town ("Agreement"), which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and made part hereof; and
- **WHEREAS**, the Town Council finds that the adoption of this Resolution is in the best interest and welfare of the residents of the Town.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CUTLER BAY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:
- **Section 1. Recitals.** The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by this reference.
  - **Section 2. Accepting Grant.** The Town Council hereby accepts the TAP Grant.

Approving Agreement. The Town Council hereby approves the LAP Section 3. Agreement with FDOT relating to the award of the TAP Grant for the Manta Drive Roadway Improvement Project to the Town in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit "A." Authorization. The Town Manager is authorized to execute the LAP Section 4. Agreement with FDOT in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit "A," on behalf of the Town, subject to approval by the Town Attorney as to form, content and legal sufficiency. Effective Date. This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon Section 5. adoption. PASSED and ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_ day of October, 2017. PEGGY R. BELL Mayor Attest: DEBRA E. EASTMAN, MMC Town Clerk APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY FOR THE SOLE USE OF THE TOWN OF CUTLER BAY: WEISS SEROTA HELFMAN COLE & BIERMAN, P.L. Town Attorney Moved By: Seconded By: FINAL VOTE AT ADOPTION: Mayor Peggy R. Bell Vice Mayor Sue Ellen Loyzelle Councilmember Mary Ann Mixon

Councilmember Michael P. Callahan

Councilmember Roger Coriat