

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MARTIN COUNTY, FLORIDA**

RESOLUTION NUMBER 25-_____

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE
MARTIN COUNTY ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TOOLKIT**

WHEREAS, Section 125.045, Florida Statutes, declares the importance of economic development as a public purpose and authorizes counties to expend public funds to attract and retain business enterprises, thereby promoting the general welfare of the community;

WHEREAS, Chapter 15, Economic Element, Martin County Comprehensive Growth Management Plan, identifies strategic objectives for fostering sustainable economic growth, including attracting targeted industries, encouraging capital investment, creating high-quality jobs and improving Martin County's tax base;

WHEREAS, Ordinance Number _____ was approved by the Martin County Board of County Commissioners (Board) on November 18, 2025, which amended Chapter 71, Article 2, Economic Development Fund, Section 71.41 through 71.45, General Ordinances, Martin County Code, and provides that the Board shall adopt the Martin County Economic Development Toolkit by resolution; and

WHEREAS, in compliance with Section 71.45, General Ordinances, Martin County Code, the Board desires to adopt the Martin County Economic Development Toolkit as a strategic, comprehensive framework for the County's economic development incentives and programs in accordance with the Martin County Comprehensive Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of County Commissioners of Martin County, Florida, hereby adopts the Martin County Economic Development Toolkit, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit "A".

[Signature page follows]

DULY PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 18TH DAY OF NOVEMBER 2025.

ATTEST

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MARTIN COUNTY, FLORIDA**

Carolyn Timmann
Clerk of the Circuit Court & Comptroller

Sarah Heard
Chair

**APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL
SUFFICIENCY**

Elysse A. Elder
County Attorney

Exhibit A

[See *attached*]