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**CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA
RESOLUTION 2003-104**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, TO SUPPORT THE BOATING INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT APPLICATION FOR THE FUNDING TO CONSTRUCT TRANSIENT DOCKAGE AT THE BOOT KEY HARBOR CITY MARINA.

WHEREAS, the Boating Infrastructure Grant Program (BIGP) makes federal matching funds available to states to help build transient moorage or docking facilities for non-trailerable boats 26 feet and over in length; and

WHEREAS, the short term transient boater is an important customer base in our City waters and is recognized as a vital part of overall tourism to the City; and

WHEREAS, the Masterplan for the Boot Key Harbor City Marina has identified approximately 520 linear feet of dockage for transient mooring that meets the parameters and requirements for the BIGP application; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marathon wishes to begin as a priority, the marina development with the transient moorage docks which are currently permitted.

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

Section 1. Council support the request and application for matching funding of the BIGP grant for \$100,000 to assist the City in development of the City Marina for the transient boating public.

Section 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Marathon, Florida, this 12th day of August, 2003.

THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA


Randy Mearns, Mayor

AYES: Bartus, Pinkus, Repetto, Worthington, Mearns
NOES: None
ABSENT: None
ABSTAIN: None


ATTEST:



Cindy L. Ecklund
City Clerk

(City Seal)

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



CITY ATTORNEY