CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA RESOLUTION 2008-68

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING ACQUIRING AN EASEMENT FROM F. JAMES CHAPLIN, BETTYE CHAPLIN AND THE CECELIA C. CHAPLIN REVOCABLE TRUST FOR AN EASEMENT FOR THE SERVICE AREA 4 SEWER PROJECT AT AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT CHARGE APPLICABLE TO THE PROPERTY BURDENED BY THE EASEMENT

WHEREAS, this easement is necessary in order to provide a wastewater connection for the area 4 sewer project; and

WHEREAS, this easement would be provided in exchange for the value of the System Development Charge for this commercial property; and

WHEREAS, the engineering alternative to this easement would cost substantially more than the system development charge for this commercial property.

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 incorporated herein.
- **Section 2**. Council authorizes acquiring the Easement From F. James Chaplin, Bettye Chaplin And The Cecelia C. Chaplin Revocable Trust, attached as exhibit A For An Easement For The Service Area 4 Sewer Project At An Amount Equal To The System Development Charge
- **Section 3**. The City Clerk is directed to record the easement in the public records of Monroe County, Florida.
- **Section 4.** This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Marathon, Florida, this 29th day of April, 2008.

THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA

Edward P. Worthington, Mayor

AYES: Bull, Cinque, Tempest, Vasil, Worthington

NOES: None ABSENT: None ABSTAIN: None

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:

Jimmy Morales, City Attorney

GRANT OF WATER AND WASTEWATER EASEMENT

It is hereby agreed that F. James Chaplin and Bettye B. Chaplin, his wife and F. James Chaplin Trustee of the Cecelia C. Chaplin Revocable Trust (herein referred to as "Grantor") for and in consideration of the sum of ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Grantor, paid by the City of Marathon (hereinafter referred to as "City"), does grant, sell and convey, unto City an easement under the following terms and conditions:

1. Grantor hereby grants to the City an easement under, over, across and upon the following described property:

(See Exhibit A attached hereto and by reference made a part hereof)

- 2. City, its successors and assigns, shall have the right to construct, reconstruct, lay, install, operate, maintain, relocate, repair, replace, improve, remove, and inspect water transmission distribution facilities, wastewater collection and transmission facilities, and all appurtenances thereto and shall have full right of ingress and egress thereto and therefrom over and across the easement area. Notwithstanding the foregoing, however, no existing improvement shall be disturbed or removed.
- 3. Grantor shall furnish and maintain the easement area free of and clear from any obstruction and shall not construct, place, or allow the placing or construction of any obstruction which would interfere with City's safe or proper installation, operation, maintenance, inspection, or removal of the wastewater collection and transmission facilities, and all the appurtenances thereto located in the easement area. Grantor shall

have the right to make any other use of the easement area which does not interfere with the City's rights.

- 4. Any obstruction to the safe or proper operation, maintenance, inspection, or removal of City wastewater collection and transmissions facilities, and all appurtenances thereto may by removed by the City at Grantor's expense.
- Grantor shall bear the cost of any relocation or modification of said facilities when the change is necessitated by Grantor's requirements or those of any utility other than the City.
- 6. Grantee shall hold Grantor harmless for the acts and omissions of its officers, employees, agents and contractors, and upon the representation that Grantee is a state governmental agency as defined by Florida Statutes and shall maintain suitable Public Liability insurance or be self-insured, in amounts adequate to respond to any and all claims within the limitations of Florida Statute 768.28 arising out of the activities authorized in this easement, as reflected by the Grantee's acceptance of the conditions below.
- 7. All covenants, stipulations, terms, conditions, and provisions of this agreement shall extend to and be made binding upon respective successors and assigns of City and Grantor. It is intended that this agreement shall be recorded and be binding upon future owners of the above described property and the City, and all successors thereto.
- 8. The Grantor does hereby warrant it has full power of City to grant this easement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Grantor has hereunto set its hand and seal this day of

City of Marathon

9805 Overseas Highway Marathon, Florida 33050

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in the presence of: Bettye B. Chaplin Chaplin, Trustee of The Cecelia C. Charlin Revocable Trust Witness STATE OF FLORIDA SS **COUNTY OF MONROE** The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me on this 5 day of _, 2008. Notary Public - State of Florida at Large My Commission Expires: 5/8/2010This instrument was prepared by: 1-800-3-NOTARY Susie Thomas

