## RESOLUTION 299 - 23

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CAPE CORAL, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING GRANT FUNDS FROM THE STATE OF FLORIDA, BY AND THROUGH THE STATE HOUSING INITIATIVES PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM (SHIP) FOR THE HURRICANE HOUSING RECOVERY PROGRAM; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR HIS DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE ANY AND ALL DOCUMENTS RELATED TO THIS GRANT AWARD AND AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF ALL FUTURE MONIES SPECIFIC TO THE HURRICANE HOUSING RECOVERY PROGRAM; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, on December 16, 2022, Senate Bill 4-A was adopted for disaster relief efforts as a result of the 2022 hurricane season; and

WHEREAS, \$150,000,000 was appropriated from the General Revenue Fund to the Florida Housing Finance Corporation, of which \$60,000,000 shall be provided to local governments to assist persons with repair or replacement of housing, relocation costs, housing reentry assistance and insurance deductibles; and

WHEREAS, the City received the first allocation in the amount of \$2,225,643 and subsequently received a second allocation in the amount of \$4,451,286, for a total amount of \$6,676,929 in grant funds received from SHIP; and

WHEREAS, grant funds received from SHIP shall be used in accordance with the City's Local Housing Assistance Plan and all funds shall be expended by June 30, 2025, unless otherwise extended; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Florida Statute and the City's Local Housing Assistance Plan, the City of Cape Coral issued a Notice of Available Funding for State Housing Initiative Partnership Program funds in the Fort Myers New-Press; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends City Council accept grant funds from the State of Florida, by and through the State Housing Initiatives Partnership Program for the Hurricane Housing Recovery Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CAPE CORAL, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City Council hereby accepts grant funds from the State of Florida, by and through the State Housing Initiatives Partnership Program for the Hurricane Housing Recovery Program.

Section 2. The City Council authorizes the City Manager or his designee to execute any and all documents specific to this grant awards and authorizes the City Manager or his designee to accept future grant awards specific to the Hurricane Housing Recovery Program.

Section 3. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

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		JOHN GUNTER, MAYOR	
VOTE OF MAY	OR AND COUNCILMEN	MBERS:	
GUNTER STEINKE SHEPPARD HAYDEN		CUMMINGS WELSH LONG COSDEN	

ATTESTED TO AND FILED IN MY OFF. 2023.	ICE THIS DAY OF	_
	KIMBERLY BRUNS	_

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

ALEKSANDR BOKSNER CITY ATTORNEY

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