City of Marathon
City Council Action Minutes
September 8, 2026 5:30 pm City Council Meeting Minutes

CALL TO ORDER – A City Council Meeting of the City of Marathon, Florida was held on September 8, 2026, in the Marathon Council Chambers, 9805 Overseas Hwy., Marathon, Florida, Mayor Lynny Del Gaizo called the meeting to order at 5:30 pm.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Mayor Del Gaizo asked for a moment of silence in memory of former Mayor and Councilmember Mike Cinque.

ROLL CALL - There were present:

Councilmember Landry

Councilmember Matlock

Councilmember Still

Vice Mayor Struyf

Mayor Del Gaizo, comprising a quorum.

Also, in attendance were:

City Attorney/Interim City Manager, Steve Williams

City Clerk, Diane Clavier

Finance Director, Jennifer Johnson

Planning Director, Brian Shea

Senior Planner, Dan Gilizio

Building Official, Gerard Roussin

Deputy City Manager, Brian Bradley

HR Director, Evie Engelmeyer

It Director, Henry Kokenzie

Code Director, Ted Lozier

City Engineer, Carlos Solis

Public Works Director, Paul Bartnik

Parks Director, Scott Williamson

Deputy Utilities Director, Libby Soldano

Fire Chief Shana Rogers

MCSO Capt. Derek Paul

Approval Of Agenda and Consent Agenda

Still removed Resolution 2026-78 from the consent agenda. Landry removed Resolution 2026-83 from the consent agenda. Matlock removed Resolutions 2026-84 and 85 from the consent agenda. Clavier removed resolutions 2026-87 and 2026-88 from the consent agenda for public comment.

MOTION: Landry moved to approve the agenda as amended
SECOND: Still

With no objection from the members of the Council, Mayor DelGaizo declared the agenda approved as amended.

City Council Items

***A.** Approval of Minutes
B. Patriot Day Proclamation – the Council presented the proclamation to Chief Rogers.
C. Diaper Need Awareness Week Proclamation (Councilmember Still) Council presented the proclamation to Alanna Dixon with Florida Keys Healthy Start Coalition.
D. National Scenic Byway Day Proclamation – Council presented the proclamation to Planning Director Shea.
E. Approval to Sell Alcohol on September 27th After the Bell Community Picnic; a Back-to-School Break Event at Oceanfront Park – Council gave a head nod of approval
F. Parade for witches in the Hammock on October 17th Discussion (Councilmember Still) – Council approved the parade, subject to required agency coordination and permits.

City Manager Report

* **A.** MCSO Marathon Substation Report
* **B.** Grants Report
* **C.** Public Works Report
* **D.** Park and Recreation Report
* **E.** Engineering Report
* **F.** Marina Report
* **G.** Code Report
* **H.** Wastewater Utilities Report
* **I.** Building Report
* **J.** Marathon Fire Rescue Report
* **K.** Florida Commerce ACSC Administration Permit Contact Line (Informational)

L. Harbor Boat Ramp Parking Discussion - Williams reviewed the existing Harbor Drive boat ramp parking restrictions.

Jeff Smith supported restoring parking .

John Callion – asked the Council to restore the parking at the boat ramp at Harbor Drive.
Council directed staff to work with Public Works on reopening parking, establishing a visible trailer-length boundary, improving signage and enforcement, and monitoring use of the area.

Citizens' comments:

Charlotte Quinn thanked the Council for its support of Crane Point and approval of the Witches in the Hammock parade.

Diane Scott expressed concerns regarding the Monroe County Sheriff's Office and requested that the City consider establishing its own police department.

Bettye Chaplin expressed safety concerns regarding obstructions, rocks, and mailboxes within the Sombrero Beach Road right-of-way.

Mike Millard raised code-enforcement and traffic-safety concerns on Coco Plum Drive, thanked staff for progress on trail lighting, and asked about the status of Seven Mile Marina.

Quasi-Judicial Public Hearings:

A. Resolution 2026-76, Approving Subject To Conditions, A Request By Kerry Myers And Patrick Donald To Abandon The Public Right Of Way Located Between 11189 5th Ave Ocean, Described As Lot 27 And S 1/2 Adj Unnumbered Parcel Little Venice PB3-7 Key Vacca Having Real Estate Number 00344370-000000 And 11188 5th Ave Ocean Described As Little Venice PB3-7 Key Vacca Lot 22 & N 1/2 Adj Unnumbered Parcel, Having Real Estate Number 00344320-000000. Nearest Mile Marker 53.4; And Providing For An Effective Date

The clerk swore in speakers and the Council stated they had no exparte communications.

Shea explained that the applicants already owned the waterfront portions at the end of the right-of-way and that approval would remain subject to utility-easement conditions.

Patrick Stevens, representing the applicant spoke in support of the ROW abandonment. The clerk informed the Council there were no speakers.

MOTION: Struyf moved to approve Resolution 2026-76
SECOND: Landry

Vote of the Motion:

Yes:	Struyf, Landry, Still, Matlock, Del Gaizo
No:	None
Absent:	None
Abstain:	None

Vote on the Motion: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent, 0 Abstain

B. Resolution 2026-77, Approving The Ranking And Allocations Of The Market Rate And Affordable Residential Building Permit Allocation System (RBPAS) For Period 2, Year 2026 (July 14, 2026 To January 13, 2027); And Providing For An Effective Date

Shea reported that two eligible applicants remained in the general market-rate pool and that the owner-occupied pool had been cleared. The clerk informed the Council there were no speakers.

MOTION: Landry moved to approve Resolution 2026-77
SECOND: Matlock

Vote of the Motion:
Yes: Landry, Matlock, Still, Struyf, Del Gaizo
No: None
Absent: None
Abstain: None
Vote on the Motion: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent, 0 Abstain

Ordinances For Second Public Hearing and enactment:

A. Ordinance 2026-23, Modifying Section 32-2 Of The City Code Of Ordinances, 'Regulation Of Wrecker Operators Who Provide Towing And Storage Services At The Request Of Law Enforcement Officers; Providing For Incorporation Into The Code Of Ordinances; And Providing For An Effective Date.

Struyf abstained and left the dais.

Shea explained there were no changes since the first hearing.

Alex Sweeney questioned prior enforcement of the City's towing ordinance.

William Pruit supported removing duplicative City fees and inspections where State and County requirements already applied.

MOTION: Matlock moved to approve Ordinance 2026-23
SECOND: Still

Vote of the Motion:
Yes: Matlock, Still, Landry, Del Gaizo
No: None
Absent: None
Abstain: Struyf
Vote on the Motion: 4 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent, 1 Abstain

Ordinance 2026-24, Amending Chapter 15 Fire Prevention, Article 1 "In General", Amending Section 15-6 Entitled "Chickees And Tikis," Amending Section 15-7 Entitled "Penalty," Amending Sections 15-8 Through 15-26 Entitled "Reserved;" Of The City Of Marathon Code Of Ordinances; Providing For Severability; Providing For The Repeal Of Conflicting Provisions; And Providing For An Effective Date.

Shea reported no changes since the first public hearing. The ordinance aligns the City's requirements for chickees and tikis with recently amended State law.

Clavier informed everyone that no one was signed up to speak.

MOTION: Landry moved to approve Ordinance 2026-24
SECOND: Matlock

Vote of the Motion:
Yes: Landry, Matlock, Still, Struyf, Del Gaizo
No: None
Absent: None
Abstain: None
Vote on the Motion: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent, 0 Abstain

Ordinances for First Public Hearing

A. Ordinance 2026-25, Amending The City's Land Development Regulations, Chapter 110 "Definitions", Article 3 "Defined Terms"; Providing For The Repeal Of All Code Provisions And Ordinances Inconsistent With This Ordinance; Providing For Severability; Providing For Inclusion In The Code; Providing For The Transmittal Of This Ordinance To The State Department Of Commerce; And Providing For An Effective Date Upon The Approval Of This Ordinance By The Department Of Commerce In Accordance With State Law

B. Ordinance 2026-26, Amending The City's Land Development Regulations, Chapter 107, "General Development Standards," Article 5, "Setbacks And Height," Section 107.36, "Exception To Setback"; Providing For The Repeal Of All Code Provisions And Ordinances Inconsistent With This Ordinance; Providing For Severability; Providing For Inclusion In The Code; Providing For The Transmittal Of This Ordinance To The State Department Of Commerce; And Providing For An Effective Date Upon The Approval Of This Ordinance By The Department Of Commerce In Accordance With State Law.

Shea explained that Ordinances 2026-25 and 2026-26 update City definitions and setback provisions to conform with State law governing chickees and tikis. Existing structures are not affected. The Clerk informed the Council there were no public speakers.

MOTION: Still moved to approve Ordinance 2026-25
SECOND: Landry

Vote of the Motion:
Yes: Still, Landry, Matlock, Struyf, Del Gaizo
No: None
Absent: None
Abstain: None
Vote on the Motion: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent, 0 Abstain

MOTION: Still moved to approve Ordinance 2026-26
SECOND: Landry

Vote of the Motion:
Yes: Still, Landry, Matlock, Struyf, Del Gaizo
No: None
Absent: None
Abstain: None
Vote on the Motion: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent, 0 Abstain

C. Ordinance 2026-27, Amending The City's Land Development Regulations Chapter, 103 "Zoning Districts", Article 3 "Use And Intensity Tables", Table 103.15.1 "Uses By Zoning District"; And Amending Chapter 104 "Specific Use Regulations," Article 1 "General Provisions," Section 104.05 "Alcohol Beverage; Providing For The Repeal Of All Code Provisions And Ordinances Inconsistent With This Ordinance; Providing For Severability; Providing For Inclusion In The Code; Providing For The Transmittal Of This Ordinance To The State Department Of Commerce; And Providing For An Effective Date Upon The Approval Of This Ordinance By The Department Of Commerce In Accordance With State Law

Shea explained that the amendment permits alcohol sales as a specific licensed use at the airport; any operator must still apply for the required license. The Clerk informed the Council there were no public speakers.

MOTION: Still moved to approve Ordinance 2026-27
SECOND: Struyf

Vote of the Motion:
Yes: Still, Struyf, Landry, Matlock, Del Gaizo
No: None
Absent: None
Abstain: None
Vote on the Motion: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent, 0 Abstain

D. Ordinance 2026-28, Amending The City's Land Development Regulations, Chapter 103 "Zoning Districts", Article 3 "Use And Intensity Tables", Table 103.15.1 "Uses By Zoning District"; Providing For The Repeal Of All Code Provisions And Ordinances Inconsistent With This Ordinance; Providing For Severability; Providing For Inclusion In The Code; Providing For The Transmittal Of

This Ordinance To The State Department Of Commerce; And Providing For An Effective Date Upon The Approval Of This Ordinance By The Department Of Commerce In Accordance With State Law.

Shea explained that State law requires mobile or modular homes to be permitted wherever single-family homes are allowed beginning January 1, 2027. All units must meet current wind, flood, and other applicable codes. The Clerk informed the Council there were no public speakers.

MOTION: Landry moved to approve Ordinance 2026-28
SECOND: Still

Vote of the Motion:
Yes: Landry, Still, Matlock, Struyf, Del Gaizo
No: None
Absent: None
Abstain: None
Vote on the Motion: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent, 0 Abstain

E. Ordinance 2026-29, Amending The City's Land Development Regulations, Chapter 102, "Development Application Review Procedures," Article 10, "Subdivision Of Land/Plats And Re-Plats," Section 102.49, "Major Subdivision Improvement Requirements"; Providing For The Repeal Of All Code Provisions And Ordinances Inconsistent With This Ordinance; Providing For Severability; Providing For Inclusion In The Code; Providing For The Transmittal Of This Ordinance To The State Department Of Commerce; And Providing For An Effective Date Upon The Approval Of This Ordinance By The Department Of Commerce In Accordance With State Law .

Shea explained that the ordinance implements recommendations from the City's vulnerability analysis and permits resilient road and drainage improvements in the Coastal High Hazard Area when those improvements protect the broader community. The Clerk informed the Council there were no public speakers.

MOTION: Struyf moved to approve Ordinance 2026-29
SECOND: Matlock

Vote of the Motion:
Yes: Struyf, Matlock, Still, Landry, Del Gaizo
No: None
Absent: None
Abstain: None
Vote on the Motion: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent, 0 Abstain

F. Ordinance 2026-30, Amending The City Of Marathon's Comprehensive Plan, Amending Chapter Four, "Conservation And Coastal Element," Policy 4-1.19.5, "Limit Public Expenditures In The Coastal High Hazard Area," And Amending The City Of Marathon's Comprehensive Plan Modifying Chapter Seven, "Capital Improvements Element," Policy 7-1.5.3, "Review Proposals For Consistency With The Plan," Providing For Severability; Providing For The Repeal Of Conflicting

Provisions; Providing For The Transmittal Of This Ordinance To The State Department Of Commerce After The First Hearing By The City Council; And Providing For An Effective Date.

Shea explained that the companion Comprehensive Plan amendment allows future public investment in the Coastal High Hazard Area and will be transmitted to the State for review before returning to the Council for adoption. The Clerk informed the Council there were no public speakers.

MOTION: Still moved to approve Ordinance 2026-30
SECOND: Landry

Vote of the Motion:
Yes: Still, Landry, Matlock, Struyf, Del Gaizo
No: None
Absent: None
Abstain: None
Vote on the Motion: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent, 0 Abstain

Resolutions For Adoption

A. Resolution 2026-78, Approving An Employment Agreement Between Steve Williams And The City Of Marathon, Florida For City Manager Services; Authorizing The Mayor To Execute The Agreement On Behalf Of The City; And Providing For An Effective Date

Wendy Bonilla – commented on the selection process and suggested to start fresh.

Armand Messina – thanked the Council for putting the time into hiring a City manager and asked them to take time to make a good decision.

Jeff Smith spoke against the contract term, severance, and the four-vote termination provision.

Charlie Brown – spoke of his concerns on the selection process, and the lack of information.

Matlock explained he slowly changed his mind; it is no secret how things changed, there are a lot of assumptions, it is the same broken record.

Engelmeyer noted that the new salary would be a 1% increase ($3,000) over Williams' existing pay. Williams explained that some other comparable city managers in Florida receive – well into the $300,000 range and above. Williams reported he arrived at the number by using a 2025 survey of comparable Florida city manager salaries, updated to 2026 figures, and clarified that if the contract was accepted, he would not take a merit or cost of living adjustments in the city's 2026-27 budget, but would have increases matching the rates provided to other staff in future years.

Landry and Matlock explained the 4-1 provision as one of their strongest sticking points, with Landry suggesting the supermajority could be beyond the council's legal authority. Williams explained the 4-1 term was non-negotiable to him. Williams explained to the Council that staff have been

threatened, and someone fired a bullet into his home with his wife and daughter present.

The Council amended the agreement to exclude an October 2026 cost-of-living or merit increase; limit severance to the City Manager position; remove payment for local civic memberships, remove references to a prescribed City vehicle while retaining the vehicle allowance and set compensation for prior interim-manager service at zero. The reversion provision and four-vote termination requirement remained. Williams informed everyone he would not take the double severance if he should be terminated from both the City Manager and Attorney positions.

MOTION: Still moved to approve Resolution 2026- 78 as amended.
SECOND: Struyf

Vote of the Motion:
Yes: Still, Struyf, Del Gaizo
No: Landry, Matlock
Absent: None
Abstain: None
Vote on the Motion: 3 Yes, 2 No, 0 Absent, 0 Abstain

*B. **Resolution 2026-79**, Amending A Grant Agreement With The Florida Department Of Environmental Protection LP44044; Authorizing The City Manager To Execute The Grant Amendment On Behalf Of The City; And Providing For An Effective Date

***C. Resolution 2026-80,** Approving The Professional Service Agreement Between The City And RS&H, Inc., For Construction Engineering And Inspection (Cei) Services For The Replacement Of The 117th Street, 116th Street, & 112th Street Bridges In An Amount Not To Exceed $761,344.00; Authorizing The City Manager To Execute The Contract And Expend Funds On Behalf Of The City; And Providing For An Effective Date

***D. Resolution 2026-81,** Accepting The Lowest Responsive And Responsible Bid, And Approving A Contract Between The City And General Asphalt Co., LLC., In An Amount Not To Exceed $1,561,817.29 For The Replacement Of The 117th Street Bridge; Authorizing The City Manager To Execute The Contract And Expend Budgeted Funds On Behalf Of The City; And Providing For An Effective Date

***E. Resolution 2026-82,** Approving The Work Authorization Agreement Between The City And McFarland-Johnson, Inc., For Professional Engineering Services For The Design of Lighting For Multi-Use Trail Along Coco Plum Drive From US 1 to Ave. K In An Amount Not To Exceed $57,700.00; Authorizing The City Manager To Execute The Contract And Expend Funds On Behalf Of The City; And Providing For An Effective Date

F. Resolution 2026-83, Approving A Contract Between The City And Hawkins, Inc. For Delivery of Chemicals to the Wastewater Treatment Plants, In An Amount Not To Exceed $1,829,000.00; Authorizing The City Manager To Execute The Agreement And Expend Budgeted Funds On Behalf Of The City; And Providing For An Effective Date

Jeff Smith questioned the absence of the bid-tabulation exhibit from the published packet.

Soldano stated that three bids were received, explained the responsive-bid results, and acknowledged that the exhibit had been omitted.

MOTION: Landry moved to approve Resolution 2026-83
SECOND: Still

Vote of the Motion:
Yes: Landry, Still, Matlock, Struyf, Del Gaizo
No: None
Absent: None
Abstain: None
Vote on the Motion: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent, 0 Abstain

G. Resolution 2026-84, Approving An Interlocal Agreement Between The City Of Layton And The City Of Marathon Transferring fifty (50) Early Evacuation Workforce Affordable Housing Residential Allocations; And Providing An Effective Date

Jeff Smith – supported accepting the allocations.

Joshua Mothner - supported accepting the allocations and discussed potential standards for their use.

Bettye Chaplin – explained she spoke with a county commissioner two years again about a 50-unit dormitory, and this ILA does not describe what this would be.

Council discussed eligibility, density, neighborhood impacts, timing, and the need to establish allocation criteria before acceptance. Matlock commented that rents are higher on the affordable units than in the private sector. Matlock questioned if Layton voted on this and felt that they did not have the rights to give to us. Struyf commented that this was too much for tonight, and suggested tabling both 2026-84 and 85

MOTION: Matlock moved to table Resolution 2026-84 to October 13th at 5:30, date and time certain.
SECOND: Struyf

Vote of the Motion:
Yes: Matlock, Struyf, Still, Landry, Del Gaizo
No: None
Absent: None
Abstain: None
Vote on the Motion: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent, 0 Abstain

H. Resolution 2026-85, Approving An Interlocal Agreement Between The City Of Key Colony Beach And The City Of Marathon Transferring fifty (50) Early Evacuation Workforce Affordable Housing Residential Allocations; And Providing An Effective Date

MOTION: Matlock moved to table Resolution 2026-85 to October 13, at 5:30 pm date and time certain.
SECOND: Struyf

Vote of the Motion:
Yes: Matlock, Struyf, Still, Landry, Del Gaizo
No: None
Absent: None
Abstain: None
Vote on the Motion: 5 Yes, 0 No, 0 Absent, 0 Abstain

***I. Resolution 2026-86,** Approving An Agreement With The Firm Of Raftelis Financial Consultants, Inc. To Complete A Building Permit Fee Study In An Amount Not To Exceed $70,000; Authorizing the City Manager to Execute The Work Authorization And Expend Budgeted Funds On Behalf Of The City; And Providing For An Effective Date

J. Resolution 2026–87, Accepting The Lowest Responsive And Responsible Bid, And Approving A Contract Between The City And VisualScape, Inc. In An Amount Not To Exceed $334,570.60 For The Installation of Landscaping along the US 1 Corridor In Front Of The Airport; Authorizing The City Manager To Execute The Contract And Expend Budgeted Funds On Behalf Of The City; And Providing For An Effective Date.

Solis explained that the corrected contract amount includes an optional additional three months of maintenance and watering if Public Works is not ready to assume maintenance after the initial three-month period. Clavier reported that no one was signed up to speak.

MOTION: Still moved to approve Resolution 2026-87
SECOND: Landry

With no objection from the members of the Council, the item was approved.

K. Resolution 2026-88, Approving A Professional Services Agreement Between The City Of Marathon And Professional Practice Support, Inc., Third Party Healthcare Billing Agreement; Authorizing the City Manager To Execute The Extension And Expend Budgeted Funds; And Providing For An Effective Date

Clavier reported that no one was signed up to speak.

MOTION: Still moved to approve Resolution 2026-88
SECOND: Landry

With no objection from the members of the Council, the item was approved.

Council Comments:

Landry thanked the public and staff, congratulated Williams, and commended Public Works.

Struyf thanked staff for compiling information and congratulated Williams.

Matlock congratulated Williams and looked forward to his work as City Manager.

Still congratulated Williams, encouraged unity, and highlighted upcoming City events.

Del Gaizo congratulated Williams, thanked the public, honored former Mayor and Councilmember Mike Cinque, and invited residents to the September 11 remembrance.

ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to come before the Council, Mayor Del Gaizo adjourned the meeting at 8:11 pm with unanimous consent.

I certify the above represents an accurate summary of the City Council meeting of September 8, 2026.

Diane Clavier
Diane Clavier, City Clerk

10/14/2026
Date

FORM 8B MEMORANDUM OF VOTING CONFLICT FOR COUNTY, MUNICIPAL, AND OTHER LOCAL PUBLIC OFFICERS

LAST NAME—FIRST NAME—MIDDLE NAME	NAME OF BOARD, COUNCIL, COMMISSION, AUTHORITY, OR COMMITTEE
Struyf Debra	Marathon City Council
MAILING ADDRESS 2021 Dolphin Drive	THE BOARD, COUNCIL, COMMISSION, AUTHORITY OR COMMITTEE ON WHICH I SERVE IS A UNIT OF: ☑ CITY ☐ COUNTY ☐ OTHER LOCAL AGENCY
CITY: Marathon COUNTY: Monroe	NAME OF POLITICAL SUBDIVISION: City of Marathon FL
DATE ON WHICH VOTE OCCURRED September 8, 2026	MY POSITION IS: ☑ ELECTIVE ☐ APPOINTIVE

WHO MUST FILE FORM 8B

This form is for use by any person serving at the county, city, or other local level of government on an appointed or elected board, council, commission, authority, or committee. It applies to members of advisory and non-advisory bodies who are presented with a voting conflict of interest under Section 112.3143, Florida Statutes.

Your responsibilities under the law when faced with voting on a measure in which you have a conflict of interest will vary greatly depending on whether you hold an elective or appointive position. For this reason, please pay close attention to the instructions on this form before completing and filing the form.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 112.3143, FLORIDA STATUTES

A person holding elective or appointive county, municipal, or other local public office MUST ABSTAIN from voting on a measure which would inure to his or her special private gain or loss. Each elected or appointed local officer also MUST ABSTAIN from knowingly voting on a measure which would inure to the special gain or loss of a principal (other than a government agency) by whom he or she is retained (including the parent, subsidiary, or sibling organization of a principal by which he or she is retained); to the special private gain or loss of a relative; or to the special private gain or loss of a business associate. Commissioners of community redevelopment agencies (CRAs) under Sec. 163.356 or 163.357, F.S., and officers of independent special tax districts elected on a one-acre, one-vote basis are not prohibited from voting in that capacity.

For purposes of this law, a "relative" includes only the officer's father, mother, son, daughter, husband, wife, brother, sister, father-in-law, mother-in-law, son-in-law, and daughter-in-law. A "business associate" means any person or entity engaged in or carrying on a business enterprise with the officer as a partner, joint venturer, coowner of property, or corporate shareholder (where the shares of the corporation are not listed on any national or regional stock exchange).

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ELECTED OFFICERS:

In addition to abstaining from voting in the situations described above, you must disclose the conflict:

PRIOR TO THE VOTE BEING TAKEN by publicly stating to the assembly the nature of your interest in the measure on which you are abstaining from voting; *and*

WITHIN 15 DAYS AFTER THE VOTE OCCURS by completing and filing this form with the person responsible for recording the minutes of the meeting, who should incorporate the form in the minutes.

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APPOINTED OFFICERS:

Although you must abstain from voting in the situations described above, you are not prohibited by Section 112.3143 from otherwise participating in these matters. However, you must disclose the nature of the conflict before making any attempt to influence the decision, whether orally or in writing and whether made by you or at your direction.

IF YOU INTEND TO MAKE ANY ATTEMPT TO INFLUENCE THE DECISION PRIOR TO THE MEETING AT WHICH THE VOTE WILL BE TAKEN:

- You must complete and file this form (before making any attempt to influence the decision) with the person responsible for recording the minutes of the meeting, who will incorporate the form in the minutes. (Continued on page 2)

APPOINTED OFFICERS (continued)

- A copy of the form must be provided immediately to the other members of the agency.
- The form must be read publicly at the next meeting after the form is filed.

IF YOU MAKE NO ATTEMPT TO INFLUENCE THE DECISION EXCEPT BY DISCUSSION AT THE MEETING:

- You must disclose orally the nature of your conflict in the measure before participating.
- You must complete the form and file it within 15 days after the vote occurs with the person responsible for recording the minutes of the meeting, who must incorporate the form in the minutes. A copy of the form must be provided immediately to the other members of the agency, and the form must be read publicly at the next meeting after the form is filed.

DISCLOSURE OF LOCAL OFFICER'S INTEREST

I, Vice Mayor Struyf, hereby disclose that on September 8, 20 26:

(a) A measure came or will come before my agency which (check one or more)

X inured to my special private gain or loss;

___ inured to the special gain or loss of my business associate, _____;

___ inured to the special gain or loss of my relative, _____;

___ inured to the special gain or loss of _____, by whom I am retained; or

___ inured to the special gain or loss of _____, which is the parent subsidiary, or sibling organization or subsidiary of a principal which has retained me.

(b) The measure before my agency and the nature of my conflicting interest in the measure is as follows:

Ordinance 2026-23, Modifying Section 32-2 Of The City Code Of Ordinances, 'Regulation Of Wrecker Operators Who Provide Towing And Storage Services At The Request Of Law Enforcement Officers; Providing For Incorporation Into The Code Of Ordinances; And Providing For An Effective Date.

I am the President of Paradise Towing Inc. in Marathon.

If disclosure of specific information would violate confidentiality or privilege pursuant to law or rules governing attorneys, a public officer, who is also an attorney, may comply with the disclosure requirements of this section by disclosing the nature of the interest in such a way as to provide the public with notice of the conflict.

9/22/2026
Date Filed

Signature

NOTICE: UNDER PROVISIONS OF FLORIDA STATUTES §112.317, A FAILURE TO MAKE ANY REQUIRED DISCLOSURE CONSTITUTES GROUNDS FOR AND MAY BE PUNISHED BY ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING: IMPEACHMENT, REMOVAL OR SUSPENSION FROM OFFICE OR EMPLOYMENT, DEMOTION, REDUCTION IN SALARY, REPRIMAND, OR A CIVIL PENALTY NOT TO EXCEED $10,000.

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Adopted by reference in Rule 34-7.010(1)(f), F.A.C.