

RESOLUTION NO. 2014 – 035

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE 2013 AMENDMENTS TO THE THREE (3) INTERLOCAL AGREEMENTS WITH BROWARD COUNTY PROVIDING FOR THE DIVISION AND DISTRIBUTION OF THE PROCEEDS OF THE LOCAL OPTION GAS TAX, THE BROWARD COUNTY FIFTH-CENT LOCAL OPTION GAS TAX, AND THE ADDITIONAL LOCAL OPTION GAS TAX; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, TOWN ADMINISTRATOR AND TOWN ATTORNEY TO EXECUTE SAID AGREEMENTS; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Broward County Commission enacted Ordinance #88-27 on June 14, 1988 to extend the levy of the six cent local option gas tax upon every gallon of motor fuel and special fuel sold in Broward County; and

WHEREAS, the Broward County Commission enacted Ordinance #2000-25 on June 13, 2000 to extend the levy of the fifth cent local option gas tax upon every gallon of motor fuel and special fuel sold in Broward County; and

WHEREAS, upon the creation of the municipality, the Town entered into an agreement with Broward County establishing its local option gas tax; and

WHEREAS, all three (3) Agreements provide that the population figures, which are the basis for the revenue, be adjusted annually based on the current "Florida Estimates of Population" as published by the Bureau of Economics and Business Research, Population Division, University of Florida; and

WHEREAS, this Agreement will provide funding for the 2014-15 fiscal year through the distribution of the Town's share of the proceeds from the six cent local option gas tax in the amount of 0.156693% of the incorporated portion; and

WHEREAS, this Agreement will provide funding for the 2014-15 fiscal year through the distribution of the Town's share of the proceeds from the fifth cent local option gas tax in the amount of 0.214231% of the incorporated portion; and

WHEREAS, this Agreement will provide funding for the 2014-15 fiscal year through the distribution of the Town's share of the proceeds from the local option gas tax for transit in the amount of 0.108641% of the incorporated portion; and

WHEREAS, Section 336.025 (1)(a), Florida Statutes, requires the majority of the population of the incorporated areas within the County to approve an Interlocal Agreement in support of the distribution and methodology for the distribution to continue in its present form.

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

Section 1: Recitals. The above-referenced recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2: The Town Council hereby approves the Interlocal Agreement with Broward County, substantially in the form of the Agreements attached as Exhibit "1," "2" and "3," providing for the division and distribution of the proceeds of the local option gas tax.

Section 3: Authorization. The Mayor, Town Administrator and Town Attorney are hereby authorized to enter into the Interlocal Agreement with Broward County, substantially in the form of the Agreements attached as Exhibit "1," "2" and "3," providing for the division and distribution of the proceeds of the local option gas tax and to make such modifications, additions and/or deletions which they deem necessary and proper to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

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 24 day of April, 2014 on a motion by Council Member Breitkreuz and seconded by Council Member Fisikelli.

Nelson	<u>Absent</u>	Ayes	<u>3</u>
Fisikelli	<u>Yes</u>	Nays	<u>0</u>
Breitkreuz	<u>Yes</u>	Absent	<u>2</u>
Jablonski	<u>Yes</u>		
McKay	<u>Absent</u>		

[Signatures on Following Page]



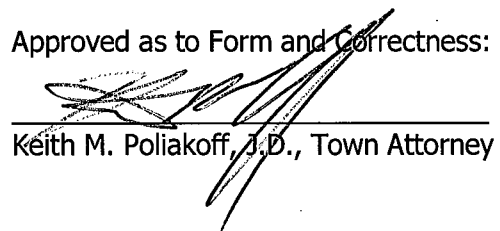
Jeff Nelson, Mayor

Gary Jablonski, Vice-Mayor

ATTEST:


Russell Muñiz, MMC, Town Clerk

Approved as to Form and Correctness:


Keith M. Poliakoff, J.D., Town Attorney