RESOLUTION 2026-07

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF PORT ST. JOE, AUTHORIZING A GRANT APPLICATION FOR A TEMPORARY/TRAVELING EXHIBIT INTERPRETING THE HISTORY OF THE CAPE SAN BLAS LIGHTHOUSE; AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO SEEK A MATCH WAIVER AS A REDI COMMUNITY; APPOINTING AND AUTHORIZING A DESIGNATED PROJECT CONTACT; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACT ON BEHALF OF THE CITY; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Port St. Joe, Florida will apply to the Division of Historical Resources for a Temporary/Traveling Exhibit project interpreting the history of the Cape San Blas Lighthouse and its role in Florida's maritime heritage; and

WHEREAS, the Board of City Commissioners has determined that as a necessary part of that application certain resolutions need to be made; and

WHEREAS, the City of Port St. Joe, Florida recognizes the City Manager as the official authorized to act on behalf of the City in such matters and further acknowledges that his signature shall be binding upon the City in such matters; and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk shall be responsible for grant application and project management; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of City Commissioners of the City of Port St. Joe, Florida as follows:

1. That it approves the submission of the application and any related documents for the subject grant in an amount of up to Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000) for the development of a temporary/traveling exhibit interpreting the history of the Cape San Blas Lighthouse; and

2. That this legislative body of the City of Port St. Joe, Florida hereby authorizes the City Manager to act as the appropriate official on behalf of the City of Port St. Joe, Florida in dealing with the Division of Historical Resources and to sign any and all necessary application and other forms; as well as, submitting any additional information required and signing any necessary contracts and/or other agreements between the parties that may result from this application; and

3. The City of Port St. Joe, Florida hereby assures the Division of Historical Resources that it authorizes the total expenditure set forth in the grant application and acknowledges its intent to seek a waiver of the local match requirement based upon the City's eligibility under the Rural Economic Development Initiative (REDI) program; and

4. The City Clerk shall act as Designated Project Contact for this grant; and

5. The City Commission certifies that this project will not result in any transfer of jobs or employment or the production of goods or services to an area where there is no demand for such.

6. Any Resolution previously adopted relative to this particular grant is repealed.

THIS RESOLUTION ADOPTED THIS 16th day of June, 2026, on a vote of 4 yeas and 0 nays, by the Board of City Commissioners, City of Port St. Joe, Florida.

ATTEST

Charlotte M. Pierce, City Clerk

CITY OF PORT ST. JOE, FLORIDA

Rex Buzzett, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY

Clinton T. McCahill, P.A.
City Attorney