Sponsored by: Puto

Introduction Date: January 9, 2007

Public Hearing Dates: January 9 and 23, 2007

Enactment date: January 23, 2007

CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA ORDINANCE 2007-01

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, CREATING SECTION 16-8 STANDARDS FOR UTILITY PERMITTING AND ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIRS: PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF ALL CODE PROVISIONS AND **ORDINANCES INCONSISTENT** WITH THIS **ORDINANCE: PROVIDING** FOR **SEVERABILITY**; **PROVIDING FOR** INCORPORATION INTO THE CITY OF MARATHON CODE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City of Marathon (the "City") has jurisdiction over certain streets, roads and bridges located within the boundaries of the City;

WHEREAS, the City wishes to establish standards to govern (i) utility permitting on City rights-of-way, and (ii) road and bridge construction and repairs within the City;

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation ("FDOT") has adopted standards for utility permitting and construction and repairs on state roads and bridges; and

WHEREAS, the City now wishes to adopt the FDOT standards for purposes of utility permitting and work performed on City streets, roads and bridges;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

- **Section 1.** The above recitals are hereby confirmed and adopted.
- **Section 2.** Section 16-8 of the City Code is hereby created to read as follows:

Sec. 16-8. Standards for Road and Bridge Construction and Repairs

All utility permitting on rights-of-way and construction, repairs and maintenance of roads, streets and bridges located in the City of Marathon which are owned by or dedicated to the City shall be performed in accordance with the following:

1. The Florida Department of Transportation Utility Accommodation Manual (latest edition),

- 2. The Florida Department of Transportation Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction (latest edition), and
- 3. The Florida Department of Transportation Design Standards for Design, Construction, Maintenance and Utility Operation on the State Highway System (latest edition).

The City Manager or his designee may, in his sole discretion, grant exceptions to certain aspects of these standards on a case-by-case basis.

- **Section 3.** If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or provision of this ordinance is held invalid, the remainder of this ordinance shall not be affected by such invalidity.
- **Section 4.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of said conflict.
- **Section 5.** The provisions of this ordinance shall be included and incorporated in the Code of The City of Marathon, Florida, as an addition or amendment thereto, and shall be appropriately renumbered to conform to the uniform numbering system of the Code.
 - **Section 6.** This Ordinance shall be effective immediately upon enactment.

ENACTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, this 23rd day of January 2007.

THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA

Christopher M. Bull, Mayor

AYES:

Worthington, Pinkus, Mearns, Tempest, Bull

NOES:

None

ABSENT:

None

ABSTAIN:

None

ATTEST:

Diane Clavier City Clerk

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

City Attorney

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