

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MARTIN COUNTY FLORIDA**

RESOLUTION NO 22-7.9

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN APPLICATION FOR
FUNDS UNDER CHAPTER 161, FLORIDA STATUTES**

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners, Martin County, Florida, agrees to act as the project manager for a beach renourishment project at Bathtub Beach/Sailfish Point in Martin County; and,

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners fully supports this project; and,

WHEREAS, the beach erosion control and shore preservation program will provide increased levels of public safety, water quality within the Indian River Lagoon and St. Lucie Estuary, turtle nesting habitat, coastal structure and upland shore protection, hurricane protection, recreational beach use, and maintain required navigable waterways; and,

WHEREAS, the County in partnership with Sailfish Point has interest in designing and permitting an engineered beach renourishment project; and

WHEREAS, under the provisions of Section 161.101, Florida Statutes, the Florida Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Beaches and Coastal Systems is accepting Grant Applications in an amount not exceeding 50% of the total costs of such project.

WHEREAS, the Martin County Board of County Commissioners fully supports the proposed project, is willing to serve as the local sponsor, is committed to providing the local cost share and plans to approve the project funding as part of the County's Capital Improvement Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners, Martin County, Florida; that

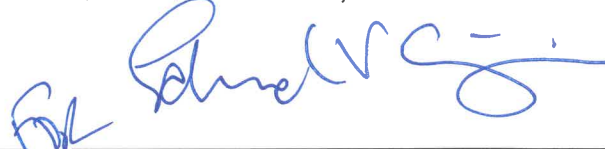
- 1.) The Florida Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Beaches and Coastal Systems, is requested to approve and support the maximum State funding allowed for the Bathtub Beach/Sailfish Point Renourishment Project application for Fiscal Year 2023/2024, and
- 2.) Martin County will provide the local share, in accordance with the State Legislature's appropriation.

DULY PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 12 DAY OF JULY, 2022

ATTEST:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MARTIN COUNTY, FLORIDA


CAROLYN TIMMANN, CLERK OF THE
CIRCUIT COURT AND COMPTROLLER


DOUG SMITH, CHAIRMAN

APPROVED AS TO FORM & LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:


SARAH W. WOODS, COUNTY ATTORNEY