RESOLUTION NO. 2012-01

A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MEXICO BEACH, FLORIDA, TO SUPPORT THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S PLAN TO REBUILD THE 36TH STREET BRIDGE AND PRIORITIZING THIS PROJECT DUE TO SAFETY CONCERNS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the road system in City of Mexico Beach includes a bridge located on North 36th Street; and

WHEREAS, this bridge was built in 1984 and currently has documented structural deficiencies which have forced FDOT to decrease the recommended weight of vehicles utilizing this bridge; and

WHEREAS, the structural deficiencies and weight restrictions prohibit emergency vehicles such as fire trucks from safely traversing the bridge; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mexico Beach lacks the technical ability and funds to replace a bridge of this size and significance.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MEXICO BEACH, FLORIDA, THAT: the Council fully supports the Florida Department of Transportation prioritizing this project and replacing the bridge on North 36th Street in Mexico Beach, Florida.

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF MEXICO BEACH on this 10th Day of January, 2012.

Signed:

William A. Cathey, Mayor

Attest:

Debbie McLeod, City Clerk