

## **ITEM TITLE:**

A Resolution of the City Commission authorizing acceptance of an amendment for Grant Agreement No. 23h.sc.900.154 from the State of Florida, Department of State (DOS), Division of Historical Resources for a six month extension to the agreement from June 30, 2024 to December 31, 2024 for the Restoration of the Historic Gondola Building and authorizing the City Manager to execute the amendment of the agreement with DOS for said financial assistance under Agreement No. 23h.sc.900.154, for financial services;

## **BRIEF HISTORY:**

The appropriation and authorization for the City Manager to execute the grant agreement was part of FY23 Budget with Resolution 2023-164. The competitive grant was awarded from the State of Florida, Department of State (DOS), Division of Historical Resources for the Restoration/Reconstruction of the Historic Gondola Building in the amount of \$750,000. The project consists of restoring the building using historical documentation and salvageable elements from the original building.

The current timeline for completion of this project requires a request for a time extension. The State has approved the city's request for an extension to December 31, 2024. This Resolution accepts the amendment for this grant extension.

The State of Florida, Department of State, Division of Historical Resources agreed to provide financial assistance for restoration of the Historic Gondola Building in the amount of \$750,000, representing 50% of the cost of the project. The City's contribution would be 50% for a total of \$1,500,000 for the project. This grant award includes the construction phase of the proposed project.

## ATTACHMENT:

1. Amendment No. 1 to DOS Agreement No. 23h.sc.900.154

## FINANCIAL INFORMATION:

| No.   | Amount | Account No. | Source of Funds |
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| Total:  |        |             |                 |
| Fiscal Impact:  |        |             |                 |
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| Accepting the amendment secures the continuity of the grant agreement for \$750,000 or 50% of |        |             |                 |
| the total project cost.   |        |             |                 |
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