## RESOLUTION NO. 2016-\_\_\_\_

## CITY OF POMPANO BEACH Broward County, Florida

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF POMPANO BEACH, FLORIDA, APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE PROPER CITY OFFICIALS TO SUBMIT A GRANT APPLICATION FOR THE FY2017 NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS OUR TOWN GRANT AND TO PROVIDE MATCHING FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF UP TO \$175,000; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

**WHEREAS,** the advancement of cultural arts is an important element of our community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Pompano Beach desires to apply for a National Endowment for the Arts grant known as "Our Town" ("Grant"), which would provide monies to fund public art projects in Pompano's Creative Arts District that are part of a collaborative effort between the City and other arts organizations; and

WHEREAS, the City's 2014 Strategic Plan, Cultural Arts Master Plan, and Public Arts Master Plan (Goals #2 and #5 in Strategic Plan) outline the need for cultural arts projects including projects that initiate transformation of the historic downtown district and engage our community; and

**WHEREAS**, if approved for the Grant, the City of Pompano Beach will provide matching funds in the amount of up to \$175,000 towards the public arts projects.

## BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF POMPANO BEACH, FLORIDA:

**SECTION 1.** The City Commission supports the City's cultural arts efforts and the application for this Grant submittal with a matching fund amount of up to \$175,000.

**SECTION 2.** That the proper city officials are hereby authorized to submit the Grant application.

**<u>SECTION 3.</u>** This Resolution shall become effective upon passage.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2016.

## LAMAR FISHER, MAYOR

ATTEST:

ASCELETA HAMMOND, CITY CLERK

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