INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT

REGARDING REESTABLISHING AND PROVIDING FOR DIVISION AND DISTRIBUTION OF A THREE-CENT (\$0.03) LOCAL OPTION GAS TAX ON EVERY GALLON OF MOTOR FUEL SOLD IN BROWARD COUNTY

This Interlocal Agreement ("Agreement") is entered into by and among: BROWARD COUNTY, a political subdivision of the State of Florida ("County"), COCONUT CREEK, COOPER CITY, CORAL SPRINGS, DANIA BEACH, DAVIE, DEERFIELD BEACH, FORT LAUDERDALE, HALLANDALE BEACH, HILLSBORO BEACH, HOLLYWOOD, LAUDERDALE-BY-THE-SEA, LAUDERDALE LAKES, LAUDERHILL, LAZY LAKE, LIGHTHOUSE POINT, MARGATE, MIRAMAR, NORTH LAUDERDALE, OAKLAND PARK, PARKLAND, PEMBROKE PARK, PEMBROKE PINES, PLANTATION, POMPANO BEACH, SEA RANCH LAKES, SOUTHWEST RANCHES, SUNRISE, TAMARAC, WEST PARK, WESTON, and WILTON MANORS, all municipal corporations organized and existing under the laws of the State of Florida (collectively referred to as the "Municipalities") (the County and Municipalities are collectively referred to as the "Parties").

RECITALS

- A. Section 336.025, Florida Statutes, as amended, authorizes the County to establish a three-cent (\$0.03) local option gas tax on every gallon of motor fuel sold in the County and taxed under the provisions of Chapter 206, Florida Statutes, for a period not to exceed thirty (30) years, to be used solely for "transportation expenditures" as defined in Section 336.025(7), Florida Statutes, with distribution of the proceeds determined pursuant to an interlocal agreement between the County and the eligible Municipalities representing a majority of the population of the incorporated area within the County.
- B. The Parties desire that the current three-cent (\$0.03) local option gas tax expiring December 31, 2023, be reestablished, reimposed, and relevied through December 31, 2053, with the proceeds distributed among the Parties consistent with the terms of this Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, and pursuant to Section 336.025, Florida Statutes, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

AGREEMENT

- 1. **Recitals:** The foregoing recitals are true and correct and by this reference are incorporated herein.
- 2. **Purpose of Agreement:** The purpose of this Agreement is to reestablish the three-cent (\$0.03) local option gas tax to be used for transportation expenditures and to allocate the proceeds of the local option gas tax among the Parties as set forth herein.
- 3. <u>Distribution of Proceeds:</u> The Parties agree to divide the proceeds of the local option gas tax according to the following distribution formula: Forty-eight and Seventy-three One-

hundredths percent (48.73%) to the County, and Fifty-one and Twenty-seven One-hundredths percent (51.27%) to the Municipalities.

- 3.1 The allocation of proceeds to the Municipalities will be based upon the annual Bureau of Economic and Business Research ("BEBR") population figures as of April 1 of each year.
- 3.2 By July 1 of each year this Agreement is in effect, the County shall forward the finalized BEBR population figures to the State of Florida Department of Revenue for the purpose of distributing the proceeds of the local option gas tax in accordance with the distribution formula established pursuant to this Agreement.
- 3.3 In the event the BEBR population figures are not finalized by July 1, the County shall forward the finalized figures to the State of Florida Department of Revenue within thirty (30) days after the County receives notice that the figures are finalized.
- 4. **Effective Date:** Pursuant to Section 336.025(1)(b)1, Florida Statutes, the three-cent (\$0.03) local option gas tax and this Agreement shall become effective, and continue uninterrupted, from and including January 1, 2024, through and including December 31, 2053, a term of thirty (30) years.
- 5. <u>Notices:</u> Whenever any Party desires to give notice to any other Party or Parties, such notice must be in writing mailed and sent by e-mail to the designated representative(s) of the respective Parties as indicated on the Parties' respective signature pages. Any Party may change its designated representative(s) for notice purposes by providing notice thereof to all other Parties in accordance with this paragraph.
- 6. **Binding Effect:** Each person executing this Agreement represents that he or she has been empowered by his or her respective Party to enter into this Agreement and to bind such Party to the commitments and undertakings contained herein. The provisions, conditions, terms, and covenants contained herein shall be of a binding effect. The benefits and advantages hereof shall inure to the respective Parties and the respective successors and assigns.
- 7. <u>Termination Resulting from Judicial Determination:</u> If, as a result of a judicial ruling, any Party properly terminates this Agreement, the distribution of the proceeds of the local option gas tax for the following year shall be in accordance with Section 336.025(4)(a), Florida Statutes, as amended.
- 8. **Prior Agreements:** This Agreement represents the final and complete understanding of the Parties and incorporates, includes, and supersedes all prior negotiations, correspondence, conversations, agreements, and understandings applicable to the matters contained herein. There are no commitments, agreements, or understandings concerning the subject matter of this Agreement that are not contained in this document. Accordingly, no deviation from the terms hereof shall be predicated upon any prior representations or agreements whether oral or written.

- 9. <u>Joint Preparation:</u> Each Party acknowledges that it has sought and received whatever advice and counsel as was necessary for it to form a full and complete understanding of all rights and obligations herein and that the preparation of this Agreement resulted from the joint efforts of all the Parties. The language agreed to expresses their mutual intent and the resulting document shall not, solely as a matter of judicial construction, be construed more severely against one of the Parties.
- 10. <u>Counterparts:</u> This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, whether signed physically or electronically, each of which, when executed and delivered, shall constitute an original, but such counterparts shall together constitute one and the same instrument.
- 11. <u>Further Assurances:</u> The Parties shall execute all such instruments, and agree to take all such further actions, that may be reasonably required by any Party to fully effectuate the terms and provisions of this Agreement.
- 12. <u>Modification:</u> No change or modification of this Agreement shall be valid unless in writing and signed by all Parties hereto. No purported waiver of any of the provisions of the Agreement shall be valid unless in writing and signed by the Party allegedly waiving the applicable provision.
- 13. <u>Ineligibility:</u> If, during the term of the imposition of this local option gas tax, any of the Municipalities become ineligible to receive a share of the proceeds of the local option gas tax for any reason, any funds otherwise undistributed because of such ineligibility shall be distributed by the Florida Department of Revenue to the remaining Municipalities in proportion to the distribution formula then in effect.

BROWARD COUNTY, through its BOARD through its Mayor or Vice-Mayor, authorized of, 20, and MUN	have made and executed this Interlocal Agreement: OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, signing by and to execute same by Board action on the day NICIPALITIES, signing by and through their truant to formal action taken on the date indicated on	
<u>COUNTY</u>		
ATTEST:	BROWARD COUNTY, by and through its Board of County Commissioners	
Proceed County Administrator	By	
Broward County Administrator, as ex officio Clerk of the Broward County Board of Commissioners	day of	
Designated Address for Notices: Monica Cepero at mcepero@broward.org Broward County Administrator Governmental Center, Room 409 Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301 Attention: County Administrator	Approved as to form by Andrew J. Meyers Broward County Attorney 115 South Andrews Avenue, Suite 423 Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301 Telephone: (954) 357-7600 Telecopier: (954) 357-7641 By Kristin M. Carter (Date) Assistant County Attorney	
With a copy to: Andrew Meyers at ameyers@broward.org County Attorney Governmental Center, Room 423 115 South Andrews Avenue Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301	By Annika E. Ashton (Date) Deputy County Attorney	

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	CH, through its City Commission, signing by and through its ted to execute the same by Board action on the, 20
	<u>CITY</u>
ATTEST: CITY CLERK	CITY OF POMPANO BEACH, a municipal corporation By: CITY MAYOR
	Print Name day of, 20 I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have approved this Agreement as to form and legal sufficiency subject to execution by the parties:
	City Attorney

Designated Address for Notices (include e-mail address(es):

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