

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA AMENDING MANATEE COUNTY RESOLUTION R-04-222, AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION TO THE FLORIDA FISH AND WILDLIFE CONSERVATION COMMISSION'S FLORIDA BOATING IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR RECREATIONAL CHANNEL MARKING AND REGULATORY SIGN AND BUOY PLACEMENT TO IMPLEMENT MANATEE COUNTY ORDINANCE 04-72, BOATING SAFETY, AND PORTIONS OF MANATEE COUNTY ORDINANCE 04-73, MANATEE PROTECTION

**WHEREAS**, the Manatee County Board of County Commissioners has determined that participation in manatee protection efforts is in the best interest of the residents and tourists of Manatee County; and

**WHEREAS**, the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission's Office of Boating & Waterways reviews and issues permits to authorize local government entities to install navigational aids and regulatory signs in public waters within their respective jurisdictions for boating safety and manatee protection; and

**WHEREAS**, grant funds are available on a competitive basis through the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission's Florida Boating Improvement Program for recreational channel marking.

**WHEREAS**, On August 24, 2004, the Board of County Commissioners adopted Resolution R-04-222, authorizing the submission of a grant application to the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission which the Board now wishes to amend to broaden the scope of the application and add authorized County officers for execution of related documents.

**NOW THEREFORE**, be it resolved by the Board of County Commissioners of Manatee County, Florida, that:

Paragraphs 1 and 2 of Resolution R-04-222 are amended to read in their entirety as follows:

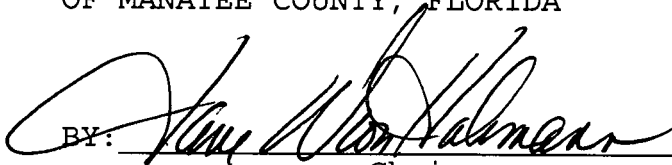
1. The submission of a grant application to the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission's Florida Boating Improvement Program for navigational aids and regulatory signs for boating safety and manatee protection is hereby

authorized.

2. The Chairman, the Vice Chairman or Bill O'Shea, Coastal Programs Manager for Manatee County are authorized to execute all appropriate documents with regard to the submission of this grant application.

**ADOPTED** with a quorum present and voting this 2nd day of November, 2004.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF MANATEE COUNTY, FLORIDA

BY:   
Chairman

ATTEST: R.B. SHORE  
Clerk of the Circuit Court

