



## **RESOLUTION NO. 2023-07**

### **A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN APPLICATION FOR GRANT FUNDING FROM THE ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES (ADCNR), ALABAMA COASTAL AREA MANAGEMENT PROGRAM (ACAMP) FOR THE CREATION OF A COMPREHENSIVE MASTER PLAN**

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Magnolia Springs intends to make application to the Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources for grant assistance from the Alabama Coastal Area Management Program (ACAMP) for the creation of a Comprehensive Master Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town's existing comprehensive plan is dated and does not address current growth trends and new demands placed on Town services and facilities due to the recent growth of the Town and surrounding area, as well as new land use needs to accommodate the growth; and

**WHEREAS**, South Alabama Regional Planning Commission (SARPC) has agreed to administer and assist with the creation of a Comprehensive Plan, providing data collection and public input through research, collaboration with Town staff, mapping, land use studies, photography, public meetings and Census updates, and;

**WHEREAS**, the grant requires a 1 to 1 match with SARPC receiving \$45,000 of the grant award from NOAA & ADCNR and with the Town responsible for \$45,000 of the match; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town would be responsible for \$45,000 of the \$90,000 grant that can be paid with in-kind donations or cash funds;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MAGNOLIA SPRINGS, ALABAMA** as follows:

**Section 1:** That the Mayor and Town Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute and attest, respectively, a grant application with the Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Alabama Coastal Area Management Program (ACAMP), through the South Alabama Regional Planning Commission (SARPC) for the creation of a Comprehensive Master Plan and any prior authorization and execution of said application is hereby ratified and approved.

**Section 2:** That grant funds will be available October 1, 2023, for a period not to exceed 12 months.

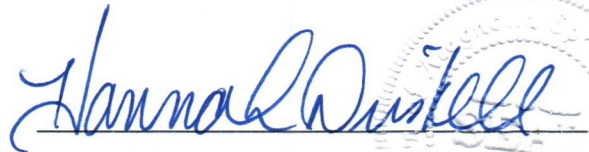
**Section 3:** That in the event a grant is awarded, the Town of Magnolia Springs understands that it will comply with all applicable Federal and State laws, rules and regulations.

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 28<sup>th</sup> day of March 2023.

ATTEST:



Kim Koniar, Mayor



Hannah Driskell, Town Clerk

