RESOLUTION 25-R

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE LEASE OF REAL PROPERTY DESIGNATED AS UNIT 4 IN THE BUILDING LOCATED AT 660 NW PEACOCK BOULEVARD, PORT ST. LUCIE, FLORIDA, 34986, FOR THE STORAGE OF EVIDENTIARY VEHICLES IN THE CUSTODY OF THE CITY'S POLICE DEPARTMENT AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER, OR HIS DESIGNEE, TO TAKE ANY AND ALL APPROPRIATE ACTIONS TO LEASE THE SUBJECT PROPERTY; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Port St. Lucie's Police Department has recommended the lease of real property designated as Unit 4 in the building located at 660 NW Peacock Blvd., Port St. Lucie, Florida, 34986, for the storage of evidentiary vehicles in the custody of the City's Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the City of Port St. Lucie ("City") and its government has steadily grown over time and is expected to continue to grow, and as a result, the City's Police Department expects to receive more vehicles requiring storage as evidence in the future; and

WHEREAS, the subject property is an enclosed space where the City's Police Department can store its current inventory of evidentiary vehicles and additional vehicles as needed; and

WHEREAS, planning for future growth of the City's Police Department and expansion of the City's Police Department facilities is required to meet the anticipated needs of this growing community; and

WHERAS, leasing the subject property for the indoor storage of evidentiary vehicles collected by the City's Police Department is in the public interest, for a public purpose, and necessary for the public health, safety, and welfare; and

WHEREAS, after considering the factors set forth above, the City Council has determined that the lease of the subject property for the future expansion of the City Police Department's evidentiary storage capacity is a public necessity and constitutes a public purpose for which public funds may be expended; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager, or his designee, are hereby authorized and directed to take any and all appropriate action, including but not limited to executing and entering into the Lease Agreement attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit "A", and to accomplish the leasing and possession of the subject property on behalf of the City of Port St. Lucie, Florida.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE, FLORIDA:

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<u>Section 1.</u> <u>Ratification of Recitals</u>. The foregoing recitals are hereby ratified and confirmed as true and correct and are hereby made a part of this Resolution.

Section 2. Implementation. The City Manager, or his designee, are hereby authorized and directed to proceed to take any and all necessary actions, including but not limited to executing the Lease Agreement, for the City of Port St. Lucie to lease, in its own name, by agreement, the real property described above and execute all papers and other instruments required for that purpose.

<u>Section 3.</u> <u>Conflict</u>. If any resolutions, or parts of resolutions, are in conflict herewith, this Resolution shall control to the extent of the conflicting provisions.

<u>Section 4</u>. <u>Severability</u>. The provisions of this Resolution are intended to be severable. If any part of this Resolution is determined to be void or is declared illegal, invalid, or unconstitutional by a Court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this Resolution shall remain in full force and effect.

<u>Section 5.</u> <u>Effective Date.</u> This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPT	ΓΕD by the City Council of the City of Port St. Lucie, Florida, this
day of	, 2025.
	CITY COUNCIL CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE
ATTEST:	By: Shannon M. Martin, Mayor
Sally Walsh, City Clerk	Shamon W. Warun, Wayor
	APPROVED AS TO FORM:
	Richard Berrios, City Attorney