

RESOLUTION NO. 2026 – 08

A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF ESTERO, FLORIDA, APPROVING EXECUTION OF A GRANT AGREEMENT WITH FDEM FOR DESIGN OF THE REGIONAL STORMWATER FACILITY; MAKING RELATED FINDINGS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Village of Estero desires to undertake certain improvements to reduce flooding potential to roadways within the Estero River watershed; and

WHEREAS, subsequent to the issuance of the Hurricane Ian Federal Disaster Declaration No. 4673 funding was made available within the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) for flood related mitigation improvements; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Estero submitted an application for a phased grant to fund the design (Phase 1) and construction (Phase 2) of the Regional Stormwater Facility as a mitigation measure to reduce the flooding potential to certain roadways within the Estero River watershed; and

WHEREAS, on March 12, 2026, FEMA notified the Florida Division of Emergency Management (FDEM), as the State pass-through agency, of the award of the Phase 1 portion of HMGP grant 4673-086-R to the Village of Estero; and

WHEREAS, on May 21, 2026, the FDEM provided a Federally-Funded Subaward and Grant Agreement to the Village of Estero, as the sub-recipient of the grant, for approval and execution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, BY THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF ESTERO, FLORIDA AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Village Manager of Village of Estero is authorized to execute the agreement for the Estero River Regional Stormwater, Flood Risk Reduction grant Agreement between the Florida Division of Emergency Management and Village of Estero (attached hereto and incorporated herein)is hereby approved.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any section, subsection, sentence, clause, provision or word of the Resolution is held unconstitutional or otherwise legally invalid, same shall be severable and the remainder of this Resolution shall not be affected by such invalidity, such that any remainder of the Resolution shall withstand any severed provision, and the Village Council would have adopted the Resolution even absent the invalid part.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

VILLAGE OF ESTERO, FLORIDA

ADOPTED BY THE VILLAGE COUNCIL of the Village of Estero, Florida this ____ day of _____, 2026.

Attest:

VILLAGE OF ESTERO, FLORIDA

By: _____
Carol Sacco, Village Clerk

By: _____
Joanne Ribble , Mayor