

## RESOLUTION NO. 98-37

### A RESOLUTION TO OPPOSE HOUSE BILL 3075— LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE PENSIONS.

WHEREAS, House Bill 3075 – Local Police and Fire Pensions will change the way city police and fire pension plans under Chapters 175/185, F.S. operate, and

WHEREAS, the Bill was vetoed by Governor Chiles during the 1998 legislative session, and

WHEREAS, the Florida Legislature is attempting to override the veto of House Bill 3075, and

WHEREAS, House Bill 3075 is an unfunded mandate on local governments and will have a negative fiscal impact while excessively increasing the benefits in the pension programs, and

WHEREAS, the State Regulatory Authority contained in the Bill will cost cities in legal battles, and

WHEREAS, the shifting of the use of tax dollars will require new local dollars to pay for the unfunded mandate.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Marco Island City Council that the City Council hereby opposes House Bill 3075 – Local Police and Fire Pensions and urges our legislative delegation to oppose the Bill.

THIS RESOLUTION shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

Passed in open and regular session of the City Council of the City of Marco Island, Florida, this 11th day of December, 1998.

Attest:



A. William Moss  
City Manager/City Clerk



David E. Brandt, Chairman