

RESOLUTION 2022-046

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING THE SUBMISSION OF THE SOUTHWEST MEADOWS SANCTUARY DRAINAGE AND WATER QUALITY PROJECT TO CONGRESSWOMAN WASSERMAN SCHULTZ TO BE CONSIDERED TO FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023 COMMUNITY PROJECT FUNDING; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, TOWN ADMINISTRATOR, AND TOWN ATTORNEY TO EXECUTE ANY AND ALL DOCUMENTS DEEMED NECESSARY TO HELP EFFECTUATE THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the House Appropriations Committee announced that the Committee will accept requests for community project funding (CPF), formerly known as earmarks, for the Fiscal Year 2023 appropriations process; and

WHEREAS, through the new CPF program, Members of Congress will be able to request direct funding for specific entities in their districts to serve the public good and ensure that taxpayers get a greater say in the federal spending process; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Southwest Meadows Sanctuary Drainage and Water Quality Project is multi-faceted, with one objective set to reduce stormwater staging on both Griffin Road and Dykes Road, and the other to significantly improve water quality by reducing the amount of nutrients that get introduced into our primary and secondary canals; and

WHEREAS, officials of the Town of Southwest Ranches feel that it is in the best interest of the citizens of the Town of Southwest Ranches to endorse said project; and

WHEREAS, Southwest Meadows Sanctuary Drainage and Water Quality Project will be constructed within the Town of Southwest Ranches; and

WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of Town of Southwest Ranches, to maintain or to coordinate the maintenance of the project after its completion; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Southwest Ranches hereby endorses the Southwest Meadows Sanctuary Drainage and Water Quality Project and will provide technical assistance when available and needed for the duration of the project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, FLORIDA:

Section 1. The above-referenced recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2. The Town Council hereby supports submitting the Southwest Meadows Sanctuary Drainage and Water Quality Project specified herein for federal community project funding consideration.

Section 3. The Town Council hereby authorizes the Mayor, Town Administrator, and Town Attorney to execute any and all documents necessary to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

Section 4. That this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Southwest

Ranches, Florida, this 14th day of April 2022 on a motion by

Chm Allbritton and seconded by Vlm Jablonski.

Breitkreuz	<u>yes</u>
Jablonski	<u>yes</u>
Allbritton	<u>yes</u>
Hartmann	<u>yes</u>
Kuczenski	<u>yes</u>

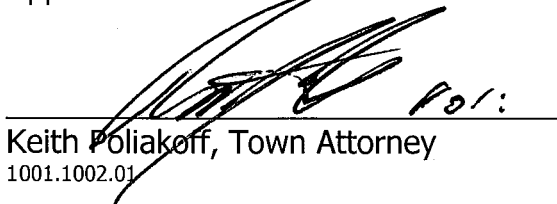
Ayes	<u>5</u>
Nays	<u>0</u>
Absent	<u>0</u>
Abstaining	<u>0</u>


Steve Breitkreuz, Mayor

Attest:


Russell Muñiz, Assistant Town Administrator/Town Clerk

Approved as to Form and Correctness:


Keith Poliakoff, Town Attorney
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