

**RESOLUTION 17-22**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF ALACHUA, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO MAKE APPLICATION TO THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY FLORIDA JOB GROWTH GRANT FUND FOR PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE; REPEALING ALL RESOLUTIONS IN CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**R E C I T A L S**

**WHEREAS**, The Florida Legislature, during the 2017 Legislative Session, established the Florida Job Growth Grant Fund, codified as Florida Statute 288.101;

**WHEREAS**, The Florida Job Growth Grant Fund is designed to fund public infrastructure and job training projects that support growth and employment in Florida's diverse industries;

**WHEREAS**, The Florida Job Growth Grant Fund has been allocated \$85 million in funding for the State's budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017; and,

**WHEREAS**, it is the desire of the City Commission to make application to the Florida Job Growth Grant Fund for public infrastructure improvements.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ALACHUA, FLORIDA:**

**Section 1. Findings.**

The City Commission finds, determines, and declares that the above recitals are true and correct and are hereby incorporated into this resolution by reference.

**Section 2. Authorization to Make Application.**

The City Manager is hereby authorized to make application to the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity Florida Job Growth Grant Fund for public infrastructure projects for funding made available in the State's budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2017.

**Section 3. Repealing Clause.**

All resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are, to the extent of the conflict, hereby repealed.

**Section 4. Effective Date.**

This Resolution shall be effective as of the date of its passage and adoption.

**DULY ADOPTED** in regular session this 28th day of August, 2017.

CITY COMMISSION OF THE  
CITY OF ALACHUA, FLORIDA

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**Gib Coerper, Mayor**

SEAL

**ATTEST:**

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Traci L. Gresham, City Manager/Clerk