MEMORANDUM

TO: Tom Harmer, Town Manager

FROM: Isaac Brownman, Public Works Director

DATE: March 21, 2019

SUBJECT: Resolution 2019-04, Annual Beach Funding Resolution

Recommended Action

Pass Resolution 2019-04.

Background

The State of Florida Beach Management Funding Assistance Program has been a recurring source of funding for the Town's beach nourishment projects. Each year the Town Commission passes a beach funding resolution to accompany its Local Government Funding Request application for State grants.

The Town submits an annual cost-share funding request for this program in June. Each funding request requires a resolution from the local agency in support of, and confirming, the Town's ability to fund each project.

Resolution 2019-04 is our general resolution for cost sharing funds for work the Town may undertake in the future relative to design, permitting and construction, of sand placement projects as well as other structures. Typically, the eligible portions of the project costs are reimbursed by the State on a 22.79% basis based on Legislative appropriated funds.

Resolution 2019-04 is placed on the April 1, 2019 Regular Meeting Consent Agenda Town Commission review and approval.

Staff Recommendation

Pass Resolution 2019-04

Attachment

Resolution 2019-04

RESOLUTION 2019-04

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF LONGBOAT KEY, FLORIDA, REQUESTING APPROVAL BY THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION OF A TOWN APPLICATION FOR FUNDS FOR A COMPREHENSIVE BEACH MANAGEMENT PLAN AS PROVIDED UNDER CHAPTER 161, FLORIDA STATUTES; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town of Longboat Key has long supported prudent beach erosion control measures and comprehensive management of the Town's shoreline; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Longboat Key supports the Department of Environmental Protection's beach and coastal management programs; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Longboat Key intends to work cooperatively with other regional agencies to undertake joint projects to facilitate project cost savings; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Longboat Key supports the necessary beach maintenance renourishment under our Comprehensive Beach Management Plan, will serve as local sponsor, and has the ability to fund the local share to implement the maintenance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF LONGBOAT KEY, FLORIDA, THAT:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> The above Whereas clauses are hereby incorporated, ratified, and confirmed as true and correct.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> The Florida Department of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Beaches and Coastal Systems, is hereby requested to approve the Town's Funding Application for the purpose of maintaining the Town's beaches through its Comprehensive Beach Management Plan.

SECTION 3.	This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption
PASSED at a m	neeting of the Town Commission of Longboat Key, Florida the, 2019.
ATTEST:	George L. Spoll, Mayor
Trish Shinkle, Town Cl	<u> </u>

End of Agenda Item