

**RESOLUTION NO. 07-02-10**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COMMISSION OF  
THE TOWN OF LAKE PARK, FLORIDA  
AUTHORIZING THE MANAGER TO SUBMIT A  
GRANT APPLICATION TO THE FLORIDA  
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE FOR THE  
AMERICAN REINVESTMENT RECOVERY ACT  
(STIMULUS FUNDING) FLORIDA FOREST  
HEALTH IMPROVEMENT INITIATIVE**

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Lake Park (“Town”) is a municipal corporation of the State of Florida with such power and authority as has been conferred upon it by the Florida Constitution and Chapter 166, Florida Statutes; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town desires to implement strategies that will improve the quality of life for residents and visitors in the community; and

**WHEREAS**, the Florida Department of Agriculture has released an Urban and Community Forestry Grant Request for Proposal for the American Reinvestment Recovery Act Florida Forest Health Improvement Initiative that will fund up to \$24,000 for the purchase and planting of trees for single project sites; and

**WHEREAS**, trees contribute substantially to the beauty and quality of life in our community; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Lake Park wishes to enter into a Memorandum of Agreement between the Town of Lake Park, Florida and the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services for an American Reinvestment Recovery Act Florida Forest Health Improvement Initiative grant, and

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Lake Park is willing to provide proper care and maintenance for the trees planted in the project funded through this grant program, as described in the grant agreement and Maintenance Memorandum of Agreement.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Town Commission of the  
Town of Lake Park, Florida:

**SECTION 1.** The Town Commission authorizes and directs the Manager to submit the application for the American Reinvestment Recovery Act Florida Forest Health Initiative Grant.

**SECTION 2.** The Town Commission authorizes and directs the Manager to sign and submit the grant agreement that may be forthcoming as a result of the grant application.

**SECTION 3.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Commissioner Daly, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Rumsey and upon being put to a roll call vote, the vote was as follows:

	AYE	NAY
MAYOR DESCA DUBOIS	<u>  /  </u>	<u>  </u>
VICE-MAYOR JEFF CAREY	<u>  /  </u>	<u>  </u>
COMMISSIONER ED DALY	<u>  /  </u>	<u>  </u>
COMMISSIONER PATRICIA OSTERMAN	<u>  /  </u>	<u>  </u>
COMMISSIONER KENDALL RUMSEY	<u>  /  </u>	<u>  </u>

The Town Commission thereupon declared the foregoing Resolution NO. 07-02-10 duly passed and adopted this 3 day of February, 2010.

TOWN OF LAKE PARK, FLORIDA

BY: Desca Dubois  
DESCA DUBOIS  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Vivian Lemley  
VIVIAN M. LEMLEY  
TOWN CLERK

TOWN OF LAKE PARK  
TOWN SEAL  
SEAL

FLORIDA

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:

BY: Thomas J. Baird  
THOMAS J. BAIRD  
TOWN ATTORNEY