

**CERTIFICATE AS TO PUBLIC MEETINGS
AND NO CONFLICT OF INTEREST**

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CITY OF STUART:

I the undersigned member of the City Commission (the "City Commission") of the City of Stuart, Florida (the "Issuer"), recognizing that the purchaser of \$622,000 City of Stuart, Florida Fire Protection Assessment Revenue Note, Series 2021 (the "Note"), will have purchased said Note in reliance upon this Certificate, DO HEREBY CERTIFY:

(1) that I have no personal knowledge that any two or more members of the City Commission, meeting together, reached any prior conclusion as to whether the actions taken by the City Commission, with respect to said Note, the security therefor and the application of the proceeds thereof, should or should not be taken by the City Commission or should or should not be recommended as an action to be taken or not to be taken by the City Commission, except at public meetings of the City Commission held after due notice to the public was given in the ordinary manner required by law and custom of the City Commission; and

(2) that I do not have or hold any employment or contractual relationship with Seacoast National Bank, which is purchasing the Note from the Issuer that would constitute a prohibited conflict of interest under Part III, Chapter 112, Florida Statutes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my official signature as of the 12th day of April, 2021.

Eula R. Clarke, Mayor

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Michael J. Meier, Commissioner