RESOLUTION NO. 22-63

RESOLUTION TO EXTEND THE EXISTENCE OF THE SAFETY HARBOR COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AREA FOR ONE YEAR FROM OCTOBER 6, 2022, THROUGH OCTOBER 6, 2023, PURSUANT SECTIONS 163.3755 AND 163.361, FLORIDA STATUTES; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Safety Harbor has requested to extend the current timeline of the Safety Harbor Community Redevelopment Area for an additional 10 years (to 2032); and has requested review and approval of a revised CRA Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners recognizes the importance of the Safety Harbor CRA and its continued existence; and

WHEREAS, the Safety Harbor CRA will expire on October 6, 2022 unless extended by the Board of County Commissioners; and

WHEREAS, the necessary approvals and processes as set out in F.S. Chapter 163, Part III to enact these changes cannot be reasonably accomplished prior to the expiration of the Safety Harbor CRA; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners finds that an extension of the Safety Harbor CRA for one year is necessary to prevent expiration until such time that the requests by the City of Safety Harbor have been reviewed and appropriately acted upon by the Board of County Commissioners;

NOW, THEREFORE, IN REGULAR SESSION DULY ASSEMBLED ON THIS <u>16TH</u> DAY OF <u>AUGUST</u>, <u>2022</u>, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF PINELLAS COUNTY, FLORIDA:

- I. The existence of the Safety Harbor CRA is extended from October 6, 2022 to October 6, 2023, in accordance with Sections 163.3755 and 163.361, Florida Statutes; and
- II. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

Commissioner <u>Flowers</u> offered the foregoing Resolution and moved its adoption, which was seconded by Commissioner <u>Gerard</u> and upon roll call the vote was:

AYES: Justice, Long, Eggers, Flowers, and Gerard.

NAYES: None.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Peters and Seel.