



COUNCIL AGENDA STATEMENT

Meeting Date: July 23, 2024,
To: Honorable Mayor and Councilmembers
From: Maria Covelli, Grants Coordinator
Through: George Garrett, City Manager

Agenda Item: **Resolution 2024-58**, Approving Grant Agreement Between The City And The Division of State Fire Marshal Florida Department of Financial Services purchase of Fire Rescue Marine Emergency Response Vehicle; Appropriating Funds; And Providing For An Effective Date

BACKGROUND & JUSTIFICATION:

The Division of State Fire Marshal/Florida Department of Financial Services awarded the City of Marathon Fire Rescue Service a grant through the 2024 Florida Legislature Appropriations Funds for the purchase of a Fire Rescue Marine Emergency Response Vehicle. The grant amount is \$150,000.00. The total cost of the purchase is approximately \$300,000.00, with the City funding the difference.

ATTACHMENTS

Grant Contract

CONSISTENCY CHECKLIST:

| | Yes | No |
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| 1. Comprehensive Plan – Chapter 8 | <u> X </u> | _____ |
| 2. Other: | _____ | _____ |

FISCAL NOTE:

If approved, appropriations will be included in the FY25 Capital Infrastructure budget for the grant revenue and boat purchase.

RECOMMENDATION: Approval of Resolution

Sponsored by: Garrett

**CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA
RESOLUTION 2024-58**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, APPROVING A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$150,000.00 FROM THE DIVISIONS OF STATE FIRE MARSHAL/FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES TO ASSIST IN THE PURCHASE OF A FIRE RESCUE MARINE EMERGENCY RESPONSE VESSEL; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City of Marathon, has submitted appropriations grant application; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marathon has been awarded and will accept \$150,000.00 appropriations grant from the State Fire Marshal/Florida Department of Financial Services and provide a local match of \$150,000.00 to purchase a fire rescue marine emergency response vessel; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marathon believes that a fire rescue marine emergency response vessel will help improve life safety of all those visiting and living in the City; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marathon, in good faith, will accept this grant award which can only be reversed with a super majority vote.

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

Section 1. The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein

Section 2. The City of Marathon will collaborate with the Florida Department of Financial Services for reimbursement of funds expended.

Section 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, THIS 23rd DAY OF JULY 2024.

THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA

Mayor Robyn Still

AYES:
NOES:
ABSENT:
ABSTAIN:

ATTEST:

Diane Clavier, City Clerk

(City Seal)

**APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY FOR THE USE AND RELIANCE OF THE
CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA ONLY:**

Steve Williams, City Attorney