

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIVIERA BEACH, PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA, IN SUPPORT OF THE 2013 LAKE WORTH LAGOON MANAGEMENT PLAN.

WHEREAS, the Lake Worth Lagoon restoration efforts have been underway since 1998 and the State of Florida designated the lagoon a priority water body in the 2004 Florida Statutes Chapter 373.453; and

WHEREAS, in 2008, the Lake Worth Lagoon Initiative (LWLI) was established to provide interagency coordination with the purpose of seeking awareness, support and legislative funding assistance for projects that will improve and protect the natural resources within the watershed; and

WHEREAS, the LWLI provides partnerships between government agencies and stakeholders that incorporate and combine funding acquisition support, outreach and technical expertise, increase stakeholder and public awareness; and

WHEREAS, the 2013 Lake Worth Lagoon Management Plan Update (LWLMP) is a revision to the 1998 & 2008 LWL Management Plans, which outline actions and projects to restore the ecological health of the water body; and

WHEREAS, the City of Riviera Beach desires to support the 2013 LWLMP, which provides for the following elements:

Continued construction of priority environmental enhancement and restoration projects, increase stakeholder participation, increase partnering efforts for funding support and acquisition, complete Action Plans, increase public awareness and outreach efforts, and prioritize and combine data collection efforts to assess project successes and guide future management decisions; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIVIERA BEACH, PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The City Council is hereby in support of the 2013 Lake Worth Lagoon Management Plan.

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

PASSED and APPROVED this _____ day of _____, 2016.

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