

INDIAN RIVER COUNTY, FLORIDA

BOARD MEMORANDUM

CONSENT AGENDA

TO: Jason E. Brown
County Administrator

THROUGH: Richard B. Szpyrka, P.E.
Public Works Director

FROM: James D. Gray, Jr.
Coastal Engineer

SUBJECT: **Resolution Requesting Funding Assistance from State of Florida Beach Erosion Control Program – FY 2018/19**

DATE: June 22, 2017

DESCRIPTION AND CONDITIONS

The State of Florida, Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) requires an annual resolution from local governments requesting funding assistance through the FDEP Beach Erosion Control Program. The Resolution does not specify a specific dollar amount. However, the Resolution enables the Department to consider the County's Local Government Funding Request (LGFR) for Fiscal Year 2018/19. For FY 2018/19, staff intends to request State funding assistance for:

- Permit required 2018 post construction monitoring costs for the Sector 3 Beach Restoration Project,
- Design, permitting, and construction funding for Hurricane Matthew (October 2016) associated repairs to the Sector 3 project area, and
- For the design and permitting of the Sector 5 Beach Nourishment Project currently underway.

FUNDING

FDEP funding for Beach Restoration Projects typically requires a local match. The match percentage varies depending upon the characteristics of each project. In the event a match is needed local funding of Beach Restoration includes a portion of Local Option Tourist Tax Revenue as well as allocation of the One Cent Sales Tax. Funding for the Sector 3 project (post construction monitoring) is available and has been budgeted in the Beach Restoration Fund, Sector 3 Beach Restoration Account No.12814472-033490-05054. Funding for the Sector 3 project (Hurricane Mathew) repairs is being requested during the FY 17/18 County budget request process. Funding for the design and permitting of the Sector 5 Beach Nourishment Project is available and budgeted in the Beach Restoration Fund, Sector 5 Beach Restoration Account No. 12814472-033190-15021.

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends approval of the Resolution.

ATTACHMENT

Resolution No. 2017-____ (1 original)

APPROVED AGENDA ITEM FOR JULY 11, 2017