RESOLUTION NO. 2019-29

A RESOLUTION TO BE ENTITLED:

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF PENSACOLA TO EXECUTE, ON BEHALF OF THE PORT OF PENSACOLA, A JOINT PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT WITH THE DISTRICT SECRETARY OR THE DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION DEVELOPMENT OF THE **FLORIDA** DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION FOR A PROJECT PORT PENSACOLA'S UPLAND ENTITLED OF CARGO IMPROVEMENT INITIATIVE.

WHEREAS, the Port of Pensacola has a responsibility to maintain and expand the seaport facility when required; and

WHEREAS, funding has been allocated by the State of Florida to provide funding assistance for Port infrastructure improvements as described in the application for funding submitted to the State; and

WHEREAS, said funding has been included in the Florida Department of Transportation work program; and

WHEREAS, the parties are required to enter into a Public Transportation Grant Agreement in order to lawfully expend state grant funds; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation has offered a Florida Seaport Transportation & Economic Development Program Joint Participation Agreement with a maximum participation by the Florida Department of Transportation of \$225,000.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PENSACOLA, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. That the City of Pensacola, on behalf of the Port of Pensacola, shall enter into the Public Transportation Grant Agreement between the City of Pensacola and the Florida Department of Transportation for Port of Pensacola Upland Cargo Improvement Initiative.

SECTION 2. The City of Pensacola affirms its acceptance of future maintenance and other attendance costs occurring after completion of the Port of Pensacola Upland Cargo Improvement Initiative.

SECTION 3. The Mayor and City Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute and attest the Public Transportation Grant Agreement between the City of Pensacola and the Florida Department of Transportation for Port of Pensacola Upland Cargo Improvement Initiative.

SECTION 4. This resolution shall become effective on the fifth business day after adoption, unless otherwise provided pursuant to Section 4.30(d) of the City Charter of the City of Pensacola.

Adopted: _____

Approved: _____ President of City Council

Attest:

City Clerk