CITY COUNCIL AGENDA STATEMENT



Meeting Date: January 9, 2024

To: Honorable Mayor and Council Members

From: George Garrett, City Manager

Agenda item: Resolution 2024-09 Approving A Distribution Right-Of-Way Easement Between The City of Marathon And The Florida Keys Electric Cooperative On Property Having Real Estate Number 00103760-000300, Contiguous With Property Known As Crane Point Hammock Museum And Nature Center Having Real Estate Number 00103760-000000, Providing For Severability, Providing For An Effective Date

BACKGROUND

Approval

The Florida Keys Electric Cooperative is currently relocating and upgrading their utilities line that typically run along the old State Road 4A Right-Of-Way. Much of old State Road 4A has been dedicated to private or other public holdings, including in the case of the City which owns the right-of-way in front of Carne Point Hammock and Jesse Hobbs Park. The relocations and upgrades should not affect any City operations or improvements. As Crane Point Hammock leases the City's property in front of their property, the FKEC has already discussed the matter with that entity which has commented on and approved the proposed pole locations.

CONSISTENCY CHECKLIST:	Yes	No
 Comprehensive Plan Other – 2010 Sewer Mandate 		X_ X_
FISCAL NOTE: None		
APPROVED BY FINANCE DIRECTOR: NA		
RECOMMENDATION:		

Sponsored by: Garrett

CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA RESOLUTION 2024-09

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, APPROVING A DISTRIBUTION RIGHT-OF-WAY EASEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF MARATHON AND THE FLORIDA KEYS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE ON PROPERTY HAVING REAL ESTATE NUMBER 00103760-000300, CONTIGUOUS WITH PROPERTY KNOWN AS CRANE POINT HAMMOCK MUSEUM AND NATURE CENTER HAVING REAL ESTATE NUMBER 00103760-000000, PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS fhe Florida Keys Electric Cooperative (FKEC) is currently relocating and upgrading their utilities line that typically run along the old State Road 4A Right-Of-Way;

WHEREAS, much of old State Road 4A has been dedicated to private or other public holdings, including in the case of the City which owns the right-of-way in front of Carne Point Hammock and Jesse Hobbs Park; and

WHEREAS, the relocations and upgrades should not affect any City operations or improvements; and

WHEREAS, as Crane Point Hammock leases the City's property in front of their property, the FKEC has already discussed the matter with that entity which has commented on and approved the proposed pole locations

WHEREAS, it is for the health, safety, and welfare and in the best interest of its citizens that the City of Marathon, Florida adopts this Resolution,

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.** The distribution right-of-way easement attached as Exhibit "A" is hereby approved.; and
- **Section 3.** The City Clerk shall have signed and transmitted to the FKEC the approved Resolution and Exhibit; and
 - **Section 4.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon signature by the Mayor.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA, THIS 9TH DAY OF JANUARY, 2024.

THE CITY OF MARATHON, FLORIDA

AVEC.	Robyn Still, Mayor		
AYES: NOES:			
ABSENT:			
ABSTAIN:			
ATTEST:			
Diane Clavier, City Clerk			
(City Seal)			
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Steve Williams, City Attorney			

This document was prepared by: Brittany Anker, Operations Administrative Assistant Florida Keys Electric Cooperative 91630 Overseas Hwy; P. O. Box 377 Tavernier, FL 33070-0377

Tax Parcel No: 00103760-000000

AK: 9104143

SPACE FOR RECORDING AREA

DISTRIBUTION RIGHT-OF-WAY EASEMENT

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we, the undersigned grantors, (whether one or more)

PROPERTY OWNER(S): CITY OF MARATHON

MAILING ADDRESS: 9805 OVERSEAS HIGHWAY, MARATHON, FL 33050

PROPERTY ADDRESS: VACANT LAND, MARATHON, FL 33050

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: PT GOVT LT 2 SEC 11 TWP 66S R 32E ON KEY VACA MONROE COUNTY FL (PORTION OF THE RIGHT OF WAY OF STATE ROAD NO 5 (US 1) - OR2856-2485/92 OR2863-2243/50 OR2863-2227/42DEC

in consideration of one dollar and other good and valuable considerations, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, do hereby grant, bargain, sell and convey to Florida Keys Electric Cooperative Association, Inc., of P.O. Box 377, Tavernier, Florida 33070-0377, hereinafter called the "Cooperative" its successors, a perpetual Electric Utility Easement, over, under, upon and across the lands and real property situate, lying and being in the County of Monroe, State of Florida, more particularly described as follows:

AN EASEMENT ON SAID LEGAL DESCRIBED PROPERTY:

"SEE EXHIBIT A"

also, a perpetual easement over, under, upon and across all streets, alleys, easements, and rights of way in any subdivision or recorded plat, which subdivision or recorded plat includes the said property described herein. And the right to construct, operate and maintain an electric distribution line, system or other services unrelated to supplying electricity, on or under the above described lands; the right to inspect and make such repairs, changes, alterations, improvements, and additions to its facilities as the Cooperative may from time to time deem advisable including, by way of example, and not by the way of limitation, the right to increase or decrease the number of conduits, poles, wires, cables, hand holes, transformers, and transformer enclosures; the right to cut, trim and control the growth by chemical means, machinery or otherwise of trees and shrubbery that may interfere with or threaten or endanger the operation and maintenance of said line or system; the right to keep the easement clear of all buildings, structures or other obstructions except citrus trees and low-growing shrubbery that do not otherwise interfere with Cooperative's use of the right of way easement; the right to license, permit, or otherwise agree to the joint use or occupancy of the easement, system, or, if any of said system is placed underground, of the trench or related underground facilities by any other utility, person, association, or corporation; and the right to enter upon, cross and use other lands of the Grantors to provide access to the easements granted herein.

The undersigned agree that all poles, wire, and other facilities including any main service entrance equipment, installed in, upon or under the above-described lands at the Cooperative's expense, shall remain the property of the Cooperative, removable at the option of the Cooperative. The undersigned covenant that they are the owners of the above-described lands.

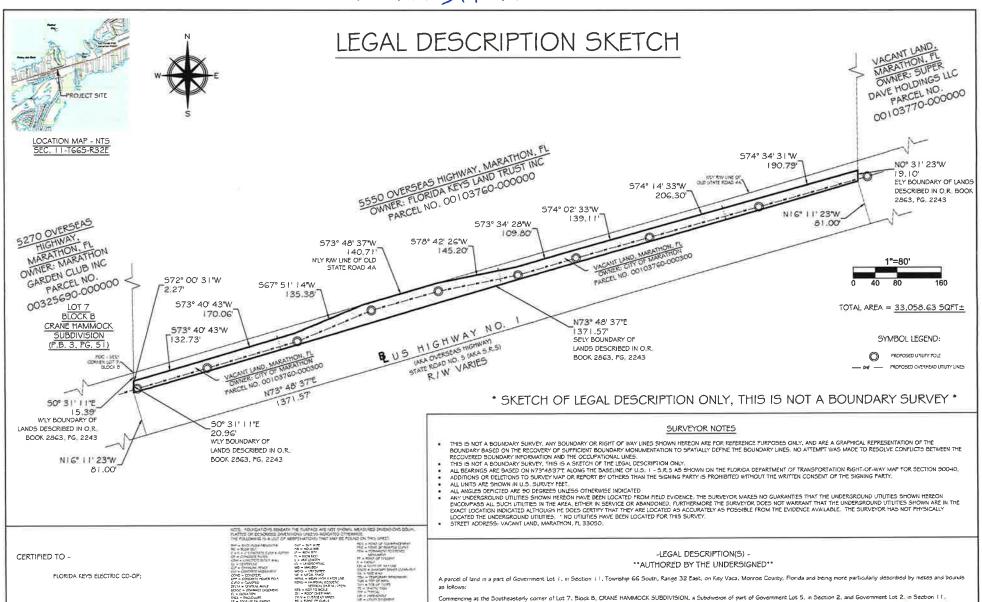
Grantors agree that this right-of-way easement shall run with the land, and that any abandonment of the use of the

easement, or interruption in the use of the right-of-way easement, shall not terminate or impair the interests hereby conveyed to the Cooperative.

By acceptance of its easement rights hereunder, Cooperative agrees to exercise its rights in a manner that minimizes any interferences with the undersigned's use and enjoyment of its property and to repair any damage it causes to the undersigned's property.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the grantors have hereunto affixed their	hands and seal this day of
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(1) Witness Signature	GRANTOR SIGNATURE
(2) Witness Signature	GEORGE GARRETT, CITY MANAGER PRINTED GRANTOR NAME AND TITLE
STATE OF:	
COUNTY OF:	
The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me	
By means of \square physical presence or \square online	
Notarization this(Date)	
By(Name of Officer, Title of Officer)	
Of <u>CITY OF MARATHON</u> (Name of Corporation)	
A corporation, on behalf of the	
corporation. He/she is $\ \square$ personally known to me or $\ \square$ has	
(Type of Identification) as identification.	
Notary Signature and Stamp	

EXHIBIT A

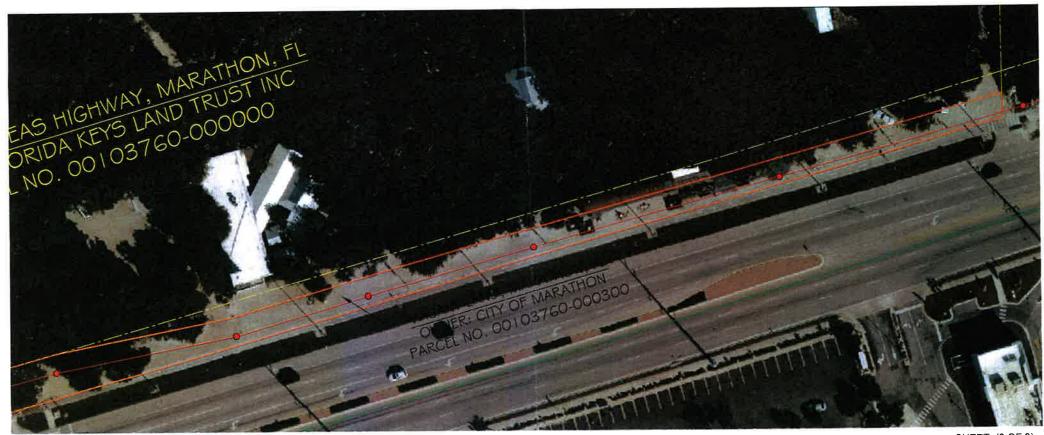


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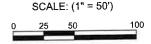
Commencing at the Southeasterry corner of Lot 7, Block B, CRANE HAMMOCK SUBDIVISION, a Subdivision of part of Government Lot 5, in Section 2, and Government Lot 2, in Section 11, Township 66 South, Range 32 East, and recorded in Plate Book 3, Page 51, of the Public Records of Morroe County, Flonda; thence SOO'3111'E along the Westerry boundary line of the lands described in Official Records Book 2863, at Page 2243 of the Public Records of Morroe County, Flonda; thence containing 500'31'11'E along the said Westerry boundary line of the lands described in Official Records Book 2863, at Page 2243 of the Public Records of Morroe County, Flonda, for a distance of 0.9.6 feet to the Southwest corner of the said lands described in Official Records Book 2863, at Page 2243 of the Public Records of Morroe County, Flonda; thence NO73493'7E along the Southeasterry boundary line of the said lands described in Official Records Book 2863, at Page 2243 of the Fublic Records of Morroe County, Flonda; thence NO73493'7E along the Southeasterry boundary line of the said lands described in Official Records Book 2863, at Page 2243 of the Fublic Records of Morroe County, Flonda; thence NO73493'12'3'W along the Easterry boundary line of the said lands described in Official Records Book 2863, at Page 2243 of the Fublic Records of Morroe County, Flonda; thence NO73'12'3'W along the Easterry boundary line of the said lands described in Official Records Book 2863, at Page 2243 of the Fublic Records of Morroe County, Flonda; thence NO73'12'3'W along the Easterry boundary line of the said lands described in Official Records Book 2863, at Page 2243 of the Fublic Records of Morroe County, Flonda; thence NO73'12'3'W along the Easterry boundary line of the said lands described in Official Records Book 2863, at Page 2243 of the Fublic Records of Morroe County, Flonda; thence NO73'12'3'W along the Easterry boundary line of the said lands described and the Public Records of Morroe County, Flonda; thence 574'12'3'S'W for a distance of 190,10' feet t

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PLOT SIZE: (11" x 17") RGRID POWER PLLC DATE: 11-30-2023 SHEET: (3 OF 3)

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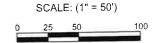


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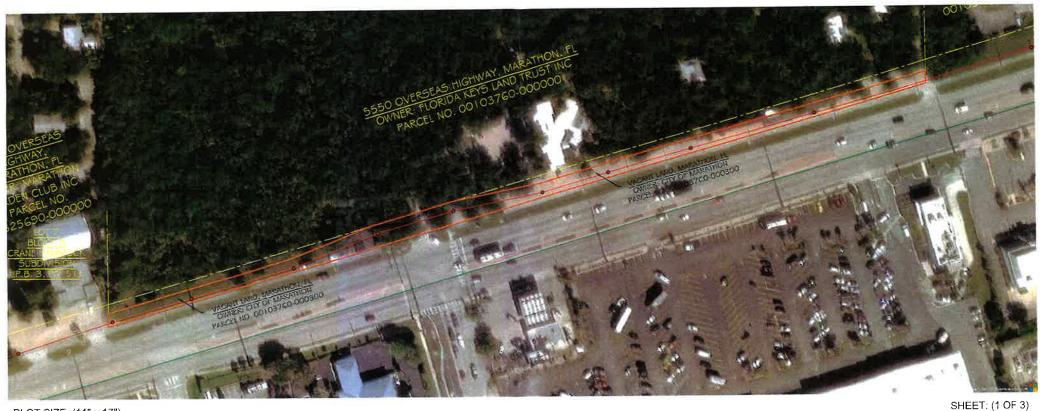


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