RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIVIERA BEACH, PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF FINANCE & ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES TO APPROPRIATE \$150,000.00 FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT SERVICES RESERVES BUDGET TO ACCOUNT NUMBER 10117101-531000, AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, increased land use, zoning, and Code Compliance legal matters addressing the City's Comprehensive Plan, wetlands, submerged lands, and riparian rights have resulted in additional reliance on specialized legal services provided to the City; and

WHEREAS, the increase in legal issues governing these specialized areas of law are likely to continue through the end of Fiscal Year 2020-21; and

WHEREAS, the Development Services Department has \$3,480,682 in unappropriated reserves available for supplemental appropriation; and

WHEREAS, the Development Services Department requests a transfer of sufficient funds to cover approximately \$75,000.00 in outstanding balances for legal services previously rendered on behalf of the City, as well as, to cover future anticipated FY20-21 legal expenses; and

WHEREAS, any transferred funds not expended on professional services for FY20-21 will be returned to the Development Services Department unappropriated reserves account; and

WHEREAS, approval of this Resolution is in the best interests of the City in providing and remitting payment for specialized, professional legal representation and advice to the Department of Development Services to further support the goals and objectives of the City Council, City Manager, and the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIVIERA BEACH, FLORIDA THAT:

SECTION 1. The Director of Finance and Administrative Services is authorized to appropriate \$150,000.00 into account **10117101-531000 for the purpose of remitting payment for outside legal services to the Department of Development Services.**

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<u>SECTION 2.</u> That the Resolution takes effect upon its passage and approval by City Council.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS DAY OF _____, 2021.

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APPROVED:

RONNIE L. FELDER MAYOR

ATTEST:

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DAWN S. WYNN, CITY ATTORNEY

DATE: _____