

Sustainability & Adaptation – July Report

- **Adaptation (Resiliency Manager):**

- Adaptation Plan: All final drafts have received feedback. Still on target for August leadership review and September City Commission & Policy Workshop.
- Energy Savings: Staff is looking into Lease Purchasing, which many other Florida governments have opted for as an alternative to bonding.
- Green Building Program: Florida Commerce ruled that the current ordinance cannot be implemented, pursuant to SB180. Staff will continue tracking other potential paths forward.

- **Grants (Resiliency Manager):**

- Active:
 - USDOT Safe Streets Demonstration Grant: Awarded! See Transportation updates.
 - FDHR Historic Adaptation Surveys Grant #2: Aquarium & Hospitality House. Complete.
 - OLDCC: DOD Housing Action Plan Grant: Submitted scope and budget for Agreement 7/1.
 - FEMA HMGP Tier 3: Duval Stormwater.
 - Helene: Submitted Pump, and Blocks 0, 100, 200 and 1400
 - Milton: Submitted response to RFI for Blocks 300-1300
 - FDHR Historic Surveys Grant #3: Tift Icehouse & Key West Art Center. Got & awaiting agreement
 - Team Mobile Hometown Grant: Bus Shelters. Working on scope for Agreement.
 - FDEP Resilient Florida: Harris/10th stormwater. Awarded, awaiting Agreement.
 - ACOE Water Quality Improvements: City still needs to readdress the allocation formula. Next steps are an ILA between the partners and a partner MOU with ACOE.
- Applied:
 - FDEO CDBG Small Cities (Housing): Applied May 20 for housing upgrades partnership.
 - Florida Dept of Historic Resources (FDHR): July 10. Restoration Plans for Meson de Pepe.
 - USDOT Safe Streets Implementation Grant: Applied May 26th for 5 years of safety upgrades.
- Did Not Get:
 - EPA South Florida Water Quality Priorities: Beach monitoring.
 - FDHR Historic Special Category Grant: Waterfront Playhouse. State cancelled budget line item.
 - USDOT Innovative Finance and Asset Concession. Park N Ride and KWIC.
 - FDEP Resilient Florida: Fire Station 3. Not enough funds for #27 score.

- **Water Quality (Resiliency Manager):**

- Water Quality Monitoring Program: All Tasks on hold while City Leadership enables contract changes to allow limited monitoring to begin at Harbor.
- Coral Reef Restoration Fund: Staff is 99% ready to release the new RFP for reef restoration.

- **Transportation (Sustainable Transportation Coordinator):**

- Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A):
 - SS4A Demonstration grant (\$502,400) for AI-Powered Traffic Safety Technology and On-The-Ground Safety Improvements Project is working on the scope for the agreement.
 - SS4A Implementation Grant Application was submitted on May 26th, asking for \$10M that will pay 80% towards permanent safety modifications at 20 major intersections, create 4 roundabouts and 12 other targeted safety interventions.