## **RESOLUTION NO. 2010 – 095**

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, FLORIDA AUTHORIZING THE TOWN ADMINISTRATION TO PREPARE AND TO SUBMIT A GRANT APPLICATION FOR THE FLORIDA RECREATION DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM TO HELP FUND PARK DEVELOPMENT WITHIN THE TOWN'S COUNTRY ESTATES FISHING HOLE PARK; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN ADMINISTRATOR TO TRANSMIT THE APPLICATION; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**WHEREAS**, the Florida Recreation Development Assistance Program (FRDAP) has initiated competitive grant programs, which provide grants for acquisition or development of land for public outdoor recreation; and

**WHERAS,** FRDAP is a competitive grant program that provides financial assistance to local governments for development or acquisition of land for public outdoor recreational purposes; and

**WHEREAS,** the Office of Information and Recreation Services evaluates each eligible application according to Florida Administrative Code and assigns a final score. Based on the scores, FRDAP prepares and submits a recommended priority list to the Florida Legislature for funding consideration; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town purchased the 16-acre site in Country Estates with both Florida Communities Trust and Broward County Bond Program funds; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town's internal grant policy requires the Town Council's authorization prior to the submission of any grant application; and

**WHEREAS**, this Resolution seeks to comply with the Town's internal grant policy.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Town Council of the Town of Southwest Ranches, Florida:

**Section 1:** <u>Recitals.</u> The recitals above are true and correct and are incorporated herein by reference.

**Section 2:** <u>Approval.</u> The Town Council of the Town of Southwest Ranches hereby authorizes the submission of a grant application to Florida Recreation

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Development Assistance Program before the grant deadline of September 30, 2010 to help fund park development within the Town's Country Estates Fishing Hole Park.

**Section 3:** Authorization. The Town Council of the Town of Southwest Ranches does hereby authorize its Town Administrator to transmit the applicable grant application, to attend all necessary meetings, and to coordinate the execution of final grant agreements, if any, between the parties

**Section 4:** Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Town Council of the Town of Southwest Ranches, Florida, this 27th day of September, on a motion by Council Member McKay and seconded by Vice Mayor Knight.

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Approved as to Form and Correctness:

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Keith M. Poliakoff, Town Attorney