RESOLUTION NO. CRA-04-2020

RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF N.W. 7TH AVENUE CORRIDOR COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 03-2020 TO AMEND THE EMERGENCY GRANT PROGRAM IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$600,000.00 FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING FUNDING A MINIMUM OF SMALL BUSINESSES LOCATED IN REDEVELOPMENT AREA AND WHICH HAVE BEEN NEGATIVELY IMPACTED BY THE ORDERED SHUT DOWN OF NON-ESSENTIAL BUSINESSES BY THE GOVERNOR AND THE COUNTY MAYOR DUE TO THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS DISEASES 2019 (COVID-19) PANDEMIC; AUTHORIZING THE **EXECUTIVE** DIRECTOR. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S DESIGNEE OR SUCH OTHER REPRESENTATIVE OF THE AGENCY TO EXECUTE GRANT AGREEMENTS WITH THE BUSINESSES APPROVED FOR FUNDING THROUGH THE GRANT PROGRAM AND TO EXERCISE ALL PROVISIONS CONTAINED THEREIN WITHOUT FURTHER BOARD APPROVAL

WHEREAS, this Board desires to accomplish the purposes outlined in the accompanying memorandum, a copy of which is incorporated herein by reference,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE N.W. 7TH AVENUE CORRIDOR COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY, that:

<u>Section 1</u>. The matter contained in the foregoing recital is incorporated in this Resolution by reference.

Section 2. This Board hereby amends Resolution No. 03-2020 to amend the emergency grant program ("Grant Program"), as set forth in the accompanying memorandum, in an amount not to exceed \$600,000.00 for the purpose of providing funding for a minimum of 85 small businesses located in the Redevelopment Area and which have been negatively impacted by the ordered shut down of non-essential businesses by the Governor and the County Mayor

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due to the novel coronavirus diseases 2019 (COVID-19) pandemic, as more fully described in Exhibit 1 attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference. This Board further authorizes the Executive Director, Executive Director's designee or such other representative of the Agency to execute grant agreements with the businesses approved for funding through the Grant Program and to exercise all provisions contained therein without further Board approval.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Commissioner Gene Lomando, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Yvonne White Edwards, and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Dr. Mae D. Bryant, Chairwoman Eugene Aye
Lomando, Vice Chairman Aye
Charesse Chester Aye Mack Samuel Aye
John L. Gay, Jr. Aye Yvonnne White Edwards Aye

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 12th day of June, 2020.

N.W. 7th AVENUE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY AND ITS BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Mack Samuel, CRA Secretary

Approved by CRA Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.

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Terrence A. Smith