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WHEREAS, there presently exists a certain public right-of-way within the City of Marathon, Florida, Located At 58090 Overseas Highway, Described As Crains Subdivision, Plat book 1, Page 51, South Side of Flagler Street to Ocean, Lot 11, Block 36, Grassy Key, Nearest Mile Marker 58, Monroe County, Florida and as particularly described in the attached survey (Exhibit "A); and

WHEREAS, Andrew Ponnock has requested that the City of Marathon, Florida (the "City"), in accordance with Section 26-1 of the City Code, abandon the Right-of-Way; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the Right-of-Way is not needed and may be abandoned without adversely affecting the public interest; and

WHEREAS, the Right-of-Way lies wholly within the corporate boundaries of the City and within the City's ownership and authority to abandon; and

WHEREAS, a public hearing to vacate the Right-of-Way was held on June 8th 2021 the City has determined that no federal, state or county rights-of-way are involved or affected, and that granting the request for abandonment of the Right-of-Way subject to conditions will not be detrimental to the public health, safety and welfare; and

WHEREAS, the City has determined the Applicant's request meets all of the requirements of Section 26-1 of the City Code for the abandonment of the Right-of-Way.

WHEREAS, THE City Council has made the following findings of fact pursuant to Section 26-9 of the Code of the City of Marathon:

- a) The abandonment of this right-of-way will not adversely affect the operations and functions of the City because with a grant of utility easement to continue maintenance of its sewer facilities.
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- e) The applicants own all of the properties adjacent to and abutting the right-of-way; therefore, this criterion does not apply.
- f) The proposed abandonment will not interfere with utility services being provided, or unreasonably affect any utility easement.

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 they and all conditions required of Applicants are hereby incorporated as if fully stated herein.

Section 2. Pursuant to the request by the Applicant to vacate the Right-of-Way, the City releases, vacates, abandons, discontinues, renounces and disclaims all rights of the City and the public in and to the Right-of-Way, as legally described on Exhibit "A", subject to the following conditions:

- (1) The Applicant will convey a utility easement to all utilities on, under Flagler Street Right-of Way described in Exhibit "B."
- (2) Said conditions as promulgated above shall be met by the applicant within sixty (60) days of the effective date of this Resolution.
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Section 3. The City Clerk shall forward a certified copy this Resolution to the Applicant, who shall be responsible for all costs incurred in recording this instrument in the public records of Monroe County, Florida. The Applicant shall provide the City evidence of the recording of this Resolution and the Easement within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this Resolution.

Section 4. The City reserves all rights to itself for the placement, operation and maintenance of all necessary City roads, structures and utilities including, but not limited to, stormwater and wastewater improvements and appurtenant facilities above and below that portion of the Right-of-Way not vacated by this Resolution.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, THIS 8TH DAY OF JUNE, 2021.

THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA

AYES:Bartus, Cook, Senmartin, Zieg, GonzalezNOES:NoneABSENT:NoneABSTAIN:None

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> EXHIBIT "B" UTILITY EASEMENT

THIS INSTRUMENT PREPARED BY AND SHOULD BE RETURNED TO:

Brian Shea CITY OF MARATHON PLANNING DIRECTOR 9805 Overseas Hwy Marathon, FL 33050 (305) 289-4100

Folio No. 00371040-000000

UTILITY EASEMENT

THIS UTILITY EASEMENT (this "Easement") is made this 15 day of 50 day of

RECITALS:

GRANTOR owns fee simple title to certain real property located in Monroe County, Florida, as more particularly described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof (the "Property").

GRANTOR has agreed to grant to GRANTEE a non-exclusive, perpetual utility easement as well as ingress and egress in, over, under, and upon the Property for the purpose of installing, constructing, maintaining, operating, repairing and replacing overhead and underground utility facilities on the Property, subject to the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the premises and the sum of TEN AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto do hereby agree as follows:

1. <u>Recitals.</u> The parties acknowledge that the foregoing recitals are true and correct and hereby incorporated into this Easement as if fully set forth herein.

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2. Grant of Easement. GRANTOR does hereby grant and convey to the GRANTEE and its licensees, successors and assigns, the non-exclusive, perpetual right, power, privilege and easement to regularly or at any time and for any length of time to install, construct, maintain, operate, repair and replace overhead and underground electric utility facilities on the Property (including wires, poles, guys, raceways, cables, conduits and appurtenant equipment) to be installed from time to time; with the right to reconstruct, improve, add to, enlarge, change the voltage, as well as, the size of and remove such facilities or any of them. This Easement also includes the right to permit any other person, firm or corporation to attach wires to any facilities hereunder and lay cable and conduit within the Easement and to operate the same for communications purposes; the right of ingress and egress to said Property at all times; the right to clear the land and keep it cleared of all trees, undergrowth and other obstructions within the Property; to trim and cut and keep trimmed and cut all dead, weak, leaning or dangerous tress or limbs outside of the Property which might interfere with or fall upon the lines or systems of communications or power transmission or distribution; and further grants, to the fullest extent the undersigned has the power to grant, if at all, the rights hereinabove granted on the land heretofore described, over, along, under and across the roads, streets or highways adjoining or through said Property.

3. <u>Warranties and Representations</u>. GRANTOR does hereby covenant with the GRANTEE, that (a) it is lawfully seized and possessed of the Property; (b) it has good and lawful right to enter into this Easement and convey said Easement; (c) all applicable required authorizations, approvals or consents have been obtained and no other authorizations, approvals or consents are required to effectuate GRANTOR's execution and delivery of this Easement; and (d) it acknowledges that GRANTEE is materially relying on the representations as herein expressed.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, GRANTOR has caused these presents to be executed by its duly authorized officer or representative as of the day and year first above written.

WITNESSES: Print Name: Print Name: Fineman

GRANTOR Print Name: Andrew Ponnock MARGE 58090, LUC

STATE OF FLORIDA) SS: COUNTY OF MONROE)

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that on this $\frac{15}{15}$ day of $\frac{1000}{1000}$, 2021, before me, an officer duly authorized to take acknowledgements in the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Andrew Ponnock, who is personally known to me or produced as identification.

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NOTARY PUBLIC Print Name:

My Commission Expires:

Sponsored by: Garrett

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Exhibit A Copy – Original to be Provided by Applicant to Clerk of Court for Recordation

