



MEMORANDUM

Date: May 7, 2026

To: Honorable Mayor and Commissioners

Via: Brian L. Barroso, City Manager

From: Doug Bradshaw, Director of Engineering
Matt Wilman, Director of Utilities

Subject: Interlocal Agreement (ILA) with Monroe County (County) to provide support for the Flagler Avenue Road Resiliency and Adaptation Project (File 26-5348)

Introduction

Approving an ILA with Monroe County to provide support for the Flagler Avenue Road Resiliency and Adaptation Project.

Background

Monroe County has undertaken the Flagler Avenue Road Resiliency and Adaptation Project which includes design and construction improvements to the Flagler Avenue roadway and the stormwater drainage system servicing Flagler Avenue to make it more resilient to king tides and flooding. Portions of the stormwater drainage system will need to be located within the City's right-of-way and City's owned parcel.

In order to establish the roles and responsibilities for the project, the County is requesting the City enter into an Interlocal Agreement (ILA). The City agrees to the following under the ILA:

1. The County will direct the engineering design and permitting of the Project through its Consultant. The City will provide input and comments so that the design and permitting may proceed expeditiously.
2. City agrees to allow for a portion of the right-of-way of Government Road to be used for

construction of a pump station and “green infrastructure element” as part of the project, and a portion of the parcel of land located between Kennedy Drive and Glynn Archer Drive (14th Street) to be used for construction of a second pump station that will form a part of the “Stormwater Management System”.

3. The contract for construction will be between the County and its contractor; the City may monitor the work but will not be a party to the contract.

Procurement

At this time there is no financial obligation for City as the ILA is only an agreement for use of City property for the project and not a financial commitment. The ILA helps support the County’s grant funds opportunities through the Florida Division of Emergency Management (FDEM) Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) program by showing site control needed for the pump stations. The County and City will undertake separate negotiations to determine the financial obligations of each entity when the project moves forward.

Recommendation

Staff recommends the Mayor and Commission approve the ILA with Monroe County to provide support for the Flagler Avenue Road Resiliency and Adaptation Project. This item supports the City’s strategic agenda priority of infrastructure.