#### **RESOLUTION NO. 2022-03**

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE CITY CENTER COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT ADOPTING A POLICY REGARDING PARKING AND TOWING FROM DISTRICT OWNED COMMON AREA; AUTHORIZING THE ENGAGEMENT OF AN AUTHORIZED TOWING OPERATOR; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS AND SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City Center Community Development District (the "District") is a local unit of special-purpose government created and existing pursuant to Chapter 190, Florida Statutes, being situated in Polk County, Florida;

WHEREAS, the District owns and maintains certain roads and rights-of-way located within the boundaries of the District, described in **Exhibit "A"**, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference (collectively, the "**District-Owned Property**");

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the District (the "Board") is authorized by Sections 190.011(15) and 190.012(2)(d), Florida Statutes, to contract with a towing operator to remove vehicles from District-Owned Property if the notice and procedures requirements of section 715.07, Florida Statutes, are followed;

WHEREAS, unauthorized vehicles on the District-Owned Property may pose a danger or cause a hazard to the health, safety, and welfare of the District, its residents, its infrastructure, and the general public;

WHEREAS, the District desires to contract with a towing operator that is included on an approved list of towing operators in Polk County, Florida, to tow unauthorized vehicles from District-Owned Property;

WHEREAS, the Board held a public meeting to receive public comment on its proposed parking and towing policy.

#### NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD:

- 1. <u>Incorporation of Recitals</u>. The above recitals are true and correct and by this reference are incorporated as a material part of this resolution.
- 2. <u>Adoption of Parking and Towing Policy</u>. The Board hereby adopts the Parking and Towing Policy attached hereto as **Exhibit "B"**.
- 3. Authorizing the Engagement of an Approved Towing Operator.
  - a. The Board hereby authorizes the District to enter into an agreement with a company that is authorized to perform towing or wrecker services in compliance with Florida law, applicable Polk County regulations, and the Parking and Towing Policy.
  - b. The District shall coordinate with the towing operator to ensure that the required signage shall be posted on District-Owned Property in the manner required by applicable laws

and regulations (including specifically Section 715.07, Florida Statutes).

- **4.** Conflicts. This Resolution replaces any prior resolutions, policies, rules, actions or any portion or content included therein in conflict with this resolution.
- 5. <u>Severability</u>. If any section or part of a section of this resolution is declared invalid, unconstitutional, or inconsistent with any law or regulation, the validity, force and effect of any other section or part of a section of this resolution shall not thereby be affected or impaired unless it clearly appears that such part of this resolution is wholly or necessarily dependent upon the section or part of a section so held to be invalid or unconstitutional.
- 6. <u>Effective Date.</u> This Resolution shall become effective upon its passage and shall remain in effect unless rescinded, repealed, replaced, or superseded.

Passed and Adopted on February 8, 2022

**Attest:** 

**City Center** 

Community Development District

Assistant Secretary

Name:

Vice Chair of the Board of Supervisor

### CITY CENTER COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT PARKING AND TOWING RULES

Adopted February 8, 2022 (Resolution 2022-03)

- 1.0 <u>Parking and Towing</u>. The rules and regulations of this Section 1.0 are hereby adopted by the City Center Community Development District (the "District") and shall be referred to as the "District Parking and Towing Rules."
  - Applicability. The District Parking and Towing Rules shall be applicable on, over, or within those (a) delineated paved parking areas or stalls owned by or dedicated to the District (the "Parking Areas"), (b) District rights-of-way, including but not limited to the roads, streets, thoroughfares, swales, landscaped areas and sidewalks owned by or dedicated to the District or which the District is responsible for maintaining (the "District Right-of-Way"), all as more particularly shown in Appendix 1.0, which is attached to these Rules and is specifically made a part hereof, as well as (c) anyother property owned by or which the District is responsible for maintaining. For purposes of these District Parking and Towing Rules, "vehicle" shall include any self-propelled vehicle or motorized means of transport.
  - District Parking Areas. Non-commercial vehicles not otherwise prohibited from parking on District Right-of-Way or Parking Areas are permitted to park within designated District Parking Areas throughout the District on District property. Overnight parking, defined as parking in the District Parking Areas between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. daily, of those non-commercial vehicles authorized to or not prohibited from parking on the Right-of-Way is permitted for a time period not to exceed 72 hours. No trailers shall be parked in the defined Parking Areas of the District. Should the trailer be attached or hooked up to a vehicle and parked in violation of these Rules, the trailer and the vehicle are each subject to towing.

#### 1.3 On-Street Parking.

- 1.3.1 On-street parking in the District is limited to the following locations and hours, otherwise it is strictly prohibited:
  - (a) Parking in designated paved parking spaces or stalls shall be permitted on the streets for no longer than six (6) continuous hours in any one day. While parking, all parking rules and regulations, including those of Polk County and the State of Florida must be followed. The Board of Supervisors may grant temporary exceptions when it deems appropriate.

- (b) Commercial vehicles (which for purposes of this provision are defined as vehicles not designed and used for normal personal/family transportation, vehicles with work racks, tool racks and/or visible equipment, and/or vehicles bearing lettering, graphics, contact information, logos, advertising and/or any other commercial insignia), limousines, lawn maintenance vehicles, construction vehicles, trailers of any kind, vehicles for hire, or vehicles used in business of or for the purpose of transporting goods, equipment, passengers and the like, or any trucks or vans which are larger than one ton, or any dual-wheel trucks shall not be parked on, over, or within the District Right-of-Way or any District Parking Areas, except during the period of delivery or the provision of services to the adjacent businesses or residential unit(s). Such vehicles temporarily parked in accordance with this section shall be fully parked on a paved surface designed for parking or vehicular travel. No portion of the vehicle shall be parked on, over, or within a landscaped or grassed surface of the District, including but not limited to the swale.
- (c) Recreational vehicles, including campers, mobile homes and motor homes, regardless of size, all-terrain vehicles (ATVs or ATCs), go-carts, motorcycles, mini-motorcycles, mopeds, unregistered vehicles, boats, and trailers of any type, are prohibited at all times from parking or being parked on, over, or within any portion of the District Right-of-Way or District Parking Areas; however, recreational vehicles may be temporarily parked in said areas for no more than eight (8) hours for the purposes of loading and unloading only.
- (d) Individuals working in the District may park within the areas actively under construction in the District as specifically permitted by the District Manager or his/her designee.
- (e) All vehicles are prohibited from on-street parking between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. daily.
- 1.3.2 No vehicle bearing a "For Sale" or similar sign shall be parked on, over, or within the District Right-of-Way or any District Parking Area.
- 1.3.3 Vehicles temporarily parked in accordance with Section 1.3.1 above shall not park in any manner which has the effect of disrupting the normal flow of traffic, which would block the ingress or egress of trucks, public service vehicles, and emergency vehicles, which would require other vehicles to leave the paved surface of the District Rights-of-Way to pass, or which would result in a vehicle being parked in a portion of more than one parking stall of a District Parking Area.

In addition, vehicles temporarily parked in accordance with Section 1.3.1 above:

- (a) Shall not park facing the wrong direction on the street.
- (b) Shall not park in any manner that blocks access to a driveway.
- (c) Shall not park in any manner that blocks a sidewalk.
- (d) Shall not park with tires on the grass, as this may cause damage to the District's irrigation.
- (e) Shall not park within thirty (30') feet of the approach to a stop sign.
- 1.3.4 Any vehicle that cannot operate on its own power is prohibited from being parked on, over, or within the District Right-of-Way or any District Parking Area, and shall immediately be removed.
- 1.3.5 No vehicle bearing an expired registration, missing license plate, or a license plate that fails to match the vehicle registration shall be parked on, over, or within the District Rights-of-Way or any District Parking Area.
- 1.3.6 It is a violation of the District Parking and Towing Rules for a vehicle otherwise lawfully parked on, over, or within the District Rights-of-Way or any District Parking Area to be covered or partially covered with a tarpaulin or other type of vehicle cover. No vehicle parked on, over, or within the District Rights-of-Way or any District Parking Area shall be used as a domicile or residence either temporarily or permanently.
- 1.4 Parking in Other Areas of the District. Parking of any vehicle or trailer, including but not limited to those referenced in Section 1.3.1 above, is strictly prohibited on or within all non-paved District property, including but not limited to, landscaped or grassed areas within or adjacent to any District Right-of-Way. This prohibition shall remain in effect twenty-four (24) hours per day, seven (7) days per week.

### 1.5 Enforcement

1.5.1 <u>Towing</u>. Any vehicle parked in violation of the District Parking and Towing Rules may be towed at the vehicle owner's expense by a towing contractor approved by the District Board of Supervisors pursuant to Section 715.07, Florida Statutes. Vehicles parked in violation of the District Parking and Towing Rules upon first offense, may receive a warning affixed to the vehicle. Towing may be initiated only after the first offense of the vehicle, trailer, or object parked in violation of these Rules. Thereafter, upon direction in writing (email and facsimile are acceptable) from the District Manager, or a designee of the District Manager, the tow contractor is authorized to commence towing for a violation or violations of these Rules pursuant to Section 715.07, Florida Statutes. A vehicle parked in violation of the District Parking and Towing Rules for a period of longer than twenty-four (24) hours after receiving its initial warning under this section shall be subject to towing.

- 1.6 Suspension of Rules. The enforcement of the District Parking and Towing Rules may be suspended in whole or in part for specified periods of time, as determined by resolution of the Board of Supervisors of the District. In addition, the enforcement of the District Parking and Towing Rules may be suspended during emergency situations at the discretion of the District Manager.
- 1.7 <u>Damage to District Property</u>. Should the parking of any vehicle on, over, or within the District Rights-of-Way, District Parking Areas, or District Property, or any portion thereof, even if on a temporary basis, cause damage to District infrastructure, landscaping or other improvement, the owner and driver of the vehicle causing such damage shall be responsible to fully reimburse the District to repair or replace such improvement. Damage includes, but is not limited to, staining caused by fluid leaking onto District parking areas. The decision on whether to repair or replace a damaged improvement shall be at the discretion of the District.
- 1.8 <u>Vehicle Repairs</u>. No vehicle maintenance or repair shall be performed on, over, or within any portion of the District Rights-of-Way, District Parking Area, or District property. No vehicles shall be stored, even temporarily, on blocks on, within, or over the District Rights-of-Way, District Parking Areas, or District Property.
- 1.9 Other Traffic and Parking Regulations. Nothing in these District Parking and Towing Rules shall prohibit local law enforcement from enforcing the laws that are a part of the State Uniform Traffic Control Law, Chapter 316, Florida Statutes, or any other local or state law, rule or ordinance pertaining to vehicular traffic or parking enforcement.

## Appendix 1.0

# <u>District Map Showing Areas where the District Parking</u> and Towing Rules Shall Apply

