

LEON COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 21- 12

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF LEON COUNTY, FLORIDA, TO ESTABLISH A TASK FORCE WHICH SHALL BE NAMED THE CITIZENS' NORTH MONROE CORRIDOR TASK FORCE, AND WHICH SHALL OPERATE AND FUNCTION AS A FOCUS GROUP.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Leon County, Florida (the Board) recognizes and acknowledges that the North Monroe Corridor requires examination of issues related to quality of life and economic health to maintain the high quality of service and development standards of the County;

WHEREAS, Leon County wants to address issues along the North Monroe Street corridor from Fred George Road to Tharpe Street including crime, indigent populations, and gateway and corridor improvements; and

WHEREAS, Leon County identifies benefits in collaborating with the City, and with examination and input from stakeholder participants along the corridor, the Board wishes to establish and appoint a task force to function and operate in accordance with Board Policy No. 03-15, "Board-Appointed Citizen Committees."

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF LEON COUNTY, that:

1. The Board hereby establishes a task force, to be named the Citizens' North Monroe Corridor Task Force, that will focus on the North Monroe Street corridor from Fred George Road to Tharpe Street.

2. The purpose and intent of the Citizens' North Monroe Corridor Task Force is to serve as a fact-finding source of community input and resources from community stakeholders and examine 3 priority issues including crime, indigent populations, and gateway and corridor

improvements; and to identify in a final report, short-term and long-term opportunities to reduce crime, and improve safety and overall conditions, including economic conditions and aesthetics, along the North Monroe Street corridor between Fred George Road and Tharpe Street.

3. The Citizens' North Monroe Corridor Task Force shall function and operate as a Focus Group in accordance with Board Policy No. 03-15, "Board-Appointed Citizen Committees."

4. The Citizens' North Monroe Corridor Task Force shall have 12 members. The members shall all be residents of Leon County and shall be to be appointed as follows:

- a. Six (6) Citizens or Citizen Group representatives, three (3) to be appointed by the County Administrator and three (3) to be appointed by the City;
- b. Four (4) Business or Business sector representatives, two (2) to be appointed by the County Administrator and two (2) to be appointed by the City; and
- c. Two (2) Nonprofit or Service Organizations representatives to be appointed by the County Administrator.

5. The City shall inform the County Administrator of its appointments no later than May 13, 2021. If the City fails to notify the County of its appointments by this date, the County Administrator shall appoint the remaining vacancies on behalf of the City.

6. The terms of the members shall be for the life of the Task Force. Any vacancies may be filled by the County Administrator or his designee for the remainder of the term.

7. Staff from the Tallahassee-Leon County Planning Department, with support from pertinent County Departments, shall assist the Citizens' North Monroe Corridor Task Force.

8. The members of the Citizens' North Monroe Corridor Task Force shall not be subject to full and public disclosure of financial interests.


9. The Citizens' North Monroe Corridor Task Force shall be dissolved or extended

by agreement of the Board upon the completion of the task force report, but no later than January 31, 2022.

10. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.


DONE, ADOPTED, AND PASSED by the Board of County Commissioners of Leon County, Florida, this 13th day of April, 2021.

LEON COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: 
Rick Minor, Chairman
Board of County Commissioners

ATTESTED BY:


Gwendolyn Marshall, Clerk of Court
& Comptroller, Leon County, Florida

By: 



APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Leon County Attorney's Office

By: **Chasity H. O'Steen**

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