## RESOLUTION NO. 2023-01

- 1 A RESOLUTION OF THE BROWARD COUNTY HISTORIC PRESERVATION
- 2 BOARD RECOMMENDING THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
- 3 BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, APPROVE FUNDING, FROM THE BROWARD
- 4 COUNTY HISTORIC PRESERVATION FUND, TO ESTABLISH A HISTORIC
- 5 MARKER PROGRAM; AND PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND AN EFFECTIVE
- 6 DATE.

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- 8 WHEREAS, the Broward County Historic Preservation Board was established in
- 9 Section 5-535 of the Broward County Code of Ordinances (the "Code") to implement and give
- 10 effect to the County's historic preservation policy;
- 11 WHEREAS, the County's historic preservation policy is intended to:
- 12 (1) Effectuate and accomplish the protection, enhancement, and perpetuation of
- 13 buildings, structures, improvements, archaeological resources, landscape features, and
- 14 architectural resources of sites and districts that represent distinctive elements of the
- 15 County's cultural, social, economic, political, scientific, religious, prehistoric, and architectural
- 16 history;
- 17 (2) Safeguard the County's historical, cultural, archaeological, and architectural
- 18 heritage as embodied and reflected in such individual structures, sites, and districts and to
- 19 protect such structures, sites, and districts in order to maintain physical evidence of the
- 20 County's heritage;
- 21 (3) Foster civic pride in the accomplishments of the past;
- 22 (4) Protect and enhance the County's attraction to visitors and to support and
- stimulate the economy thereby; and

24 (5) Promote the use of individual structures, sites, and districts for the education, 25 pleasure, and welfare of the residents of and visitors to Broward County; 26 WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 5-535(e)(2) of the Code, the Broward County Historic 27 Preservation Board is authorized to provide "historical markers . . . for individual historical 28 resources, districts, archaeological sites, archaeological zones, and paleontological zones"; 29 WHEREAS, the Broward County Historic Preservation Board desires to identify 30 historic sites that have petitioned for recognition through the implementation of a Historic 31 Marker Program (the "Program"); 32 WHEREAS, the Broward County Historic Preservation Board finds the Program to be 33 consistent with, beneficial to, and in support of the County's historic preservation policy; 34 WHEREAS, the Broward County Historic Preservation Trust Fund was established as 35 a trust fund created for the use and benefit of historic preservation within Broward County; 36 WHEREAS, expenditures from the County's Historic Preservation Trust Fund are 37 authorized by the Broward County Director of Finance and Administrative Services upon 38 receipt of a resolution adopted by the Board of County Commissioners; and 39 WHEREAS, the Broward County Historic Preservation Board has determined that the 40 Program is eligible for funding through the County's Historic Preservation Trust Fund, NOW, 41 THEREFORE, 42 43 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BROWARD COUNTY HISTORIC PRESERVATION 44 **BOARD** that:

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Section 1. Broward County Historic Preservation Board recommends the Board of County Commissioners adopt a resolution authorizing the expenditure of an amount not to exceed fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), from the Broward County Historic Preservation Trust Fund, to create a Historic Marker Program.

Section 2. Severability.

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If any portion of this Resolution is determined by any court to be invalid, the invalid portion will be stricken, and such striking will not affect the validity of the remainder of this Resolution. If any court determines that this Resolution, in whole or in part, cannot be legally applied to any individual, group, entity, property, or circumstance, such determination will not affect the applicability of this Resolution to any other individual, group, entity, property, or circumstance.

Section 3. Effective Date.

This Resolution is effective upon adoption.

ADOPTED this 20th day of April, 2023.

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency: Andrew J. Meyers, County Attorney

By: <u>/s/Matthew Haber</u> 04/20/2023 Matthew Haber (date)

**Assistant County Attorney** 

By: <u>/s/ Maite Azcoitia</u> 04/20/2023 Maite Azcoitia (date)

**Deputy County Attorney** 

MH/tb BC Historic Preservation Fund 04/27/2023