



Islamorada, Village of Islands

REGULAR VILLAGE COUNCIL MEETING

December 14, 2023 - 5:30 PM
Founders Park Community Center
87000 Overseas Highway
Islamorada, FL 33036

The Village Council has resumed the in-person regular meeting format. Virtual participation is still available to the public. Please see the last page of the agenda for participation details

AGENDA

- I. **CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL**
- II. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- III. **AGENDA: Requests for Deletion / Emergency Additions**
- IV. **REPORTS, PRESENTATIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**
 - A. ~~Election of Mayor and Vice Mayor~~ **TAB 1**
 - B. ~~Wastewater Audit Presentation from Marcum~~ **TAB 2**
 - C. ~~Report on Coral Shores High School Baseball Field Upgrades at Founders Park~~ **TAB 3**
- V. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

(This is general public comment. It provides an opportunity for the public to speak about matters not scheduled elsewhere on the agenda. The mayor opens public comment on agenda items throughout the meeting.)
- VI. **CITIZENS' ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORTS & APPOINTMENTS**
 - A. ~~Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee Report – Carolyn Wightman~~ **TAB 4**
 - B. ~~Local Planning Agency Report – Deb Gillis~~ **TAB 5**
- VII. **MAYOR / COUNCIL COMMUNICATIONS**
 - A. ~~Discussion Regarding the Fills (Councilmember Rosenthal)~~ **TAB 6**
 - B. ~~Discussion Regarding Request from Near Shore Water Citizen's Advisory Committee Regarding Tavernier Creek Idle Speed Zone (Council Consensus)~~ **TAB 7**
 - C. ~~Discussion Regarding Kayaks Launching at Vacant Village-owned Property (Vice Mayor Mahoney)~~ **TAB 8**
 - D. ~~Discussion Regarding Timeline for Presentation of Ridesharing Service Advisory Selection Panel's Recommendation to Council (Vice Mayor Mahoney)~~ **TAB 9**

- E. Discussion Regarding New Form 6 Requirements and Related Professional Fees (Councilman Gregg)

VIII. VILLAGE ATTORNEY / VILLAGE MANAGER COMMUNICATIONS

- A. ~~Village Attorney Announcement of Shade Session~~
- B. ~~Request for Direction Regarding Reports for Inclusion in the Agenda: After Action Report, Village Manager Update, Weiss Serota Billing, Financial Reports, and Planned Travel by Council and Staff~~ **TAB 10**
- C. ~~Discussion regarding Establishment of a Marine-Based Emergency Response Program by the Fire Rescue Department~~
- D. Discussion Regarding Manager Contract and Negotiations **TAB 11**
- E. Discussion and Direction Regarding Florida Commerce Hurricane Evacuation Baseline Modeling and Prospective Modeling for (Potential) Future BPAS Allocations **TAB 12**

IX. CONSENT AGENDA

(All items on the Consent Agenda are considered routine by the Village Council and will be approved by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Councilmember so requests, in which event, the item will be moved to the Main Agenda.)

- A. ~~Approval of Meeting Minutes:~~ **TAB 13**

~~November 7, 2023 Regular Village Council Meeting
November 9, 2023 Land Use Village Council Meeting (Marne McGrath, Village Clerk)~~

- B. ~~Resolution Approving an Interlocal Agreement with the Monroe County Comprehensive Plan Land Authority Regarding the Administration of Land Acquisition Programs~~ **TAB 14** (Peter Frezza, Environmental Resources Manager)

A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, FLORIDA, APPROVING AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH THE MONROE COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN LAND AUTHORITY, REGARDING THE ADMINISTRATION OF LAND ACQUISITION PROGRAMS; AUTHORIZING VILLAGE OFFICIALS TO IMPLEMENT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE AGREEMENT; AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE AGREEMENT; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

- C. ~~Resolution Renewing an Agreement with RES Florida Consulting, LLC, for Continued Water Quality and Benthic Vegetation Monitoring in Village Canals~~ **TAB 15** (Peter Frezza, Environmental Resources Manager)

A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, FLORIDA, APPROVING A RENEWAL OF THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS AND RES FLORIDA CONSULTING, LLC FOR WATER QUALITY AND BENTHIC VEGETATION MONITORING IN VILLAGE CANALS; AUTHORIZING VILLAGE OFFICIALS TO

IMPLEMENT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE AGREEMENT; AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO EXPEND BUDGETED FUNDS; AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE RENEWAL; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

- D. Resolution Approving Update to Council Procedures **TAB 16** (John Quick, Interim Village Attorney)

A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, FLORIDA, UPDATING PROCEDURES FOR THE VILLAGE COUNCIL; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

- E. Resolution Approving Purchases from SHI International Corp. for FY 2023-2024 ~~TAB 17~~ (Vince Tarves, Systems Engineer)

A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, FLORIDA, APPROVING PURCHASES FROM SHI INTERNATIONAL CORP. (SHI) FOR THE VILLAGE IT & COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT; AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO EXECUTE NECESSARY DOCUMENTS; AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO EXPEND BUDGETED FUNDS; AUTHORIZING WAIVER OF COMPETITIVE BIDDING; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

- F. Resolution Approving an Agreement with United Data Technologies for IT Network Monitoring Services ~~TAB 18~~ (Ramon Navarro, Network Engineer)

A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, FLORIDA APPROVING AN AGREEMENT WITH UNITED DATA TECHNOLOGIES FOR INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (IT) NETWORK MONITORING SERVICES; AUTHORIZING VILLAGE OFFICIALS TO IMPLEMENT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE AGREEMENT; AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO EXPEND BUDGETED FUNDS; AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE NON-EXCLUSIVE AGREEMENT; AUTHORIZING WAIVER OF COMPETITIVE BIDDING; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

- G. Resolution Approving FY 2022-2023 Year-End Budget Amendment ~~TAB 19~~ (Maria Bassett, Finance Director)

A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, FLORIDA, AMENDING THE VILLAGE'S ADOPTED BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022-2023; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

X. RESOLUTIONS

- A. Resolution Approving Agreement with Attention Media, LLC ~~TAB 20~~ (John Quick, Interim Village Attorney)

A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, FLORIDA, APPROVING A ONE YEAR AGREEMENT WITH ATTENTION MEDIA, LLC TO PROVIDE A SOCIAL MEDIA AND OUTREACH PROGRAM; AUTHORIZING

VILLAGE OFFICIALS TO IMPLEMENT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE AGREEMENT; AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO EXPEND BUDGETED FUNDS; AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE AGREEMENT; PROVIDING FOR A WAIVER OF COMPETITIVE BIDDING; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

- B.** ~~Resolution Approving an Interlocal Agreement with the Florida Keys Mosquito Control District (FKMCD)~~ **TAB 21** (Terry Abel, Fire Chief)
A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, FLORIDA, APPROVING AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, AND THE FLORIDA KEYS MOSQUITO CONTROL DISTRICT PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 163, FLORIDA STATUTES; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE
- C.** Resolution Approving Final Ranking and Recommendation of the Auditor Selection Committee **TAB 22** (Maria Bassett, Finance Director)
A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, FLORIDA; APPROVING THE FINAL RANKING AND RECOMMENDATION OF THE AUDIT COMMITTEE FOR THE SELECTION OF THE VILLAGE'S AUDITOR; AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER AS THE COUNCIL'S DESIGNEE TO NEGOTIATE A PROFESSIONAL AUDITING SERVICES CONTRACT FOR FUTURE CONSIDERATION OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE
- D.** Resolution Approving Settlement Agreement in the Matter of Glynn Heirs v. Islamorada, Village of Islands **TAB 23** (John Quick, Interim Village Attorney)
A RESOLUTION OF THE VILLAGE COUNCIL OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE MEDIATED SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT RELATING TO THE GLYNN PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREIN; AUTHORIZING VILLAGE OFFICIALS TO EXECUTE, DELIVER AND IMPLEMENT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT; PROVIDING FOR AUTHORIZATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

XI. ORDINANCES

- A.** Ordinance Amending the Village Code to Modify the Vessel Exclusion Zone/Swim Area Generally Located off of Port Antigua and White Marlin Beach on Lower Matecumbe Key - **First Reading TAB 24** (Peter Frezza, Environmental Resources Manager)
AN ORDINANCE OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 66 "WATERWAYS", ARTICLE I "IN GENERAL", SECTION 66-2 "OPERATION OF VESSELS IN RESTRICTED AREAS" OF THE VILLAGE CODE TO MODIFY THE VESSEL EXCLUSION ZONE/SWIM AREA GENERALLY LOCATED OFF OF PORT ANTIGUA AND WHITE MARLIN BEACH ON

LOWER MATECUMBE KEY, AS FURTHER DESCRIBED ON EXHIBIT “A”; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

- B.** Ordinance Relating to Trespass on Public Property - **Second Reading TAB 25** (John Quick, Interim Village Attorney)
AN ORDINANCE OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 50 “STREETS, SIDEWALKS AND OTHER PUBLIC PLACES”, ARTICLE I “GENERAL”, CREATING SECTION 50-2 TO BE ENTITLED “TRESPASS WARNINGS; AUTHORIZATION TO ISSUE TRESPASS WARNING FOR PUBLIC PROPERTY; AND APPEAL PROCESS” OF THE VILLAGE CODE RELATING TO TRESPASS ON PUBLIC PROPERTY WITHIN THE VILLAGE; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE
- C.** Ordinance Calling for a Referendum to Revise Term Limits - **on Motion for Reconsideration of vote on first reading TAB 26** (John Quick, Interim Village Attorney)
- D.** Ordinance Calling for a Referendum to Increase Council Compensation - **First Reading TAB 27** (John Quick, Interim Village Attorney)
AN ORDINANCE OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, FLORIDA, PROVIDING FOR AN INCREASE IN COMPENSATION FOR VILLAGE COUNCIL MEMBERS; PROVIDING FOR REFERENDUM TO BE HELD WITH THE REGULAR VILLAGE ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 5, 2024; PROVIDING FOR SUBMISSION TO THE ELECTORS OF A PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE VILLAGE CHARTER PERTAINING TO INCREASED COMPENSATION FOR COUNCIL MEMBERS; PROVIDING FOR REQUISITE BALLOT LANGUAGE; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CHARTER/CONFORMITY OF AMENDMENT; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF CONFLICTING PROVISIONS; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE
- E.** Ordinance Amending Administrative Procedures Platting - **First Reading TAB 28** (John Quick, Interim Village Attorney)
AN ORDINANCE OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 30 “LAND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS”, ARTICLE IV “ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES”, DIVISION 10 “PLATTING”, SECTION 30-431 OF THE VILLAGE CODE; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.
- F.** Ordinance Amending Administrative Procedures Zoning in Progress - **First Reading TAB 29** (John Quick, Interim Village Attorney)

**AN ORDINANCE OF ISLAMORADA, VILLAGE OF ISLANDS,
FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 30 “LAND DEVELOPMENT
REGULATIONS”, ARTICLE IV “ADMINISTRATIVE
PROCEDURES”, DIVISION 2 “DEVELOPMENT REVIEW
PROCESS”, SECTION 30-212 OF THE VILLAGE CODE TO
CREATE A ZONING IN PROGRESS PROVISION; PROVIDING FOR
SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR INCLUSION IN THE CODE;
AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

XII. MOTIONS

- A.** Approval of 2024 Regular Council Meeting Schedule **TAB 30** (Marne McGrath, Village Clerk)

**MOTION TO ADOPT THE PROPOSED 2024 MEETING
CALENDAR AND RESCIND THE 2024 LAND USE COUNCIL
MEETING CALENDAR APPROVED ON OCTOBER 10, 2023**

XIII. ADJOURNMENT

Options for Viewing the Village Council Meeting:

The public is encouraged to watch the meeting on Monroe County’s MCTV Comcast Channel 77. Alternatively, the public may view the meeting streamed live on the Village website from their personal computer, tablet or phone via the following link:

https://www.islamorada.fl.us/departments/communications/live_village_broadcast_meeting.php

Option 1: Email your comments.

1. Public comment should be submitted via email to: public.comment@islamorada.fl.us
2. The email should contain “Public Comment” in the subject line.
3. The name and address of the submitter shall be included in the email.
4. Public comment should be submitted by 9 a.m. the day before the meeting. Public comment will be sent to the Village Councilmembers for consideration prior to the meeting. Public comments will not be read during the meeting.

Option 2: Call in During the Meeting.

1. If phoning in, dial 305-224-1968 and enter the webinar **ID: 911 0656 4166** followed by #. When the Mayor opens public comment pertaining to the agenda item you are interested in dial ***9** to be recognized by the Zoom meeting monitor. The Monitor will call you by the last four digits of your phone number. **Please be sure to unmute your phone when you are called upon.**
2. If watching online via Zoom: Open the Zoom webinar link <https://zoom.us/j/91106564166> and follow the prompts to join the webinar. When the Mayor opens public comment use the “raise your hand” feature to be recognized by the meeting monitor. Public comments will be heard in the order in which they are received.

ADA Assistance:

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