

## RESOLUTION 2004-70

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, FLORIDA APPROVING AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH BROWARD COUNTY, FOR ACQUISITION, PRESERVATION, IMPROVEMENT, ENHANCEMENT, OPERATION AND MANAGEMENT OF SOUTHWEST MEADOWS SANCTUARY -OS-55 AND OS104-; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR, TOWN ADMINISTRATOR AND TOWN ATTORNEY TO EXECUTE SAID INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT; APPROVING THE PARK MANAGEMENT PLAN; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE THEREFOR.**

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Southwest Ranches has been generously awarded a \$2,977,647 grant from Broward County to reimburse the Town for the Town's acquisition of the Southwest Meadows Sanctuary; and

**WHEREAS**, as a condition of obtaining the grant the Town must enter into an Interlocal Agreement with the County regarding the acquisition, preservation, improvement, operation and management of the property; and

**WHEREAS**, Broward County and the Town are desirous of satisfying this condition.

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

**Section 1.** The above referenced recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by reference.

**Section 2.** The Town Council hereby approves the Interlocal Agreement, attached hereto as Exhibit "A", between the Town of Southwest Ranches and Broward County regarding the acquisition, preservation, improvement, operation, and management of the Southwest Meadows Sanctuary.

**Section 3.** The Town Council hereby authorizes the Mayor, Town Administrator and Town Attorney to enter into the Interlocal Agreement and to make such modifications, additions and/or deletions which they deem necessary and proper to effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

**Section 4.** The Town Council hereby approves the Park Management Plan, attached hereto as Exhibit "B", for the Southwest Meadows Sanctuary.

**Section 5.** That this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Town Council of the Town of Southwest Ranches, Florida, this \_\_\_\_ day of May 2004, on a motion by Vice Mayor Knight and seconded by Council Member Blanton

Fink	<u>  1  </u>	Ayes	<u>  5  </u>
Knight	<u>  1  </u>	Nays	<u>      </u>
Blanton	<u>  Y  </u>	Absent or	<u>      </u>
Maines	<u>  Y  </u>	Abstaining	<u>      </u>
Nelson	<u>  Y  </u>		

*Mecca Fink*  
Mecca Fink, Mayor

ATTEST:  
*Shari Canada*  
Shari Canada, Town Clerk

Approved as to Form and Correctness:  
*Gary A. Poliakoff*  
Gary A. Poliakoff, J.D., Town Attorney  
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