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Island Wide Street Lighting Grant Received by the Town of Fort Myers Beach

Town of Fort Myers Beach, FL –The Town of Fort Myers Beach received \$7,766,387 in funding from the Florida Department of Emergency Management for Island wide street lighting.

A grant of \$7,766,387 that will provide the entire Island with street lighting has been received by the Town of Fort Myers Beach. This grant is now being provided directly to the Town of Fort Myers Beach instead of being a sub-recipient through Lee County Board of Commissioners. The grant has also been changed to be a one-time payment rather than being paid out on a reimbursement basis.

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The Town of Fort Myers Beach is on Estero Island off the southwest Florida coast of the Gulf of Mexico. The beach stretches for seven miles and is known for white sand, shell finds, and sunsets. The Town took a direct hit in September 2022 from Hurricane Ian, a category five storm, and is in active recovery. Many shops and restaurants are restored and open for business! The Town has been incorporated since 1995.