TO AUTHORIZE AN APPLICATION TO THE 1 R2019-45: SOUTH RURAL INFRASTRUCTURE AUTHORITY (RIA) BASIC 2 CAROLINA INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT PROGRAM IN THE AMOUNT OF \$500.000 3 FOR THE 5TH AVE. S. FORCE MAIN PROJECT; AND OTHER MATTERS 4 RELATED THERETO. 5

Applicant/Purpose: Staff / to provide a resolution indicating the City's intention to submit a grant for the RIA Basic Infrastructure grant program for the 5th Ave. S. force main project.

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Brief:

- The Public Works Department has determined that the 5th Ave. S. and Boundary Street intersection force main is in need of replacement.
- The replacement will involve the removal of the existing ductile iron pipe with 540 LF of new PVC out of the total 9,925 LF needed for the force main.
- The \$500,000, with no match requirement, will be used for the construction activity improving the infrastructure that has reached the end of its useful life and is in severely deteriorating condition which is negatively impacting the system.

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Issues:

In proposed resolution Council:

- o Attests to the need for the \$500,000 in grant funding to implement this section of the 5th Ave. S. force main replacement project.
- Will grant permission to the City Manager to apply for the grant on behalf of the City of Myrtle Beach.

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Public Notification: Normal meeting notification.

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Alternatives:

- Do not pass resolution.
- Amend resolution.

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Financial Impact:

- 540 LF of new PVC out of the 9,925 LF needed for the force main will be accomplished with grant funding from the RIA Basic Infrastructure grant program.
- No match requirement.

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Manager's Recommendation: I recommend approval.

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Attachment(s): Proposed resolution, grant application.

RESOLUTION R2019-45 1 2 APPROVING THE SUBMITTAL OF 3 APPLICATION TO THE SOUTH CAROLINA 4 CITY OF MYRTLE BEACH RURAL INFRASTRUCTURE AUTHORITY (RIA) 5 **COUNTY OF HORRY** BASIC INFRASTRUCTURE GRANT PROGRAM STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA 6 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$500,000 FOR THE 5TH 7 AVE. S. FORCE MAIN PROJECT; AND OTHER 8 MATTERS RELATING THERETO. 9 10 11 WHEREAS, the 5th Ave. S. force main has reached the end of its useful life and is in severely 12 deteriorating condition that is negatively impacting the system and 13 14 WHEREAS, this funding will help with replacement of the existing ductile iron pipe with 540 15 LF of new PVC out of the total 9,925 needed for the force main. 16 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Myrtle Beach, in meeting 18 duly assembled, that: 19 20 21 1. The City Manager and his designees are hereby authorized to submit application for a Basic Infrastructure Grant from the South Carolina Rural Infrastructure Authority in the 22 proposed amount of \$500,000 for the purposes described in the above findings. 23 24 2. No local match is required or approved. 3. Upon approval of the subject grant, the acceptance, appropriation, and recording of 25 the grant funds in the amount of \$500,000 or other such approved amount is hereby 26 authorized. 27 28 4. The City Manager and his designees are hereby authorized to execute and deliver the grant agreement and such related documents as may be required for this purpose. 29 30 31 SIGNED, SEALED and DATED, this 10th day of September, 2019. 32 33 34 35 BRENDA BETHUNE, MAYOR 36 ATTEST: 37

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JENNIFER STANFORD, CITY CLERK