

### REGULAR MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

OCTOBER 3, 2016 - 6:00 PM

COUNCIL CHAMBERS 117 MACNEIL STREET SAN FERNANDO, CA 91340

### **CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL**

Mayor Robert C. Gonzales
Vice Mayor Joel Fajardo
Councilmember Antonio Lopez
Councilmember Jaime Soto
Councilmember Sylvia Ballin

### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Mayor Robert C. Gonzales

### **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

### **PRESENTATIONS**

- TRIBUTE TO OUR TROOPS
   Mayor Robert C. Gonzales
- b) CERVANTES FUND FOR SOCIAL JUSTICE PROCLAMATION Mayor Robert C. Gonzales

### **PUBLIC STATEMENTS – WRITTEN/ORAL**

There will be a three (3) minute limitation per each member of the audience who wishes to make comments relating to City Business. Anyone wishing to speak, please fill out the blue form located at the Council Chambers entrance and submit it to the City Clerk. When addressing the City Council please speak into the microphone and voluntarily state your name and address.

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### **CONSENT CALENDAR**

Items on the Consent Calendar are considered routine and may be disposed of by a single motion to adopt staff recommendation. If the City Council wishes to discuss any item, it should first be removed from the Consent Calendar.

- 1) REQUEST TO APPROVE MINUTES OF SEPTEMBER 19, 2016 SPECIAL MEETING
- 2) CONSIDERATION TO ADOPT A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE WARRANT REGISTER

Recommend that the City Council adopt Resolution No. 16-101 approving the Warrant Register.

3) CONSIDERATION TO APPROVE AN AGREEMENT WITH TREE PEOPLE TO COMPLETE GREEN STREETS IMPROVEMENTS UTILIZING STATE PROPOSITION 1 GRANT FUNDS

Recommend that the City Council:

- a. Authorize the City Manager to negotiate and execute an agreement with Tree People and the California Coastal Conservancy for grant-funded improvements if the Green Streets Project is approved for funding, in a form approved by the City Attorney (Contract No. 1834); and
- b. Authorize the City Manager to execute the attached letter of support for the proposed Green Streets Project grant application.
- 4) CONSIDERATION TO APPROVE A FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE NON-EXCLUSIVE LICENSE AGREEMENT WITH THE FERNANDEÑO TATAVIAM BAND OF MISSION INDIANS FOR CULTURAL ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

Recommend that the City Council:

- a. Approve the first amendment to the Non-Exclusive License Agreement with the Fernandeño Tataviam Band of Mission Indians for Cultural Enrichment Programs (Contract No. 1832(a)); and
- b. Authorize the City Manager to execute the agreement.



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### **ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS**

### 5) APPOINTMENTS TO CITY COMMISSIONS

Councilmember Jaime Soto is recommending the appointment of Jennifer Helliwell to the Transportation and Safety Commission and Pilar Enriquez to the Parks, Wellness and Recreation Commission as his representatives.

# 6) CONSIDERATION OF LEAGUE OF CALIFORNIA CITIES 2016 ANNUAL CONFERENCE RESOLUTION

Recommend that the City Council:

- a. Determine a City position on the League of California Cities 2016 Annual Conference Resolution entitled: "Resolution Committing the League of California Cities to Supporting Vision Zero, Toward Zero Deaths, and Other Programs or Initiatives to Make Safety a Top Priority for Transportation Projects and Policy Formulation, While Encouraging Cities to Pursue Similar Initiatives." And
- b. Direct the City Council's Voting Delegate (i.e., Vice Mayor Joel Fajardo) and/or Alternate Voting Delegates (i.e., Mayor Robert C. Gonzales and Councilmember Jaime Soto) to vote accordingly on the City Council's behalf at the 2016 League of California Cities Annual Business Meeting.

### 7) DISCUSSION OF COMMUNITY FORUM REGARDING POLICE AND PUBLIC RELATIONS

This item is placed on the agenda by Vice Mayor Joel Fajardo.

# 8) PRESENTATION BY BLUE GREEN ALLIANCE REGARDING GAS LEAK SIGN ON LETTER TO THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

This item is placed on the agenda by Mayor Robert C. Gonzales.

### 9) UPDATE ON HOMELESS INITIATIVES

This item is placed on the agenda by Vice Mayor Joel Fajardo.



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### RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION

A) CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL TO DISCUSS FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES WHICH CREATE EXPOSURE TO LITIGATION OR MAY OTHERWISE RESULT IN LITIGATION G.C. §54956.9(d)(2) AND §54956.9(e)(3) One (1) Matter

B) CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL TO DISCUSS AND PROVIDE UPDATES ON MULTIPLE EXISTING LITIGATION MATTERS

G.C. §54956.9(d)(1)

Jorge Bayardo v. City of San Fernando, LASC Case No. BC626481 Kevin Yoo v. City of San Fernando, LASC Case No. BC626482 Young Bin Cho v. City of San Fernando, LASC Case No. BC626478 Jeffrey Pak v. City of San Fernando, LASC Case No. BC626480 Saul Garibay v. City of San Fernando, LASC Case No. BC626479

C) CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR

G.C. §54957.6

**Designated City Negotiators:** 

City Manager Brian Saeki

Deputy City Manager/Public Works Director Chris Marcarello

Finance Director Nick Kimball

City Attorney Rick Olivarez

Assistant City Attorney Richard Padilla

Employees and Employee Bargaining Units that are the Subject of Negotiation:

San Fernando Management Group (SEIU, Local 721)

San Fernando Public Employees' Association (SEIU, Local 721)

San Fernando Police Officers Association

San Fernando Police Officers Association Police Management Unit

San Fernando Police Civilian Association

San Fernando Part-time Employees' Bargaining Unit (SEIU, Local 721)

All Unrepresented Employees

### **CITY COUNCIL - LIAISON UPDATES**

### **DEPARTMENT HEADS - COMMISSION UPDATES**



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### **GENERAL COUNCIL COMMENTS**

### **STAFF COMMUNICATION**

### **ADJOURNMENT**

I hereby certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing agenda was posted on the City Hall bulletin board not less than 72 hours prior to the meeting.

Elena G. Chávez, CMC

City Clerk

Signed and Posted: September 29, 2016 (5:00 p.m.)

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# Regular Meeting San Fernando City Council



# SAN FERNANDO CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

### SEPTEMBER 19, 2016 – 4:30 P.M. SPECIAL MEETING

City Hall Community Room 117 Macneil Street San Fernando, CA 91340

### CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL

Mayor Robert C. Gonzales called the meeting to order at 4:52 p.m.

Present:

Council: Mayor Robert C. Gonzales, Vice Mayor Joel Fajardo, and Councilmember

Sylvia Ballin

Staff: City Manager Brian Saeki, City Attorney Rick Olivarez, Assistant City

Attorney Richard Padilla and City Clerk Elena G. Chávez

Absent: Councilmembers Antonio Lopez and Jaime Soto (both notified staff they

may not make the meeting)

### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Led by Mayor Robert C. Gonzales

### **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

Assistant City Attorney Padilla requested to add a "walk-on" item (Item C), pursuant to Government Code §54954.2(b)(2) a matter of existing litigation. The city of San Fernando received a summons of complaint filed by the city of Gardena (and other municipal defendants) against the State Regional Water Quality Control Board. He reported that although the City of San Fernando is not a defendant, the City is a real party interest in this litigation. The item came to the attention of the City after the agenda was posted, and there was a need for the City Council to take immediate action (i.e., September 28<sup>th</sup> deadline to file a response).

Motion by Vice Mayor Fajardo, seconded by Councilmember Ballin, to approve the agenda including Item C ("walk-on" item). By consensus, the motion carried by three votes.

### PUBLIC STATEMENTS – WRITTEN/ORAL

None

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### RECESS TO CLOSED SESSION (4:55 P.M.)

By consensus, Councilmembers recessed to the following Closed Session as announced by City Attorney Olivarez:

CONFERENCE WITH LEGAL COUNSEL TO DISCUSS AND PROVIDE UPDATES A) ON MULTIPLE MATTERS FOR WHICH THE CITY OF SAN FERNANDO HAS BEEN PRESENTED WITH Α CLAIM OR SOME OTHER **WRITTEN** COMMUNICATION FROM Α POTENTIAL **PLAINTIFF THREATENING** LITIGATION

G.C. §54956.9(d)(2) AND §54956.9(e)(3)

11 Matters

### B) CONFERENCE WITH LABOR NEGOTIATOR

G.C. §54957.6

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### RECONVENE FROM CLOSED SESSION (6:00 P.M.)

City Attorney Olivarez reported the following:

Item A – Staff gave a briefing to the City Council on all 11 matters listed in the agenda; no final action was taken by the City Council.

Item B – The City Council received a briefing from the City's designated representatives; nothing further to report.

Item C – City of Gardena vs. the Regional Water Quality Board, Case No. 30-2016-00833722-CU-WM-CJC. The City Attorney provided a briefing to the City Council regarding the status. Direction was given but no final action was taken.

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### ADJOURNMENT (6:07 P.M.)

By consensus, the meeting was adjourned.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes of September 19, 2016 meeting as approved by the San Fernando City Council.

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Elena G. Chávez City Clerk





### AGENDA REPORT

**To:** Mayor Robert C. Gonzales and Councilmembers

From: Brian Saeki, City Manager

By: Nick Kimball, Finance Director

Date: October 3, 2016

**Subject:** Consideration to Adopt a Resolution Approving the Warrant Register

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the City Council adopt Resolution No. 16-101 (Attachment "A") approving the Warrant Register.

### **BACKGROUND:**

For each City Council meeting the Finance Department prepares a Warrant Register for Council approval. The Register includes all recommended payments for the City. Checks, other than handwritten checks, generally are not released until after the Council approves the Register. The exceptions are for early releases to avoid penalties and interest, excessive delays and in all other circumstances favorable to the City to do so. Handwritten checks are those payments required to be issued between Council meetings such as insurance premiums and tax deposits. Staff reviews requests for expenditures for budgetary approval and then prepares a Warrant Register for Council approval and or ratification. Items such as payroll withholding tax deposits do not require budget approval.

The Finance Director hereby certifies that all requests for expenditures have been signed by the department head, or designee, receiving the merchandise or services thereby stating that the items or services have been received and that the resulting expenditure is appropriate. The Finance Director hereby certifies that each warrant has been reviewed for completeness and that sufficient funds are available for payment of the warrant register.

#### **ATTACHMENT:**

A. Resolution No. 16-101

**ATTACHMENT "A"** 

### **RESOLUTION NO. 16-101**

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN FERNANDO ALLOWING AND APPROVING FOR PAYMENT DEMANDS PRESENTED ON DEMAND/ WARRANT REGISTER NO. 16-101

# THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN FERNANDO DOES HEREBY RESOLVE, FIND, DETERMINE AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. That the demands (EXHIBIT "A") as presented, having been duly audited, for completeness, are hereby allowed and approved for payment in the amounts as shown to designated payees and charged to the appropriate funds as indicated.
- 2. That the City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this Resolution and deliver it to the City Treasurer.

**PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED** this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2016.

ATTEST:	Robert C. Gonzales, Mayor
Elena G. Chávez, City Clerk	_
STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES CITY OF SAN FERNANDO	) ) ss )
	at the foregoing Resolution was approved and adopted at a l held on the 3 <sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2016, by the following vote
AYES:	
NOES:	
ABSENT:	
Elena G. Chávez, City Clerk	<del>_</del>

### EXHIBIT "A"

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203117	10/3/2016	103574 VERDIN, FRANCISCO JAVIER	07/01/16-09/30/16		FOLKLORICO DANCE INSTRUCTOR		
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						012-311-3636-4600	286.00
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					11287	070-384-0862-4260	6,148.50
				322214		PO #11286-CONNECTOR OF PIPE SCRI	
						032-311-0842-4500	11,807.50
				322215		NPDES COMPLIANCE & WTRSHED MG	
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Voucher Registers are not final until approved by Council.





# AGENDA REPORT

**To:** Mayor Robert C. Gonzales and Councilmembers

From: Brian Saeki, City Manager

By: Chris Marcarello, Deputy City Manager/Public Works Director

Date: October 3, 2016

Subject: Consideration to Approve an Agreement with Tree People to Complete Green

Streets Improvements Utilizing State Proposition 1 Grant Funds

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the City Council:

- a. Authorize the City Manager to negotiate and execute an agreement with Tree People and the California Coastal Conservancy for grant-funded improvements if the Green Streets Project is approved for funding, in a form approved by the City Attorney (Attachment "A" Contract No. 1834); and
- b. Authorize the City Manager to execute the attached letter of support for the proposed Green Streets Project grant application (Attachment "B").

#### **BACKGROUND:**

The California Coastal Conservancy ("Conservancy"), a State agency within the Department of Natural Resources, works with nonprofit organizations and government agencies to protect and improve natural lands and waterways, improve water quality and prepare communities for the impacts of climate change. As part of the Water Quality, Supply and Infrastructure Improvement Act of 2014 ("Proposition 1"), the Conservancy was allocated \$100.5 million for competitive grants that that support multi-benefit ecosystem and watershed protection projects.

Recently, the City was approached by Tree People, a nonprofit agency, regarding the opportunity to apply for grant funding under the Conservancy's grant program. The proposed grant improvements would include the installation of groundwater recharge improvements (rain gardens, bioswales), tree planting, increasing green space/pocket parks and increasing community awareness on the importance of trees and water conservation. The attached agreement would clarify the roles and responsibilities related to the proposed grant program.

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#### **ANALYSIS:**

The proposed grant program would complement the City's proactive efforts related to water quality and stormwater management. The City is a permittee under the Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board (Regional Board) and is required to implement certain stormwater-related improvements to satisfy conditions of the Regional Board's Municipal Separate Sewer System (MS4) permit. The City has been proactive in this effort, completing the following efforts to help satisfy permit requirements:

# ✓ Installation of Connector Pipe Screens

Construction is nearing completion on this project that will prevent trash from entering the storm drain system and flow into rivers and the ocean.

# ✓ Participation in the Enhanced Watershed Management Planning (EWMP) Process for Upper Los Angeles County

The City includes annual funding for participation in the EWMP planning process with other public agencies.

# ✓ Approval of Proposition 1 Planning Grant Funding for Stormwater Infiltration Improvements at Recreation Park

The City was recently awarded funding to initiate planning/design efforts to infiltrate storm water at Recreation Park. The proposed project would redirect stormwater as a groundwater recharge source rather than empty into the Pacoima Wash, helping to improve water supplies.

# √ Adoption of a Green Streets Policy

The City Council adopted a Green Streets Policy in June 2015 that encourages the use of street trees, bio-retention planters, and other sustainable elements.

## √ Adoption of a Low Impact Development Ordinance

The City Council adopted a Low Impact Development Ordinance in June 2015 that requires new development projects to utilize natural landscape features, pervious paving and on-site water infiltration elements.

## **Proposed Conservancy Grant Program**

The proposed grant improvements would comply with the City's Green Streets Policy and continue the City's proactive approach towards stormwater mandates. Additionally, the improvements would help to reinvigorate downtown mall landscaped areas with new native plantings and landscaping features. As proposed, Tree People would be the lead agency for the grant improvements and would work with the City to facilitate the grant program. As described in Tree People's grant application, improvements would consist of the following goals and objectives:

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- ✓ <u>Goal 1</u>: Increase groundwater recharge and reduce stormwater runoff by removing asphalt, installing curb inlets, constructing rain gardens and Bioswales, and planting trees and native vegetation.
- ✓ <u>Goal 2</u>: Improve the health and permeability of soil by introducing native flora to existing soil and by replacing asphalt on streets with trees and native plants.
- ✓ Goal 3: Mitigate the Urban Heat Island (UHI) effect and improve air quality by expanding the urban forest in parks, on city streets, and in a parking lot.
- ✓ Goal 4: Increase public green space by building pocket parks.
- ✓ <u>Goal 5</u>: Raise local understanding of and commitment to caring for the urban forest by engaging community members, training city leaders, and offering hands-on workshops.
- ✓ <u>Goal 6</u>: Improve public health and quality of life by encouraging walking and biking, with the help of increased tree canopy, lower temperatures, and safer streets.

These goals would be accomplished over a five (5) year period through several tasks, including tree planting, the conversion of existing landscaping areas in the downtown mall area, the creation of green space, and community engagement efforts.

# **BUDGET IMPACT:**

The City will not realize any direct expenditures related to this grant application. It is expected that staff time will be needed to collaborate with Tree People to accomplish the grant goals and tasks. The grant will also leverage other grant-funded planning efforts that are underway in the community. As described in Tree People's grant application:

"The San Fernando Green Streets - Calles Verdes project will be leveraged with current funding the City has received from the California Transportation Authority (Caltrans) and the Los Angeles County Public Health Livable, Active Community Environments (PLACE) program to develop and implement an Active Transportation Plan and Safe Routes to School Plan. In addition, the City has also received funding from the Metropolitan Transit Authority (Metro) for a Transit-Oriented Development Specific Plan that will enable redevelopment towards a more sustainable community and prepare the city for greater investment from a proposed light-rail project and new housing.

In addition to these contributions, Tree People has initiated efforts to seek funding for this grant program from outside sources (i.e. businesses, nonprofit agencies, etc.) in the northeast San Fernando Valley.

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# Maintenance Responsibilities

After the project's completion, the City will incur minimal incremental costs related to tree trimming. Most improvements will occur in existing City-maintained areas as to minimize additional maintenance duties/costs. The table below summarizes additional maintenance responsibilities related to the project.

Task	Location	Timeframe	Expected Maintenance Responsibilities
Plant 750 trees	Varies – Planting will occur in conjunction with City resurfacing improvements, Safe & Active Streets improvements, existing landscaping areas in the Downtown Mall and commercial corridor revitalization improvements, and City-owned parks and facilities.	Beginning 2022	It is expected that trees will be added to the City's grid trimming program approximately 5 years after establishment. The grid trimming program cycles tree maintenance every 5 years. Following the 5 <sup>th</sup> year, it is estimated that the City could incur an additional \$7,500 annually for tree maintenance.
Install Curb Cuts & Bioswales	Downtown Mall and commercial corridor	As needed	Installation will include the conversion of existing landscaped areas to drought-tolerant landscapes. There is no expected incremental maintenance responsibility.
Install Native Landscaping/ Raingardens	Downtown Mall and commercial corridor	Ongoing	Installation will include the conversion of existing landscaped areas to drought-tolerant landscapes. There is no expected incremental maintenance responsibility.

# **CONCLUSION:**

It is requested that the City Council authorize participation and the related actions as part of the Green Streets Project if recommended for Proposition 1 grant funds through the California Coastal Conservancy.

## **ATTACHMENTS:**

- A. Contract No. 1834 (Draft Agreement)
- B. Letter of Support
- C. Tree People Grant Application

ATTACHMENT "A" CONTRACT NO. 1834

## PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

## **Tree People**

Green Streets Proposition 1 Project

THIS PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT ("Agreement") is made and entered into this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October 2016 (hereinafter, the "Effective Date"), by and between the CITY OF SAN FERNANDO, a municipal corporation ("CITY") and Tree People (hereinafter, "CONSULTANT"). For the purposes of this Agreement CITY and CONSULTANT may be referred to collectively by the capitalized term "Parties." The capitalized term "Party" may refer to CITY or CONSULTANT interchangeably.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the mutual covenants and conditions herein contained, CITY and CONSULTANT agree as follows:

# I. ENGAGEMENT TERMS

- 1.1 <u>SCOPE OF WORK</u>: Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement and all exhibits attached and incorporated hereto, CONSULTANT agrees to perform the services and tasks set forth in **Exhibit "A"** (hereinafter referred to as the **"Scope of Work"**). CONSULTANT further agrees to furnish to CITY all labor, materials, tools, supplies, equipment, services, tasks and incidental and customary work necessary to competently perform and timely complete the services and tasks set forth in the Scope of Work. For the purposes of this Agreement the aforementioned services and tasks set forth in the Scope of Work shall hereinafter be referred to generally by the capitalized term "Work." CONSULTANT shall not commence with the performance of the Work until such time as CITY issues a written Notice to Proceed.
- 1.2 PROSECUTION OF WORK: The Parties agrees as follows:
  - A. Time is of the essence of this Agreement and each and every provision contained herein. The Work shall be commenced within \_\_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) calendar days of CITY's issuance of a Notice to Proceed, and shall be completed on a date not more than \_\_\_\_\_\_ calendar days from the issuance of the Notice to Proceed (the "Completion Date");
  - B. CONSULTANT shall perform the Work continuously and with due diligence so as to complete the Work by the Completion Date. CONSULTANT shall cooperate with CITY and in no manner interfere with the work of CITY, its employees or other consultants, contractors or agents;

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- CONSULTANT shall not claim or be entitled to receive any compensation or damage because of the failure of CONSULTANT, or its subconsultants, to have related services or tasks completed in a timely manner;
- D. CONSULTANT shall at all times enforce strict discipline and good order among CONSULTANT's employees; AND
- E. CONSULTANT, at its sole expense, shall pay all sales, consumer, use or other similar taxes required by law.

# **II. PERFORMANCE OF AGREEMENT**

- 2.1 <u>CITY'S REPRESENTATIVES</u>: The CITY hereby designates the City Manager and Deputy City Manager (hereinafter, the "CITY Representatives") to act as its representatives for the performance of this Agreement. The CITY Manager shall be the chief CITY Representative. The CITY Representatives or their designee shall act on behalf of the CITY for all purposes under this Agreement. CONSULTANT shall not accept directions or orders from any person other than the CITY Representatives or their designee.
- 2.2 <u>CONSULTANT REPRESENTATIVE</u>: CONSULTANT hereby designates the Chief Executive Officer to act as its representative for the performance of this Agreement (hereinafter, "CONSULTANT Representative"). CONSULTANT Representative shall have full authority to represent and act on behalf of the CONSULTANT for all purposes under this Agreement. CONSULTANT Representative or his designee shall supervise and direct the performance of the Work, using his best skill and attention, and shall be responsible for all means, methods, techniques, sequences and procedures and for the satisfactory coordination of all portions of the Work under this Agreement. Notice to the CONSULTANT Representative shall constitute notice to CONSULTANT.
- 2.3 <u>COORDINATION OF SERVICE; CONFORMANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS</u>: CONSULTANT agrees to work closely with CITY staff in the performance of the Work and this Agreement and shall be available to CITY staff and the CITY Representatives at all reasonable times. All work prepared by CONSULTANT shall be subject to inspection and approval by CITY Representatives or their designees.
- 2.4 <u>STANDARD OF CARE; PERFORMANCE OF EMPLOYEES</u>: CONSULTANT represents, acknowledges and agrees to the following:
  - A. CONSULTANT shall perform all Work skillfully, competently and to the highest standards of CONSULTANT's profession;
  - B. CONSULTANT shall perform all Work in a manner reasonably satisfactory to the CITY;

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- CONSULTANT shall comply with all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations, including the conflict of interest provisions of Government Code Section 1090 and the Political Reform Act (Government Code Section 81000 et seq.);
- D. CONSULTANT understands the nature and scope of the Work to be performed under this Agreement as well as any and all schedules of performance;
- E. All of CONSULTANT's employees and agents possess sufficient skill, knowledge, training and experience to perform those services and tasks assigned to them by CONSULTANT; and
- F. All of CONSULTANT's employees and agents (including but not limited subcontractors and subconsultants) possess all licenses, permits, certificates, qualifications and approvals of whatever nature that are legally required to perform the tasks and services contemplated under this Agreement and all such licenses, permits, certificates, qualifications and approvals shall be maintained throughout the term of this Agreement and made available to CITY for copying and inspection.

The Parties acknowledge and agree that CONSULTANT shall perform, at CONSULTANT's own cost and expense and without any reimbursement from CITY, any services necessary to correct any errors or omissions caused by CONSULTANT's failure to comply with the standard of care set forth under this Section or by any like failure on the part of CONSULTANT's employees, agents, contractors, subcontractors and subconsultants. Such effort by CONSULTANT to correct any errors or omissions shall be commenced immediately upon their discovery by either Party and shall be completed within seven (7) calendars days from the date of discovery or such other extended period of time authorized by the CITY Representatives in writing and in their sole and absolute discretion. The Parties acknowledge and agree that CITY's acceptance of any work performed by CONSULTANT or on CONSULTANT's behalf shall not constitute a release of any deficiency or delay in performance. The Parties further acknowledge, understand and agree that CITY has relied upon the foregoing representations of CONSULTANT, including but not limited to the representation that CONSULTANT possesses the skills, training, knowledge and experience necessary to perform the Work skillfully, competently and to the highest standards of CONSULTANT's profession.

2.5 <u>ASSIGNMENT</u>: The skills, training, knowledge and experience of CONSULTANT are material to CITY's willingness to enter into this Agreement. Accordingly, CITY has an interest in the qualifications and capabilities of the person(s) who will perform the services and tasks to be undertaken by CONSULTANT or on behalf of CONSULTANT in the performance of this Agreement. In recognition of this interest, CONSULTANT agrees that it shall not assign or transfer, either directly or indirectly or by operation of law, this

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Agreement or the performance of any of CONSULTANT's duties or obligations under this Agreement without the prior written consent of the CITY. In the absence of CITY's prior written consent, any attempted assignment or transfer shall be ineffective, null and void and shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement.

- 2.6 CONTROL AND PAYMENT OF SUBORDINATES; INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR: The Work shall be performed by CONSULTANT or under CONSULTANT's strict supervision. CONSULTANT will determine the means, methods and details of performing the Work subject to the requirements of this Agreement. CITY retains CONSULTANT on an independent contractor basis and not as an employee. CONSULTANT reserves the right to perform similar or different services for other principals during the term of this Agreement, provided such work does not unduly interfere with CONSULTANT's competent and timely performance of the Work contemplated under this Agreement and provided the performance of such services does not result in the unauthorized disclosure of CITY's confidential or proprietary information. Any additional personnel performing the Work under this Agreement on behalf of CONSULTANT are not employees of CITY and shall at all times be under CONSULTANT's exclusive direction and control. CONSULTANT shall pay all wages, salaries and other amounts due such personnel and shall assume responsibility for all benefits, payroll taxes, Social Security and Medicare payments and the like. CONSULTANT shall be responsible for all reports and obligations respecting such additional personnel, including, but not limited to: Social Security taxes, income tax withholding, unemployment insurance, disability insurance, workers' compensation insurance and the like.
- 2.7 <u>REMOVAL OF EMPLOYEES OR AGENTS</u>: If any of CONSULTANT's officers, employees, agents, contractors, subcontractors or subconsultants is determined by the CITY Representatives to be uncooperative, incompetent, a threat to the adequate or timely performance of the tasks assigned to CONSULTANT, a threat to persons or property, or if any of CONSULTANT's officers, employees, agents, contractors, subcontractors or subconsultants fail or refuse to perform the Work in a manner acceptable to the CITY, such officer, employee, agent, contractor, subcontractor or subconsultant shall be promptly removed by CONSULTANT and shall not be reassigned to perform any of the Work.
- 2.8 <u>COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS</u>: CONSULTANT shall keep itself informed of and in compliance with all applicable federal, state or local laws to the extent such laws control or otherwise govern the performance of the Work. CONSULTANT's compliance with applicable laws shall include, without limitation, compliance with all applicable Cal/OSHA requirements.
- 2.9 <u>NON-DISCRIMINATION</u>: In the performance of this Agreement, CONSULTANT shall not discriminate against any employee, subcontractor, subconsultant, or applicant for

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employment because of race, color, creed, religion, sex, marital status, sexual orientation, national origin, ancestry, age, physical or mental disability or medical condition.

2.10. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR STATUS: The Parties acknowledge, understand and agree that CONSULTANT and all persons retained or employed by CONSULTANT are, and shall at all times remain, wholly independent contractors and are not officials, officers, employees, departments or subdivisions of CITY. CONSULTANT shall be solely responsible for the negligent acts and/or omissions of its employees, agents, contractors, subcontractors and subconsultants. CONSULTANT and all persons retained or employed by CONSULTANT shall have no authority, express or implied, to bind CITY in any manner, nor to incur any obligation, debt or liability of any kind on behalf of, or against, CITY, whether by contract or otherwise, unless such authority is expressly conferred to CONSULTANT under this Agreement or is otherwise expressly conferred by CITY in writing.

# III. INSURANCE

- 3.1 <u>DUTY TO PROCURE AND MAINTAIN INSURANCE</u>: Prior to the beginning of and throughout the duration of the Work, CONSULTANT will procure and maintain policies of insurance that meet the requirements and specifications set forth under this Article. CONSULTANT shall procure and maintain the following insurance coverage, at its own expense:
  - A. <u>Commercial General Liability Insurance</u>: CONSULTANT shall procure and maintain Commercial General Liability Insurance ("CGL Coverage") as broad as Insurance Services Office Commercial General Liability coverage (occurrence Form CG 0001) or its equivalent. Such CGL Coverage shall have minimum limits of no less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) in the general aggregate for bodily injury, personal injury, property damage, operations, products and completed operations, and contractual liability.
  - B. <u>Automobile Liability Insurance</u>: CONSULTANT shall procure and maintain Automobile Liability Insurance as broad as Insurance Services Office Form Number CA 0001 covering Automobile Liability, Code 1 (any auto). Such Automobile Liability Insurance shall have minimum limits of no less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per accident for bodily injury and property damage.
  - C. <u>Workers' Compensation Insurance/ Employer's Liability Insurance</u>: A policy of workers' compensation insurance in such amount as will fully comply with the

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laws of the State of California and which shall indemnify, insure and provide legal defense for both CONSULTANT and CITY against any loss, claim or damage arising from any injuries or occupational diseases occurring to any worker employed by or any persons retained by CONSULTANT in the course of carrying out the Work contemplated in this Agreement.

- D. <u>Errors & Omissions Insurance</u>: For the full term of this Agreement and for a period of three (3) years thereafter, CONSULTANT shall procure and maintain Errors and Omissions Liability Insurance appropriate to CONSULTANT's profession. Such coverage shall have minimum limits of no less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000.00) per occurrence and shall be endorsed to include contractual liability.
- 3.2 <u>ADDITIONAL INSURED REQUIREMENTS</u>: The CGL Coverage and the Automobile Liability Insurance shall contain an endorsement naming the CITY and CITY's elected and appointed officials, officers, employees, agents and volunteers as additional insureds.
- 3.3 <u>REQUIRED CARRIER RATING</u>: All varieties of insurance required under this Agreement shall be procured from insurers admitted in the State of California and authorized to issue policies directly to California insureds. Except as otherwise provided elsewhere under this Article, all required insurance shall be procured from insurers who, according to the latest edition of the Best's Insurance Guide, have an A.M. Best's rating of no less than A:VII. CITY may also accept policies procured by insurance carriers with a Standard & Poor's rating of no less than BBB according to the latest published edition the Standard & Poor's rating guide. As to Workers' Compensation Insurance/ Employer's Liability Insurance, the CITY Representatives are authorized to authorize lower ratings than those set forth in this Section.
- 3.4 PRIMACY OF CONSULTANT'S INSURANCE: All policies of insurance provided by CONSULTANT shall be primary to any coverage available to CITY or CITY's elected or appointed officials, officers, employees, agents or volunteers. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by CITY or CITY's elected or appointed officials, officers, employees, agents or volunteers shall be in excess of CONSULTANT's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- 3.5 <u>WAIVER OF SUBROGATION</u>: All insurance coverage provided pursuant to this Agreement shall not prohibit CONSULTANT or CONSULTANT's officers, employees, agents, subcontractors or subconsultants from waiving the right of subrogation prior to a loss. CONSULTANT hereby waives all rights of subrogation against CITY.
- 3.6 <u>VERIFICATION OF COVERAGE</u>: CONSULTANT acknowledges, understands and agrees, that CITY's ability to verify the procurement and maintenance of the insurance required under this Article is critical to safeguarding CITY's financial well-being and, indirectly, the

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collective well-being of the residents of the CITY. Accordingly, CONSULTANT warrants, represents and agrees that its shall furnish CITY with original certificates of insurance and endorsements evidencing the coverage required under this Article on forms satisfactory to CITY in its sole and absolute discretion. The certificates of insurance and endorsements for each insurance policy shall be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf, and shall be on forms provided by the CITY if requested. All certificates of insurance and endorsements shall be received and approved by CITY as a condition precedent to CONSULTANT's commencement of any Work or any of the Work. Upon CITY's written request, CONSULTANT shall also provide CITY with certified copies of all required insurance policies and endorsements.

# IV. INDEMNIFICATION

- 4.1 The Parties agree that CITY and CITY's elected and appointed officials, officers, employees, agents and volunteers (hereinafter, the "CITY Indemnitees") should, to the fullest extent permitted by law, be protected from any and all loss, injury, damage, claim, lawsuit, cost, expense, attorneys' fees, litigation costs, or any other cost arising out of or in any way related to the performance of this Agreement. Accordingly, the provisions of this indemnity provision are intended by the Parties to be interpreted and construed to provide the CITY Indemnitees with the fullest protection possible under the law. CONSULTANT acknowledges that CITY would not enter into this Agreement in the absence of CONSULTANT's commitment to indemnify, defend and protect CITY as set forth herein.
- 4.2 To the fullest extent permitted by law, CONSULTANT shall indemnify, hold harmless and defend the CITY Indemnitees from and against all liability, loss, damage, expense, cost (including without limitation reasonable attorneys' fees, expert fees and all other costs and fees of litigation) of every nature arising out of or in connection with CONSULTANT's performance of Work hereunder or its failure to comply with any of its obligations contained in this Agreement, except such loss or damage which is caused by the sole negligence or willful misconduct of the CITY.
- 4.3 CITY shall have the right to offset against the amount of any compensation due CONSULTANT under this Agreement any amount due CITY from CONSULTANT as a result of CONSULTANT's failure to pay CITY promptly any indemnification arising under this Article and related to CONSULTANT's failure to either (i) pay taxes on amounts received pursuant to this Agreement or (ii) comply with applicable workers' compensation laws.
- 4.4 The obligations of CONSULTANT under this Article will not be limited by the provisions of any workers' compensation act or similar act. CONSULTANT expressly waives its statutory immunity under such statutes or laws as to CITY and CITY's elected and appointed officials, officers, employees, agents and volunteers.

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- 4.5 CONSULTANT agrees to obtain executed indemnity agreements with provisions identical to those set forth here in this Article from each and every subcontractor or any other person or entity involved by, for, with or on behalf of CONSULTANT in the performance of this Agreement. In the event CONSULTANT fails to obtain such indemnity obligations from others as required herein, CONSULTANT agrees to be fully responsible and indemnify, hold harmless and defend CITY and CITY's elected and appointed officials, officers, employees, agents and volunteers from and against any and all claims and losses, costs or expenses for any damage due to death or injury to any person and injury to any property resulting from any alleged intentional, reckless, negligent, or otherwise wrongful acts, errors or omissions of CONSULTANT's subcontractors or any other person or entity involved by, for, with or on behalf of CONSULTANT in the performance of this Agreement. Such costs and expenses shall include reasonable attorneys' fees incurred by counsel of CITY's choice.
- 4.6 CITY does not, and shall not, waive any rights that it may possess against CONSULTANT because of the acceptance by CITY, or the deposit with CITY, of any insurance policy or certificate required pursuant to this Agreement. This hold harmless and indemnification provision shall apply regardless of whether or not any insurance policies are determined to be applicable to the claim, demand, damage, liability, loss, cost or expense.
- 4.7 This Article and all provisions contained herein (including but not limited to the duty to indemnify, defend and hold free and harmless) shall survive the termination or normal expiration of this Agreement and is in addition to any other rights or remedies which the CITY may have at law or in equity.

# V. TERMINATION

5.1 <u>TERMINATION WITHOUT CAUSE</u>: CITY may terminate this Agreement at any time for convenience and without cause by giving CONSULTANT a minimum of five (5) calendar days' prior written notice of CITY's intent to terminate this Agreement. Upon such termination for convenience, CONSULTANT shall be compensated only for those services and tasks which have been performed by CONSULTANT up to the effective date of the termination. CONSULTANT may not terminate this Agreement except for cause as provided under Section 5.2, below. If this Agreement is terminated as provided herein, CITY may require CONSULTANT to provide all finished or unfinished Documents and Data, as defined in section 6.1 below, and other information of any kind prepared by CONSULTANT in connection with the performance of the Work. CONSULTANT shall be required to provide such Documents and Data within fifteen (15) calendar days of CITY's written request. No actual or asserted breach of this Agreement on the part of CITY pursuant to Section 5.2, below, shall operate to prohibit or otherwise restrict CITY's ability to terminate this Agreement for convenience as provided under this Section.

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## 5.2 EVENTS OF DEFAULT; BREACH OF AGREEMENT:

- A. In the event either Party fails to perform any duty, obligation, service or task set forth under this Agreement (or fails to timely perform or properly perform any such duty, obligation, service or task set forth under this Agreement), an event of default (hereinafter, "Event of Default") shall occur. For all Events of Default, the Party alleging an Event of Default shall give written notice to the defaulting Party (hereinafter referred to as a "Default Notice") which shall specify: (i) the nature of the Event of Default; (ii) the action required to cure the Event of Default; (iii) a date by which the Event of Default shall be cured, which shall not be less than the applicable cure period set forth under Sections 5.2B and 5.2C below or if a cure is not reasonably possible within the applicable cure period, to begin such cure and diligently prosecute such cure to completion. The Event of Default shall constitute a breach of this Agreement if the defaulting Party fails to cure the Event of Default within the applicable cure period or any extended cure period allowed under this Agreement.
- B. CONSULTANT shall cure the following Events of Defaults within the following time periods:
  - i. Within three (3) business days of CITY's issuance of a Default Notice for any failure of CONSULTANT to timely provide CITY or CITY's employees or agents with any information and/or written reports, documentation or work product which CONSULTANT is obligated to provide to CITY or CITY's employees or agents under this Agreement. Prior to the expiration of the 3-day cure period, CONSULTANT may submit a written request for additional time to cure the Event of Default upon a showing that CONSULTANT has commenced efforts to cure the Event of Default and that the Event of Default cannot be reasonably cured within the 3-day cure period. The foregoing notwithstanding, CITY shall be under no obligation to grant additional time for the cure of an Event of Default under this Section 5.2B.i. that exceeds seven (7) calendar days from the end of the initial 3-day cure period; or
  - ii. Within fourteen (14) calendar days of CITY's issuance of a Default Notice for any other Event of Default under this Agreement. Prior to the expiration of the 14-day cure period, CONSULTANT may submit a written request for additional time to cure the Event of Default upon a showing that CONSULTANT has commenced efforts to cure the Event of Default and that the Event of Default cannot be reasonably cured within the 14-day cure period. The foregoing notwithstanding, CITY shall be under no obligation to grant additional time for the cure of an Event of Default under this Section

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5.2B.ii that exceeds thirty (30) calendar days from the end of the initial 14-day cure period.

In addition to any other failure on the part of CONSULTANT to perform any duty, obligation, service or task set forth under this Agreement (or the failure to timely perform or properly perform any such duty, obligation, service or task), an Event of Default on the part of CONSULTANT shall include, but shall not be limited to the following: (i) CONSULTANT's refusal or failure to perform any of the services or tasks called for under the Scope of Work; (ii) CONSULTANT's failure to fulfill or perform its obligations under this Agreement within the specified time or if no time is specified, within a reasonable time; (iii) CONSULTANT's and/or its employees' disregard or violation of any federal, state, local law, rule, procedure or regulation; (iv) the initiation of proceedings under any bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership, reorganization, or similar legislation as relates to CONSULTANT, whether voluntary of involuntary; (v) CONSULTANT's refusal or failure to perform or observe any covenant, condition, obligation or provision of this Agreement; and/or (vii) CITY's discovery that a statement representation or warranty by CONSULTANT relating to this Agreement is false, misleading or erroneous in any material respect.

- C. CITY shall cure any Event of Default asserted by CONSULTANT within forty-five (45) calendar days of CONSULTANT's issuance of a Default Notice, unless the Event of Default cannot reasonably be cured within the 45-day cure period. Prior to the expiration of the 45-day cure period, CITY may submit a written request for additional time to cure the Event of Default upon a showing that CITY has commenced its efforts to cure the Event of Default and that the Event of Default cannot be reasonably cured within the 45-day cure period. The foregoing notwithstanding, an Event of Default dealing with CITY's failure to timely pay any undisputed sums to CONSULTANT as provided under Section 1.4, above, shall be cured by CITY within five (5) calendar days from the date of CONSULTANT's Default Notice to CITY.
- D. CITY, in its sole and absolute discretion, may also immediately suspend CONSULTANT's performance under this Agreement pending CONSULTANT's cure of any Event of Default by giving CONSULTANT written notice of CITY's intent to suspend CONSULTANT's performance (hereinafter, a "Suspension Notice"). CITY may issue the Suspension Notice at any time upon the occurrence of an Event of Default. Upon such suspension, CONSULTANT shall be compensated only for those services and tasks which have been rendered by CONSULTANT to the reasonable satisfaction of CITY up to the effective date of the suspension. No actual or asserted breach of this Agreement on the part of CITY shall operate to prohibit or otherwise restrict CITY's ability to suspend this Agreement as provided herein.

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- E. No waiver of any Event of Default or breach under this Agreement shall constitute a waiver of any other or subsequent Event of Default or breach. No waiver, benefit, privilege, or service voluntarily given or performed by a Party shall give the other Party any contractual rights by custom, estoppel, or otherwise.
- F. The duties and obligations imposed under this Agreement and the rights and remedies available hereunder shall be in addition to and not a limitation of any duties, obligations, rights and remedies otherwise imposed or available by law. In addition to any other remedies available to CITY at law or under this Agreement in the event of any breach of this Agreement, CITY, in its sole and absolute discretion, may also pursue any one or more of the following remedies:
  - i. Upon written notice to CONSULTANT, the CITY may immediately terminate this Agreement in whole or in part;
  - ii. Upon written notice to CONSULTANT, the CITY may extend the time of performance;
  - iii. The CITY may proceed by appropriate court action to enforce the terms of the Agreement to recover damages for CONSULTANT's breach of the Agreement or to terminate the Agreement; or
  - iv. The CITY may exercise any other available and lawful right or remedy.

CONSULTANT shall be liable for all legal fees plus other costs and expenses that CITY incurs upon a breach of this Agreement or in the CITY's exercise of its remedies under this Agreement.

- G. In the event CITY is in breach of this Agreement, CONSULTANT's sole remedy shall be the suspension or termination of this Agreement and/or the recovery of any unpaid sums lawfully owed to CONSULTANT under this Agreement for completed services and tasks.
- 5.3 <u>SCOPE OF WAIVER</u>: No waiver of any default or breach under this Agreement shall constitute a waiver of any other default or breach, whether of the same or other covenant, warranty, agreement, term, condition, duty or requirement contained in this Agreement. No waiver, benefit, privilege, or service voluntarily given or performed by a Party shall give the other Party any contractual rights by custom, estoppel, or otherwise.
- 5.4 <u>SURVIVING ARTICLES, SECTIONS AND PROVISIONS</u>: The termination of this Agreement pursuant to any provision of this Article or by normal expiration of its term or any extension thereto shall not operate to terminate any Article, Section or provision

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contained herein which provides that it shall survive the termination or normal expiration of this Agreement.

# VI. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

- 6.1 **DOCUMENTS & DATA; LICENSING OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY:** All Documents and Data shall be and remain the property of CITY without restriction or limitation upon their use or dissemination by CITY. For purposes of this Agreement, the term "Documents and Data" means and includes all reports, analyses, correspondence, plans, drawings, designs, renderings, specifications, notes, summaries, strategies, charts, schedules, spreadsheets, calculations, lists, data compilations, documents or other materials developed and/or assembled by or on behalf of CONSULTANT in the performance of this Agreement and fixed in any tangible medium of expression, including but not limited to Documents and Data stored digitally, magnetically and/or electronically. This Agreement creates, at no cost to CITY, a perpetual license for CITY to copy, use, reuse, disseminate and/or retain any and all copyrights, designs, and other intellectual property embodied in all Documents and Data. CONSULTANT shall require all subcontractors and subconsultants working on behalf of CONSULTANT in the performance of this Agreement to agree in writing that CITY shall be granted the same right to copy, use, reuse, disseminate and retain Documents and Data prepared or assembled by any subcontractor or subconsultant as applies to Documents and Data prepared by CONSULTANT in the performance of this Agreement.
- 6.2 <u>CONFIDENTIALITY</u>: All data, documents, discussion, or other information developed or received by CONSULTANT or provided for performance of this Agreement are deemed confidential and shall not be disclosed by CONSULTANT without prior written consent by CITY. CITY shall grant such consent of disclosure as legally required. Upon request, all CITY data shall be returned to CITY upon the termination or expiration of this Agreement. CONSULTANT shall not use CITY's name or insignia, photographs, or any publicity pertaining to the Work in any magazine, trade paper, newspaper, television or radio production or other similar medium without the prior written consent of CITY.
- 6.3 <u>FALSE CLAIMS ACT</u>: CONSULTANT warrants and represents that neither CONSULTANT nor any person who is an officer of, in a managing position with, or has an ownership interest in CONSULTANT has been determined by a court or tribunal of competent jurisdiction to have violated the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C., Section 3789 et seq. and the California False Claims Act, Government Code Section 12650 et seq.
- 6.4 <u>NOTICES</u>: All notices permitted or required under this Agreement shall be given to the respective Parties at the following addresses, or at such other address as the respective Parties may provide in writing for this purpose:

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**CONSULTANT:** 

Tree People
1201 Mulholland Drive
Beverly Hills, CA 90210
Attn: Chief Executive Officer

Phone: 818-623-4899

CITY:

City of San Fernando 117 Macneil Street San Fernando CA 91340 Attn: Deputy City Manager

Phone: 818-898-1222

Such notices shall be deemed effective when personally delivered <u>or</u> successfully transmitted by facsimile as evidenced by a fax confirmation slip <u>or</u> when mailed, forty-eight (48) hours after deposit with the United States Postal Service, first class postage prepaid and addressed to the Party at its applicable address.

- 6.5 <u>COOPERATION; FURTHER ACTS</u>: The Parties shall fully cooperate with one another, and shall take any additional acts or sign any additional documents as are reasonably necessary, appropriate or convenient to achieve the purposes of this Agreement.
- 6.6 <u>SUBCONTRACTING</u>: CONSULTANT shall not subcontract any portion of the Work required by this Agreement, except as expressly stated herein, without the prior written approval of CITY. Subcontracts (including without limitation subcontracts with subconsultants), if any, shall contain a provision making them subject to all provisions stipulated in this Agreement, including provisions relating to insurance requirements and indemnification.
- 6.7 <u>CITY'S RIGHT TO EMPLOY OTHER CONSULTANTS</u>: CITY reserves the right to employ other contractors in connection with the various projects worked upon by CONSULTANT.
- 6.8 PROHIBITED INTERESTS: CONSULTANT warrants, represents and maintains that it has not employed nor retained any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for CONSULTANT, to solicit or secure this Agreement. Further, CONSULTANT warrants and represents that it has not paid nor has it agreed to pay any company or person, other than a bona fide employee working solely for CONSULTANT, any fee, commission, percentage, brokerage fee, gift or other consideration contingent upon or resulting from the award or making of this Agreement. For breach or violation of this warranty, CITY shall have the right to rescind this Agreement without liability. For the term of this Agreement, no member, officer or employee of CITY, during the term of his or her service with CITY, shall have any direct interest in this Agreement, or obtain any present or anticipated material benefit arising therefrom.
- 6.9 <u>TIME IS OF THE ESSENCE</u>: Time is of the essence for each and every provision of this Agreement.

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- 6.10 GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE: This Agreement shall be interpreted and governed according to the laws of the State of California. In the event of litigation between the Parties, venue, without exception, shall be in the Los Angeles County Superior Court of the State of California. If, and only if, applicable law requires that all or part of any such litigation be tried exclusively in federal court, venue, without exception, shall be in the Central District of California located in the City of Los Angeles, California.
- 6.11 <u>ATTORNEYS' FEES</u>: If either Party commences an action against the other Party, either legal, administrative or otherwise, arising out of or in connection with this Agreement, the prevailing Party in such litigation shall be entitled to have and recover from the losing Party reasonable attorneys' fees and all other costs of such action.
- 6.12 <u>SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS</u>: This Agreement shall be binding on the successors and assigns of the Parties.
- 6.13 <u>NO THIRD PARTY BENEFIT</u>: There are no intended third party beneficiaries of any right or obligation assumed by the Parties. All rights and benefits under this Agreement inure exclusively to the Parties.
- 6.14 <u>CONSTRUCTION OF AGREEMENT</u>: This Agreement shall not be construed in favor of, or against, either Party but shall be construed as if the Parties prepared this Agreement together through a process of negotiation and with the advice of their respective attorneys.
- 6.15 <u>SEVERABILITY</u>: If any portion of this Agreement is declared invalid, illegal, or otherwise unenforceable by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remaining provisions shall continue in full force and effect.
- 6.16 <u>AMENDMENT; MODIFICATION</u>: No amendment, modification or supplement of this Agreement shall be valid or binding unless executed in writing and signed by both Parties, subject to CITY approval. The requirement for written amendments, modifications or supplements cannot be waived and any attempted waiver shall be void and invalid.
- 6.17 <u>CAPTIONS</u>: The captions of the various articles, sections and paragraphs are for convenience and ease of reference only, and do not define, limit, augment, or describe the scope, content, or intent of this Agreement.
- 6.18 <u>INCONSISTENCIES OR CONFLICTS</u>: In the event of any conflict or inconsistency between the provisions of this Agreement and any of the exhibits attached hereto, the provisions of this Agreement shall control.

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- 6.19 ENTIRE AGREEMENT: This Agreement including all attached exhibits is the entire, complete, final and exclusive expression of the Parties with respect to the matters addressed herein and supersedes all other agreements or understandings, whether oral or written, or entered into between CITY and CONSULTANT prior to the execution of this Agreement. No statements, representations or other agreements, whether oral or written, made by any Party which are not embodied herein shall be valid or binding. No amendment, modification or supplement to this Agreement shall be valid and binding unless in writing and duly executed by the Parties pursuant to Section 6.16, above.
- 6.20 <u>COUNTERPARTS</u>: This Agreement shall be executed in three (3) original counterparts each of which shall be of equal force and effect. No handwritten or typewritten amendment, modification or supplement to any one counterparts shall be valid or binding unless made to all three counterparts in conformity with Section 6.16, above. One fully executed original counterpart shall be delivered to CONSULTANT and the remaining two original counterparts shall be retained by CITY.

(SIGNATURE PAGE TO FOLLOW)

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this Agreement to be executed the day and year first appearing in this Agreement, above.

CITY OF SAN FERNANDO	TREE PEOPLE
Ву:	Ву:
Brian Saeki, City Manager	Name:
	Title:
APPROVED AS TO FORM	
Ву:	
Rick R. Olivarez, City Attorney	



ATTACHMENT "B"

CITY COUNCIL

October 3, 2016

MAYOR

ROBERT C. GONZALES

Sam Schuchat

VICE MAYOR Joel Fajardo **Executive Director** 

State Coastal Conservancy

COUNCILMEMBER

1330 Broadway, Suite 1300

ANTONIO LOPEZ

Oakland, CA 94612

COUNCILMEMBER Sylvia Ballin

SUBJECT: San Fernando Green Streets – Calle Verdes Project

COUNCILMEMBER JAIME SOTO

Dear Mr. Schuchat:

I am writing to share the endorsement and participation of the City of San Fernando in the San Fernando Green Streets - Calle Verdes project, which is under review with the California Coastal Conservancy Proposition 1 Grant Program.

The City of San Fernando is anxious to collaborate with the State Coastal Conservancy and TreePeople on the project to improve much-needed tree canopy, stormwater management through the use of various green infrastructure elements and pedestrian-safety, while engaging the community in the process. It is expected that many of the proposed project locations will involve the rehabilitation of existing landscaping areas to drought tolerant landscapes with groundwater recharge improvements such as bioswales and rain gardens. The City of San Fernando will be involved in maintenance of the green infrastructure for at least 20 years after this project is complete. When site designs are complete, the City will be in a position to agree to a maintenance plan. It is also expected that the community members themselves will also be sufficiently committed and trained through our partnership with TreePeople in maintaining many of these project elements.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (818) 898-1222 or bsaeki@sfcity.org and I will be happy to assist you further. Thank you for your thoughtful consideration of this grant application which, if awarded, will have a profound and lasting impact on the people and precious water resources of the region.

Sincerely,

Administration **DEPARTMENT** 

117 Macneil Street San Fernando **CALIFORNIA** 91340

Brian Saeki City Manager

(818) 898-1202

## San Fernando Green Streets - Calle Verdes

#### PROJECT DESCRIPTION

#### 1. Need for Project

The City of San Fernando is a tight-knit 2.4 square mile working-class California Mission town with Latinos accounting for 93% of the total population and at least 18% living below the federal poverty level, exceeding the state average. The California Environmental Protection Agency's CalEnviroScreen has determined that the City of San Fernando is located in one of the most disadvantaged areas in the state. The City is in the 91st-95th percentile for poverty, unemployment, exposure to environmental health hazards such as toxic sites, poor air quality, groundwater contamination threats and other pollution burdens.

Five years of drought has taken a heavy toll on the City's water supply, which is locally sourced from groundwater. The City is facing threats to its independence from imported water because of the drought, climate change, water quality and increasing pressures on water-supply; therefore, the City's need to maintain a healthy watershed and capture more stormwater is key to maintaining local water-reliability and independence from imported water as our climate shifts.

The City of San Fernando is also ground-zero for the urban heat island impact. As of today, the City already experiences an annual average of 54 extreme heat days per year (95°F or above). If today's greenhouse gas emissions are not curtailed and the city is not cooled, that number is expected to nearly double to 92 days by mid-century, and to 126 days by the end of the century -- four full months of extreme heat per year. If we mitigate emissions, San Fernando will still experience some increase in extreme heat days, but will top out 79 days per year. (Source: Dr. Alex Hall, "Climate Change in the Los Angeles Region: Temperature Results," UCLA Department of Atmospheric and Oceanic Sciences, 2013.)

For many years, the Northeast San Fernando Valley failed to receive adequate social, economic, environmental health and human investments to properly address the needs of a working-class community. The County of Los Angeles ranked the City of San Fernando 90th out of 103 cities for life expectancy as cited in the last "Life Expectancy and Economic Hardship" study conducted by the County. The City is confronting a number of environmental health challenges, including respiratory illness, cancer and rising rates of overweight and obesity among San Fernando families which has led to an increase in diabetes and other chronic illnesses, especially among school-age Latino kids. The City of San Fernando has established strategic partnerships with TreePeople, local health providers, community-based organizations and other stakeholders in a concerted effort to make the City greener, healthier, and more climate-resilient and water-secure. By working with TreePeople, the City is well-prepared for a major investment from the California State Coastal Conservancy to create a more climate-resilient community and implement viable and scalable solutions that can be used in other communities throughout the state.

#### 2. Goals and Objectives

The California Coastal Conservancy, TreePeople, and the City of San Fernando share many of the same goals to advance water security, water self-reliance, integrated water management, better air quality, urban cooling, and climate change resilience. By greening and capturing stormwater in urban streets and parks, this project will help the City of San Fernando achieve each of these conditions; furthermore, TreePeople is working with the City of San Fernando, local elected officials, schools, churches, businesses, other nonprofits and the community on climate-adaptation strategies to make the City of San Fernando a model for a climate-resilient city.

The San Fernando Green Streets - Calles Verdes project will be leveraged with current funding the City has received from the California Transportation Authority (CalTrans) and the Los Angeles County Public Health Livable, Active Community Environments (PLACE) program to develop and implement an Active Transportation Plan and Safe Routes to School Plan. In addition, the City has also received funding from the Metropolitan Transit Authority (Metro) for a Transit-Oriented

Development Specific Plan that will enable redevelopment towards a more sustainable community and prepare the city for greater investment from a proposed light-rail project and new housing.

- Goal 1: Increase groundwater recharge and reduce stormwater runoff by removing asphalt, installing curb inlets, constructing rain gardens and bioswales, and planting trees and native vegetation.
- Goal 2: Improve the health and permeability of soil by introducing native flora to existing soil and by replacing asphalt on streets with trees and native plants.
- Goal 3: Mitigate the Urban Heat Island (UHI) effect and improve air quality by expanding the urban forest in parks, on city streets, and in a parking lot.
- Goal 4: Increase public green space by building pocket parks.
- Goal 5: Raise local understanding of and commitment to caring for the urban forest by engaging community members, training city leaders, and offering hands-on workshops.
- Goal 6: Improve public health and quality of life by encouraging walking and biking, with the help of increased tree canopy, lower temperatures, and safer streets.

## These goals will be accomplished through the following activities.

- A. Lead a robust planning process involving TreePeople, the City of San Fernando and community members to support the city's plans to combine environmental, social, and economic goals.
- B. Work with the LA Conservation Corps to remove asphalt on 7 or more streets that offer optimal water catchment opportunities.
- C. Plant 750 trees on commercial and residential streets, in parks, and in a parking lot, with an emphasis on the *Safe Routes to School* sites.
- D. Create pocket parks in the town center area.
- E. Overhaul a parking lot with trees and bioswales.
- F. Install rain gardens and bioswales on residential and commercial streets with potential high water flow.
- G. Train city leaders on BMPs for installing and maintaining green space and on how to engage community members.
- H. Lead a community engagement process with bilingual outreach utilizing existing networks at community organizations, churches and schools to inspire action. Host a series of Spanish bilingual meetings and hands-on workshops covering urban greening elements, such as tree planting, tree care, and residential stormwater capture.

This innovative project will produce or support multiple environmental, public health, social, and economic benefits, including: a lower the Urban Heat Island (UHI) effect; an increased water supply and improved water quality; a reduction of water importation; improved soil health; enhanced resilience against drought and climate change; a higher city walkability index; and economic revitalization.

## 3. Project Description

The San Fernando Green Streets - Calle Verdes project will create a 21<sup>st</sup> Century cool, climate-resilient global city that can be used widely as a model for other urban centers facing the impacts of climate change.

Working with community members and with the leadership of the City of San Fernando, TreePeople will plan, design, and implement a green infrastructure project covering 7 or more city streets, a parking lot, pocket parks and a larger city park as part of a larger effort to create a model climate-resilient and water-secure community. The project will complement the City's upcoming *Safe Routes to School* project which is designed to encourage children to walk and bike to school on safer streets, in an effort to improve public health. Increasing tree canopy along these routes will reduce

street temperatures and will keep children protected from direct sun. Children will also be exposed to interpretive signage, beautiful, climate-appropriate landscaping and rainwater harvesting sites on the *Safe Routes to School*.

The planning process covers Year 1 of the project and will establish a task force leadership team, will determine specific project sites, will create a project design that emphasizes maximum environmental benefits, will determine specific project sites, will develop community engagement strategies, will include hydrologic engineering, will perform a CEQA review, and will create a 20-year maintenance plan. A solid design for trees, native flora, curb cuts, bioswales and rain gardens, emphasizing optimal canopy and maximum water infiltration, will be produced. Baseline measurements for surface permeability, infiltration, and UHI will be performed. A 20-year maintenance plan will be developed, with TreePeople staying involved for the first few years and the city taking over in subsequent years.

The timeline for the San Fernando Green Streets - Calle Verdes project is:

- Year 1 Planning, Design, Initial Community Engagement (then ongoing), Initial Corporate Cultivation (then ongoing)
- Year 2 Implementation at project sites plant 250 trees, construct water capture features
- Year 3 Continue implementation plant 250 trees, construct water capture features, parking lot project
- Year 4 Continue implementation plant 250 trees, construct water capture features, pocket parks
- Year 5 Ensure ongoing maintenance and community stewardship, do final analysis and reporting

The project will involve TreePeople's core expertise inspiring and training community members to plant and care for the trees, native plants, and stormwater features. Training will also be provided to City Public Works crews as needed in the care of vegetated swales and rain gardens. The LA Conservation Corps will remove asphalt for tree wells, construct bioswales hardscapes including curb cuts and may help with latter-stage tree planting. Community members and TreePeople will plant trees, install rain gardens and bioswales, and plant native vegetation.

Training the city and community members has a positive effect on long-term stewardship and aligns with TreePeople's mission, which is to inspire, engage and support people to take personal responsibility for the urban environment, making it safe, health, fun and sustainable and to share the results as a model for the world.

#### 4. Future Phases

TreePeople is applying for both a planning (Year 1) and implementation (Years 2-5) grant to ensure that funding will be available for implementation immediately following the planning stage. Community members in the Northeast San Fernando Valley have participated in – and had their hopes raised by – various planning processes by well-intentioned groups over the years but few of these plans were implemented, most often because of a lack of funds. The City has performed outreach and has surveyed focus groups in the community which indicate residents are most enthusiastic about greening their town and creating a sustainable, healthy community. The City has a stellar track-record of maximizing state and local grants it has received to develop state-of-the-art, creative and transformative projects in the community. With funding from the State Coastal Conservancy to support implementation, community members will be even more open and enthusiastic to participating in the process, creating an even greater ability for TreePeople and the City of San Fernando to leverage this investment for even deeper impact.

Beyond the implementation phases, TreePeople and the City will build on existing relationships with local businesses in Year 1 of the project and will continue to cultivate and engage relationships with new businesses during the project. TreePeople has began to attract investment from the local corporate sector and major donors so that the City can continue to expand its urban forest and become greener and more climate-resilient over time. There are several large businesses in the area with whom TreePeople has deep relationships and who are likely to invest in further greening beyond the scope of this project. Also critical to the long-term success of the program is TreePeople's CEO, Cindy Montanez, who has deep roots in the community, having served on City Council, then as the mayor and Assemblymember for the area. She has a deep connection to the area and has strong relationships with many corporate, community, and philanthropic groups that are interested in investing more significantly in this disadvantaged community.

Additionally, TreePeople will stay engaged with the maintenance of the project for 2-3 years post-project and the City will take responsibility for monitoring the green infrastructure elements for at least 20 years after project completion. TreePeople's expert staff will ensure the City is well-trained so that trees grow to maturity, vegetation is watered, water capture elements remain in good working condition, and the community is empowered with the tools and training to help support the green infrastructure. TreePeople will also create a training manual for the City Department of Public Works as a reference for city employees and the general public.

TreePeople is committed to working with the City of San Fernando and other key partners to increase its investments in green infrastructure making it a model of climate resilience and sustainability. TrePeople is fully committed to seeing this vision become reality and seeking additional financial resources to ensure the success of this goal. The City of San Fernando deserves nothing less.

With continued local investment, community engagement, and proper training, the City of San Fernando will, indeed, become a walkable, more water-secure and climate-resilient community that serves as an inspirational model for other cities.

#### 5. Site Description

Located in the Northeast San Fernando Valley at the foot of the geologically complex San Gabriel Mountains, bounded by the east by the Pacoima Wash and the 118 Freeway, the 5 Interstate Freeway on the South, split by the Southern Pacific Railroad and on top of one of Los Angeles' most important groundwater aquifers, the City of San Fernando has important significance for local water-reliability, improved wildlife habitat and environmental sustainability in the region. While the city is independently incorporated, it is located in LA County and is surrounded on all sides by the City of Los Angeles. Covering 2.4 square miles or 1,561 acres, this small, charming city is home to 24,000 residents.

Unlike most cities in the Los Angeles region, San Fernando has its own water supply, sourced from groundwater. It imports from the Colorado River via Metropolitan Water District when dilution blending is needed to improve quality. Five years of drought has taken a heavy toll on the City's water supply. The City has a high level of impermeable surfaces (72.73%), mostly from asphalt and roofs, and would greatly benefit from increased permeability. With a total tree canopy (private and public space) of 17.6% (which is 6,500 trees), the area falls short of the recommended 25% canopy level for cities in the Western United States.

The specific streets for the City's *Safe Routes* program are expected to be determined in summer 2016 and will guide our final site selection. In the meantime, TreePeople and the City performed a field analysis resulting in identification of the following *potential* sites, all of which are indicated on the Site Map provided.:

<u>Streets</u>: Workman; Truman; Fox; Macneil; Fourth; Phillipi; Brand Blvd.; Glenoaks; Lucas; Alexander; Harding; First; San Fernando Mission Blvd; along Morningside School; the perimeter of First Baptist Church or others.

<u>Parking Lot:</u> next to Cesar Chavez Recreation Park pool; at the County building; or on Chatsworth Drive near the San Fernando Community Hospital.

Park: Cesar Chavez Recreation Park or Layne Park

#### 6. Tasks

#	Task Name	Description
1	Establish Task Force	Establish task force with TreePeople, the City, and key partners. Includes community engagement (hold at least 2 meetings to introduce project, survey community focus groups to gauge interest levels and project preferences. Meeting will be bilingual Spanish.
2	Finalize Site Selection	Based on constituent and partner in put
3	Engineering/Technical Analysis	Engineering/technical analysis & design for stormwater capture and infiltration and baseline measures for GHG reductions, UHI reduction, and increases in canopy and infiltration.

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4	Environmental Review	Perform Environmental/CEQA Analysis
5	Design	Design plan for commercial and residential streets, pocket parks, a parking lot, and a larger city park
6	Ensure Local Base	Ensure a local satellite office, lease a truck, and find storage space for tools – all to increase efficiency and minimize GHG emissions
7	Engagement & Training	Hold workshops to inspire and train community members on tree planting, native plants, tree and flora care, irrigation, and overall watershed health (ongoing through project). Train City Dept. of Public Works on community engagement, care, irrigation, and maintenance (ongoing as needed).
8	Remove asphalt	Remove asphalt in parking lot and on commercial streets where needed
9	Plant Trees	Plant 750 trees over a 3-year span (years 2,3,4) on streets, at park and in parking lot
10	Installations	LA Conservation Corps to install 7-42 curb inlets, TreePeople to install bioswales and/or rain gardens on streets and in parking lot
11	Final Reports	Produce final evaluation reports for stakeholders and host 'ribbon-cutting' with State Coastal Conservancy, the community and key partners.
12	Maintenance	Maintenance oversight for 2-3 years before transferring to the City for remaining 18+ years

#### 7. Work Products

- Product 1: An urban greening design plan incorporating 7 or more streets, a parking lot, pocket park(s), and a city park, complementing the city's project to capture stormwater, reduce urban water runoff, slow traffic, improve street safety, and encourage walking and biking to school and in community areas.
- Product 2: 750 trees planted on commercial and residential streets, in a parking lot, and in a park
- Product 3: 20 bioswales and/or rain gardens
- Product 4: Native vegetation on streets, in pocket parks, and in a park
- Product 5: A maintenance manual for the City
- Product 6: A final report on projected GHG reductions, increased groundwater recharge, reduced stormwater runoff, UHI reduction, and increases in canopy.

## 8. Measuring Success

Establish a baseline for monitoring – Canopy (TreePeople); Urban Heat Island (UHI) (TreePeople, with support from our research partner and Nobel Peace Prize recipient Dr. Laurence S. Kalkstein, climate scientist from the University of Miami Synoptic Lab); Infiltration (Engineering consultant)

*Monitor/Evaluate* – Stormwater infiltration rates and capture (City engineers or Engineering consultant); Canopy (TreePeople); UHI (TreePeople)

Report -- TreePeople and the City will collaborate to produce a final environmental evaluation report for all stakeholders.

Community engagement, in terms of the numbers of people trained, the degree to which they increase their knowledge of and commitment to planting and caring for trees, plants, and rain gardens, will be tracked and analyzed by TreePeople, using Community Based Social Marketing tactics. The City of San Fernando will be responsible, financially and physically, for maintenance on the project. TreePeople will partner with the City to cultivate corporate and philanthropic partners to support maintenance.

## 9. PHOTOS and MAPS - See Attachments

#### 10. Stormwater Resource Plan

Many smaller agencies in Southern California have plans that are similar to the Storm Water Resource Plan, but they aren't formalized, which posed challenges as these agencies began submitting Prop 1 applications. To remedy this issue, the County of Los Angeles' Leadership Committee for the Integrated Water Management Plan has worked with the State to allow the use of the region's Enhanced Watershed Management Plan (Available Upon Request) and other related documents to fulfill this requirement under Prop 1.

#### PRELIMINARY BUDGET AND SCHEDULE

			REQUEST	MATCH	MATCH		
Task #	Task	Completion Date	Coastal Conservancy	Applicant's Funding (includes in-kind)	Other Funds	Total Cost	
1	Establish Task Force	Year 1, Q1	\$15,880	-	-	\$15,880	
2	Finalize Site Selection	Year 1, Q3	\$9,960	-	-	\$9,960	
3	Engineering/Technical Analysis	Year 1, Q3	\$19,285	-	-	\$19,285	
4	Environmental Review	Year 1, Q4	\$7,100	-	-	\$7,100	
5	Design	Year 1, Q4	\$51,015	-	-	\$51,051	
6	Ensure Local Base	Year 1, Q4	\$69,820	-	-	\$69,820	
7	Engagement & Training	Year 2, Q1	\$4,610	-	-	\$4,610	
8	Remove asphalt	Years 2,3,4	\$115,200	-	-	\$115,200	
9	Plant Trees	Years 2,3,4	\$330,210	\$128,250	-	\$330,210	
10	Installations	Years 2,3,4	\$198,800	-	-	\$198,800	
11	Final Reports	Year 5	\$14,150	-	-	\$14,150	
12	Maintenance	Years 5-7	\$164,300	\$48,600	-	\$164,300	
TOTALS			\$1,000,330	\$176,850		\$1,177,180	
PERCENTAGES			85%	15%			

**Categories of Matching Funds** 

Applicant Funds		Other Funds			
Cash	\$0	State	\$0		
In Kind	\$176,850	Non State	\$0		
Total	\$176,850	Total	\$0		

## **PROPOSITION 1 ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS**

- 1.  $\sqrt{\text{Protect}}$  and increase the economic benefits arising from healthy watersheds, fishery resources and in-stream flow.
  - $\sqrt{}$  Implement watershed adaptation projects for which Grantee has consulted with the state and local conservation corps and included their services if feasible (for restoration and ecosystem protection projects only).
  - $\sqrt{}$  Protect and restore rural and urban watershed health to improve watershed storage capacity, forest health, protection of life and property, storm water resource management, and greenhouse gas reduction.

## 2. Regional Significance

The City of San Fernando though landlocked by the City of Los Angeles contains or is critical to natural treasures that can provide greater eco-system services to the area with mitigation and restoration efforts. As part of the Upper LA River Watershed, the city is downstream from the San Gabriel Mountains, which is full of recreational trails, and adjacent to a portion of the Pacoima Wash, which eventually joins the Tujunga Wash, leading to the LA River and ultimately to the Pacific Ocean. Steady weathering and erosion over time has resulted in the formation of a 14,000 ft. thick alluvial deposit in the area, which makes the soil gravelly and very porous and, therefore, highly receptive to water percolation and infiltration. Industry and urbanization has caused the decline of several wildlife species in the area and has changed the behavioral patterns of others, but the surrounding wash and mountains still have significant populations of many wildlife species. Increasing biodiversity, and creating a corridor of native habitat from the mountains, through the wash, and into the city has the potential for increasing the numbers of a variety of species. Plant species native to the area that are considered rare or endangered by the California Native Plant Society include: Davidson's Bushmallow (Malacothamus davidsonii); Tehachapi Ragwort (Packera ionophylla); Mount Gleason Indian Paintbrush (Castilleja gleasoni); Green Gentian (Frasera neglecta); and the San Fernando Spineflower (Chorizanthe parryi var. fernandina), and several others. Threatened or endangered wildlife species (both federal and state) in the area include: Bell's vireo (Vireo bellii); California gnatcatcher (Polioptila californica); Cassin's finch (Carpodacus cassinii); Olive-sided flycatcher (Contopus cooperi); Southwestern willow flycatcher (Empindonax traillii extimus); and Tri-colored blackbird (Agelaius tricolor). There are 7 parks in the area, one of which (Heritage Park) has been fully retrofitted with native vegetation.

#### 3. Sustainability

The San Fernando Green Streets – Calle Verdes project is based on adding green infrastructure to an urban environment. Green infrastructure, in contrast to gray infrastructure, appreciates over time with mutually-enhancing benefits.

TreePeople will work with the City DPW and with community members on proper watering, pruning, and general care of trees and plants and will provide training on proper maintenance of the water features, as well. With proper care, trees will grow to maturity and will offer an abundance of benefits, including carbon sequestration, production of oxygen, temperature cooling (through shading and transpiration), and water capture. Planting native vegetation will improve soil health and help to filter and store stormwater while reducing runoff. Rain gardens and bioswales will sink the water, recharging the aquifer, which will improve water quality in the LA River and, ultimately, the Pacific Ocean. The resulting improvement in water filtration will decrease reliance on water importation for the purpose of blending and will increase overall water-security. Altogether, the increased greening of the city will lead to a more climate resilient city that will function as a model for other cities.

## 4. Disadvantaged Communities

The Dept. of Water Resources' map of disadvantaged communities offers no data for San Fernando but other sources indicate the median household income when including both renters and homeowners is \$49,811, indicating the city falls

below the disadvantaged community demarcation line. The Northeast San Fernando Valley is generally considered disadvantaged and the recorded median household income level does not necessarily reflect those residents who have not been – either by choice or by omission – counted and documented in income and other census-related categories. The city is 93% Latino, with a combination of third and fourth generation families and newly arrived immigrants. Eighteen percent of documented residents live under the federal poverty line.

CalEnviroScreen, created by CAL EPA, ranks the city in the top 91-95%ile of negatively impacted communities statewide, which shows a need for urgent mitigation and resilience strategies. The city is still experiencing the results of its heavy manufacturing history, mostly from aerospace, and maintains a relatively high concentration of industry and factories. Thus, soil is contaminated and the city's drinking water contaminant score is in the 76%ile, making it a priority for comprehensive watershed management to improve water quality and protect water supply. The surrounding freeways impact air quality and because the city is in a basin, harmful air particulates can get trapped in the area. The city's ozone reading is 82%, which is linked to health impacts. Childhood obesity and asthma is high here, and residents also have a high incidence of diabetes and other illnesses linked to lack of open space, poor air quality, poverty, and other environmental health challenges.

- **5.** Consistency with State Coastal Conservancy Strategic Plan This project is consistent with two of the SCC's goals for the South Coast laid out in the Strategic Plan: (1) Collaborate with City and County of Los Angeles on green infrastructure projects to address water quality and supply issues. This project will radically enhance quality and supply issues in the City of San Fernando and will function as a model for other cities, thereby providing support and confidence for others to greatly improve their water supply and quality issues. (2) Implement tree planting and other multi-benefit projects which relieve the heat island effect in urban areas. This project is very much focused on relieving the heat island effect via tree planting, increased native vegetation, and stormwater capture. A UHI baseline and projection will be measured and reported as part of the project.
- 6. Consistency with California Water Action Plan (a) identify which goals of the CA Water Action Plan the project will promote or implement. (b) identify the Integrated Watershed Management Plan and/or any other regional or watershed plans that apply to the specific project area. For each, list those goals, objectives, priority actions, etc. that the project will promote or implement
- (a) This project implements CA Water Action Plan goal #2, "to increase self-reliance and integrated water management across all levels of government," as it is bringing together city, county, state and federal support." Treepeople's policy and research efforts are working toward integrated management at the local level and are integrating state and federal funding into research (USFS Urban Cooling project for UHI analysis) and implementation projects that are directly involved in this project. This project also implements goal #6 "Expand water storage capacity and improve groundwater management." The project greatly enhances water storage through stormwater capture and improves water management through our relationships with the City and with leading integrated water management efforts at the local level. (b) The Enhanced Watershed Management Plan for the Upper LA River calls for LID and green infrastructure; this project implements and promotes both. Please see the "Best Science Available" section below for more information on how we promote these concepts.

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# 7. Consistency with Other State Plans

	Overlapping goal with SF Project						
Plan name	GW recharge / reduce runoff	Native plants	UHI	green	l	Healthy equitable and sustainable community	climate resilience
- CA @50 Million, The Environmental Goals and	.,					.,	
Policy Report	X					х	X
- CA Climate Adaptation Strategy/Safeguarding					x		x
California: Reducing Climate Risk Plan - CA Wildlife Action Plan	X	x					
CA Aquatic Plan??	×	X					
- CA Aquatic Invasive Species Management Plan		х					
- CA Essential Habitat Connectivity Strategy for Conserving a Connected California		x					x
- State and Federal Species Recovery Plans (specify the plan)							
- Habitat Conservation Plans/Natural Community Consevation Plans (specify the plan)							
CA Coastal Sediment Management Master Plan (2012, LA County)	x						
- Completing the California Coastal Trail - Other relevant state or regional plan(s) (specify the plan)							

#### 8. Best Available Science Describe how the project is consistent with best available science

Even more so than many large global cities, Los Angeles is overly built out, requiring our urban neighborhoods to be retrofitted with nature-based solutions to adapt to a changing climate.

TreePeople is a leader in identifying and in some cases producing the best available science to retrofit the LA urban landscape with nature-based solutions – also called "green infrastructure" –and leading others to embrace it in innovative ways. For more than 40 years, TreePeople has provided expertise in the areas of water supply, stormwater capture, and green infrastructure including urban forestry. Since the 1990s TreePeople has been a leader in green infrastructure, especially defining methods for stormwater capture at the parcel level that incorporates trees, landscaping and multiple water capture techniques.

Staff technical experience includes Certified Arborists, native plant specialists, and academic degrees in law, public policy, urban planning and engineering. Language and cultural sensitivity also abounds as it relates to Los Angeles' diversity, including nine bilingual (English/Spanish) staff members. We partner regularly with major engineering firms, government engineers and university researchers. Relevant experience to the proposed project includes the following:

#### The Greater Los Angeles Water Collaborative

TreePeople facilitated the unique (and now Federally-recognized by the White House) Greater Los Angeles Water Collaborative, with key Los Angeles city and county agencies in examining the possibilities in taking collaborative, systemic approaches to address the ongoing drought conditions and long-term water crisis. This process explores options for a more reliable local water supply, meeting stormwater pollutant reduction requirements, and replacing aging infrastructure across the region with more climate-resilient systems that support natural watershed functions.

The first phase, the Multi-Agency Collaborative, revealed significant potential to more effectively steward the region's water and watersheds by formalized planning and coordination among agencies and regulators working within and across watersheds. This lead to publishing the report *A New Vision for Water Management in the Los Angeles Region*, which found, among other conclusions that together, agencies can create new opportunities previously sheltered within

bureaucratic silos by aligning goals, investments and programs. This pathway provides a new vision for water management that will create many benefits, including greener, healthier schools and more resilient neighborhoods.

In the current second phase, TreePeople facilitates the Agency General Managers and Directors further into collaborative action, as expressed in the LA Stormcatcher Project, which moves from collaborative planning to joint implementation. Kicked off via a design charrette process overseen by TreePeople in partnership with the engineering firm Tetra Tech, the three agencies co-developed a project to retrofit six homes in the San Fernando Valley and South LA to capture rainwater with rain gardens, drought tolerant landscaping and 21st century cisterns linked to cloud-based technology.

### City of Los Angeles' Stormwater Capture Master Plan

TreePeople helped inspire, lead, facilitate and guide the creation of the City of LA's first ever Stormwater Capture Master Plan (SCMP) for the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power. Knowing the inherent need for a stormwater planning document, TreePeople not only successfully pitched the concept for a SCMP, but also lead an effort (in partnership with the Council for Watershed Health) proving the water supply opportunities to be gained from a SCMP. TreePeople then became a key partner on the team to develop the SCMP, along with DWP and its engineering consultant, to guide the process through completion.

## Inglewood/Lennox Greening Plan

TreePeople led a Strategic Growth Council-funded greening plan effort for the communities of Inglewood and Lennox – two areas defined as disadvantaged communities by multiple environmental, health and socio-economic standards. The Greening Plan, (to be released fall 2016), focuses on identifying and prioritizing land areas to increase tree canopy cover, build community gardens, implement practices that capture and/or conserve rainwater, and identify additional strategies to enhance community health. TreePeople drew from their green infrastructure, environmental education, tree planting, multi-jurisdictional agency coordination, water policy, and grassroots community engagement experience to facilitate and lead the planning process.

# <u>Design, funding and construction of TreePeople's Center for Community</u> Forestry

TreePeople Center, located in the heart of Los Angeles, attracts more than 200,000 visitors each year, including school children, hikers, community volunteers and policymakers. An interpretive program provides visitors with innovative educational displays covering the water cycle and related best management practices. The Center for Community Forestry's four-acre campus of sustainably-designed buildings includes a conference center which achieved the U.S. Green Building Council's LEED (Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design) highest rating of Platinum. These structures, as well as the parking area, channel rainwater to a 216,000-gallon underground cistern for use in park irrigation.

Other stormwater capture demonstration projects include:

- Hall House (1998-2010): complete retrofit of a single family home in South Los Angeles, which captured stormwater from the roof into a 10,000 gallon cistern, and tested other BMPs. Completion of this test site helped convince local agencies to launch the Sun Valley Watershed Management Plan.
- Sun Valley Park Infiltration System Project, completed in 2006 by the Los Angeles County Flood Control District (LACFCD), is a pilot project identified in the Sun Valley Watershed Management Plan of which TreePeople was a key stakeholder and wrote portions of the plan. The project alleviates localized flooding in the 21-acre residential area tributary to the project. As part of the \$7M project, TreePeople, was awarded \$470,000 (Prop 12 Murray-Hayden) to enhance the park's recreational amenities, including a new soccer field, bleachers, lighting, and interpretive signage.
- Broadous Elementary School, Pacoima (2001) underground infiltration system beneath an LAUSD schoolyard.
- **Open Charter Elementary School**, Westchester (2005) underground cistern capturing water from throughout this LAUSD campus and reusing it for landscaping.
- Elmer Avenue Project: We were a principal partner with the Council for Watershed Health in the Elmer Avenue green streets project (2010), which provides demonstrations of the practices proposed for the *Green Streets* project

(<u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bwcK8IWawY0</u>), where our role included leadership, project co-design, community engagement, and tree planting.

• LA-Australia Exchange: (2012-) We've conducted extensive study and published two reports on lessons from Australia's 12-year Millennium Drought that can be transferred to Southern California. We then led a 2014 policy delegation (comprised of local, regional, state and federal policymakers) to Australia, which has led to creation of numerous laws, policies and incentives established at the local, regional and state levels.

TreePeople is currently seeking funding for a very innovative urban cooling project that we will conduct in collaboration with leading climate scientist and Nobel Peace Prize recipient Dr. Laurence Kalkstein and with Dr. David Eisenman from the UCLA School of Public Health. The project will quantify the link between tree canopy and reflective roofs with public health, specifically mortality.

Clearly, finding and applying the best available science is a priority for TreePeople and the San Fernando Green Streets – Calle Verdes aligns with that priority.

## 9. Sea Level Rise Vulnerability

San Fernando is a considerable distance from the sea and sits in a valley beneath hills that rise far above sea level. We expect little to no vulnerability.

## 10. Vulnerability from Climate Change Impacts Other than Sea Level Rise

The specific site design will take into account the best sites to encourage wildfire resistance and resilience against other climate change phenomena. That said, the entire project will enhance climate resilience via carbon sinks, transpiration, water capture and infiltration to help increase local aquifer supply and quality, increased shade, reduced runoff, increased stormwater capture, and UHI reduction. Since we are in year 5 of Drought, the propensity for capturing the elusive water is minimized, but the green infrastructure elements will certainly increase infiltration rates and will be well-positioned to capture significantly more water in future years, whether through a steadier flow from rainfall or by providing added protection against flooding.

#### 11. Environmental Review

Common to TreePeople's experience, tree and vegetation planting on highly-developed urban streets (including removal of pavement to create tree and vegetation areas) falls under the CEQA Class 4 categorical exemption (Minor Alterations to Land). City of San Fernando has had similar experience related to street repair and related minor alterations, and plans to file an exemption for the project. The City will serve as lead agency.

As TreePeople will make final designs of the project as part of the grant program, we will include an initial CEQA review at that time. In that way we can make decisions at the design stage that make the project CEQA exempt.

For the proposed San Fernando project, examples of final design considerations to reach a CEQA categorical exemption include the following:

- Compliance with existing local and state tree/plant palette and related guidelines
- Treat design of curb cuts, rain gardens and/or vegetated swales so they are comparable to City standards related to street repair and alteration
- Maintenance plan to avoid impact to public services (tree care)
- Size of trees selected to avoid power lines (when mature)
- Species of trees and plants selected to avoid release of pollen and allergens
- Avoidance of sites with hazardous waste

## 12. Willing Seller

N/A

## 13. Project and Applicant History

The expertise that TreePeople brings to the *San Fernando Green Streets – Calle Verdes* draws on a previous Coastal Conservancy project with TreePeople. The Conservancy supported creation of the LaKretz Urban Watershed Garden at TreePeople Center, which opened in 2008, and demonstrates multiple green infrastructure practices to support stormwater infiltration, including water capture at the parcel scale, rain gardens, water-friendly trees and plants, curb cuts, swales and permeable surfaces – essentially all the practices that TreePeople will incorporate into the the *Green Streets* project.

The City of San Fernando is an ideal place to create such a model, for several reasons.

Despite its economic and environmental challenges, San Fernando has been moving towards creating a greener, healthier and more climate-resilient community by having a well-run and open government, engaging residents, working with community and other government partners, prioritizing and multi-benefit projects. The City restored Heritage Park into a climate-appropriate, water-capturing place where children can play, community groups can gather, and classes can be held. The park celebrates the rich history of San Fernando, from its original Native American habitants to the mission, to the people who live there today. The city has done other water-friendly landscaping projects on medians, at parks, and in open space adjacent to the Pacoima Wash. In these projects, residents were very engaged and committed. Together with several partners, San Fernando has also developed a comprehensive plan to transform the Pacoima Wash into a thriving wildlife habitat that supports recreation via bike and walking paths, enhances biodiversity through habitat restoration, and improves watershed health. Funding for this ambitious project is currently being sought. Part of the planning process for these projects included surveys with focus groups in the city to gauge interest and readiness for these projects. Survey results indicate 79% of residents are concerned about air quality and would like to see projects that will improve the quality of their air; 70% are interested in increased native landscaping; and 60% are interested in the broad category of "the environment". Residents also indicated increased recreation space was welcome and, in particular, they would like to have more trees, native plants and water capture features. The city's leadership and the community members' level of readiness for environmental improvement is so strong that TreePeople is confident the project will attract a high level of community involvement, will proceed without hindrance, and will be adequately maintained for many years.

Another appealing aspect of working in the City of San Fernando is that the city government is easy to navigate. Unlike many other cities in Los Angeles, there is very little bureaucratic red tape, processes, permitting, etc. that can waylay projects indefinitely. These conditions are favorable for planning and implementing without delay. In addition, the small size of the town, 2.44 square miles, gives the project propensity for making a very tangible and highly visible impact.

TreePeople's 43-year experience makes us ripe for this project. TreePeople is a California not-for-profit organization, incorporated in 1973 by founder Andy Lipkis. TreePeople's mission is to inspire, engage and support people to take personal responsibility for the urban environment, and to share the process as a model for the world. Today, TreePeople has more than 20,000 supporters, a staff of more than 50 professional foresters, educators, and program and policy facilitators, a dedicated Board of Directors, and more than 10,000 volunteers. To date, TreePeople has involved more than 2 million people in planting and caring for more than 2.5 million trees in the Greater Los Angeles area, from the mountains to the most over-paved urban streets, and educated and activated countless others to conserve and capture water through climate-appropriate landscaping and rainwater harvesting workshops.

TreePeople has also had a strong presence in the Northeast San Fernando Valley (NESFV) for years and has prioritized this area, along with South Los Angeles, as the two principal areas for our work. The NESFV is an environmental justice area in need of much support. TreePeople has worked at schools and with the communities on tree planting and tree care efforts in the area and, in the process, has garnered much community traction and support. TreePeople's Regional Manager for the area, Pam Gibson, is bilingual and bicultural and has strong ties with the community.

Community engagement is at the heart of everything we do and we have tremendous experience organizing, inspiring, educating, and guiding people to take responsibility for the environment. We are a leader in Los Angeles for exploring and implementing cutting-edge ideas and practices. We have been planting trees on city streets, in parks, on schoolyards, and in the mountains for decades. And, finally, TreePeople's ultimate goal is to make Los Angeles a climate resilient city that can inspire other global cities around the world.

TreePeople's ongoing programs include the following:

- TreePeople's Education Programs provide hands-on, science-based environmental curricula to kindergarten through
  twelfth-grade students, benefiting nearly 220,000 local students and teachers each year. In addition to increasing
  environmental education in schools, these programs inspire and empower future generations to take action.
   Additionally, TreePeople's Community Education Program trains thousands of adults annually to plant and care for
  trees, transition to and support sustainable landscapes, and harvest and utilize rainwater at home.
- TreePeople's Forestry Programs inspire thousands of volunteers to plant and care for trees, distribute fruit trees to low-income Angelenos, and restore damaged natural ecosystems in parks, mountains, neighborhoods and school yards throughout Greater Los Angeles. Special focus is given to areas most in need of tree canopy. TreePeople's pioneering Citizen Forester model gives ordinary people the extraordinary ability to improve their environment by incorporating nature and "forest-mimicking" technologies into the urban landscape. Among other awards, the United Nations World Forestry Organization recognized TreePeople's forestry work as a global model for other large cities.

#### 14. Support

The following people and organizations have reviewed this proposal and have given their support for this project. Letters of support and/or contact information for these groups will be provided upon request.

#### **GOVERNMENT:**

- State Senator Bob Hertzberg
- Los Angeles Unified School District Board Member Monica Ratliff
- City of San Fernando Deputy City Manager, Public Works Director Chris Marcarello

#### **COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS and BUSINESS:**

- Providence Holy Cross Hospital
- Residents for a Better San Fernando
- San Fernando Local Mothers/Madres Group
- Kiwanis Club of San Fernando
- MEND (Meet Each Need With Dignity)
- Saint Ferdinand Catholic School
- Santa Rosa Catholic School
- PUC Nueva Esperanza Charter Academy

## 15. New Technology

Curb cuts, rain gardens, and bioswales have been tested in multiple settings sprinkled throughout Los Angeles, but are still uncommon in broad implementation, or in depth within a given community. In the City of San Fernando, they are highly innovative and wide-spread use within the city will be an important model in retrofitting other small municipalities within Los Angeles County, and in bringing such practices to a wider-scale. Linking this project to public health via increased walking and biking – not to mention the environment/health connection – is innovative, as well.

In addition, the project will use innovative digital modeling to measure UHI reduction and this aspect of the project will be influenced by the urban cooling project TreePeople is leading with national climate scientists.

## 16. Need for Conservancy Funds

TreePeople is committed to making the City of San Fernando a global example of urban climate resilience, and that requires collaborative efforts that leverage multiple resources to provide multiple benefits for the community. Currently, the City has developed plans related to the *Safe Routes* program; bringing TreePeople's practices (including community engagement) to the process represents an important opportunity to leverage local programs and resources, and bring multiple benefits to the same effort. Loss of funding to TreePeople would mean the City would likely proceed focused only on the walkability benefit, and miss this opportunity for this critical collaboration.

#### 17. GHG emissions

GHG emissions resulting from this project will be insignificant. All project-related transportation and activity will be very local, even taking into consideration hiring local staff and contractors. We will not be seeking carbon credits for the carbon sequestration activities on the project site.

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# AGENDA REPORT

To: Mayor Robert C. Gonzales and Councilmembers

From: Brian Saeki, City Manager

By: Ismael Aguila, Recreation and Community Services Director

October 3, 2016 Date:

Subject: Consideration to Approve a First Amendment to the Non-Exclusive License

Agreement with the Fernandeño Tataviam Band of Mission Indians for Cultural

**Enrichment Programs** 

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the City Council:

- a. Approve the first amendment to the Non-Exclusive License Agreement with the Fernandeño Tataviam Band of Mission Indians for Cultural Enrichment Programs (Contract No. 1832(a) -Attachment "A"); and
- b. Authorize the City Manager to execute the agreement.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

- 1. On July 6, 2010, the City Council authorized the City Administrator to execute a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Fernandeño Tataviam Band of Mission Indians (Tribe) for Cultural Enrichment Programs at Rudy Ortega Park Sr. Park.
- 2. In August 2015, the five-year agreement expired. Staff met with the Tribe to discuss future programming to include into the agreement, including the celebration of Indigenous Day.
- 3. On October 5, 2015, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 7703 declaring its support of Indigenous Day on the second Monday of October.
- 4. On July 18, 2016, the City Council authorized the City Manager to execute a Non-Exclusive License Agreement with the Fernandeño Tataviam Band of Mission Indians for Cultural Enrichment Programs.

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#### **ANALYSIS:**

The Newly executed 10-year Non-Exclusive License Agreement allows for the expansion of community programs/activities without impacting City staff. The Tribe shall provide a variety of community building activities while actively working to preserve its history and customs to impart this knowledge to coming generations and the general public. In addition, the agreement granted the Tribe access to Rudy Ortega Sr. Park to conduct cultural art programs and events and Recreation Park to plan an annual celebration for Indigenous Day on the second Monday in October. The Tribe is requesting to modify the verbiage of the agreement to allow for alternative days for access to Recreation Park to celebrate Indigenous Day. The new verbiage will state the following:

"The foregoing notwithstanding, City, in its sole and absolute discretion, may from time to time authorize the use of Recreation Park by Licensee on dates and times other than the second Monday in October provided a request for such alternative dates and times is submitted in writing to City by Licensee no less than 30-days prior to the requested date and time. Any grant of an alternative date must be issued in writing by the City Manager."

#### **BUDGET IMPACT:**

There will be no impact to the FY 2016-17 General Fund. Since 2010, the partnership with the Tribe has provided residents of the City access to cultural art programming and maintenance assistance at Rudy Ortega Sr. Park with no additional costs to the City. The amendment to this Non-Exclusive License Agreement will allow for the Tribe to plan and implement an Indigenous Day Celebration at Recreation Park.

#### **CONCLUSION:**

It is recommended that the City Council approve the first amendment to the Non-Exclusive License Agreement with the Fernandeño Tataviam Band of Mission Indians for Cultural Enrichment Programs.

#### **ATTACHMENT:**

A. Contract No. 1832(a)

## FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF SAN FERNANDO AND FERNANDENO TATAVIAM BAND OF MISSION INDIANS FOR USE OF RUDY ORTEGA PARK AND RECREATION PARK

THIS FIRST AMENDMENT ("Amendment") to that certain 2016 "Agreement" (Contract No. 1832) executed by and between the City of San Fernando, a municipal corporation ("CITY") and the FERNANDENO TATAVIAM BAND OF MISSION INDIANS, a state acknowledged Indian tribe and California mutual benefit corporation ("LICENSEE" or "TATAVIAM") is made and entered into this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October 2016. For purposes of this Amendment, the capitalized term "Parties" shall be a collective reference to both CITY and LICENSEE and the capitalized term "Party" may refer to either CITY or CONTRACTOR interchangeably.

#### **RECITALS**

WHEREAS, the CITY and LICENSEE have entered into that certain Master Agreement for use of Rudy Ortega Park and Recreation Park (the "Master Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, on the second Monday in October, the City shall give Licensee access to Recreation Park in order to hold Public Programs and Tataviam-Sponsored Events in honor of Indigenous Day. Licensee's access and use of Recreation Park shall be limited to Indigenous Day, and Licensee shall not have access to Recreation Park on any other day of the year without prior City approval; and

WHEREAS, the City shall give Licensee access to Recreation Park and its facilities during normal operating hours, on the second Monday of October only, for activities related to the celebration of Indigenous Day. City reserves the right to access Recreation Park at any time, including on Indigenous Day, and to set Recreation Park's hours of operation on a seasonal basis.

WHEREAS, the City shall provide Licensee with a key to Recreation Park facilities upon Licensee's request. Key requests shall be made no less than twenty-four (24) hours prior to Indigenous Day, the second Monday in October. Licensee shall return keys immediately following the authorized Indigenous Day programing. Licensee shall be responsible for any lost keys, and any costs that City might incur to replace and/or re-key Recreation Park facilities.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of mutual covenants and conditions herein contained, CITY and LICENSEE hereby mutually agree as follows:

1. Section 1. GRANT OF LICENSE AND TERMS OF USE, of the Master Agreement is hereby amended as follows:

The foregoing notwithstanding, City, in its sole and absolute discretion, may from time to time authorize the use of Recreation Park by Licensee on dates and times other than the

#### **FIRST AMENDMENT**

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second Monday in October provided a request for such alternative dates and times is submitted in writing to City by Licensee no less than 30 days prior to the requested date and time. Any grant of an alternative date must be issued in writing by the City Manager.

- 2. Except as otherwise set forth in this Amendment, the Master Agreement shall remain binding, controlling and in full force and effect. This Amendment together with the Master Agreement shall constitute the entire, complete, final, and exclusive expression of the Parties with respect to the matters addressed in both documents
- 3. The provisions of this Amendment shall be deemed a part of the Master Agreement and except as otherwise provided under this Amendment, the Master Agreement and all provisions contained therein shall remain binding and enforceable. In the event of any conflict or inconsistency between the provisions of this Amendment and the provisions of the Master Agreement, the provisions of this Amendment shall control, but only in so far as such provisions conflict with the Master Agreement and no further.
- 4. This Amendment shall be executed in three counterparts, with one such fully executed counterpart returned to Licensee upon execution.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Amendment as of the date first written above.

CITY OF SAN FERNANDO	FERNANDENO TATAVIAM BAND OF MISSION INDIANS
Ву:	Ву:
Brian Saeki, City Manager	Name:
	Title:
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Rick R. Olivarez, City Attorney	

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# AGENDA REPORT

To: Mayor Robert C. Gonzales and Councilmembers

From: Councilmember Jaime Soto

Date: October 3, 2016

**Subject:** Appointments to City Commissions

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

I recommend that the following individuals be appointed as my representatives to the City Commissions:

#### a. Transportation and Safety Commission

Jennifer Helliwell, City of San Fernando resident and registered voter

#### b. Parks, Wellness, and Recreation Commission

Pilar Enriquez, City of San Fernando resident and registered voter

#### **BUDGET IMPACT:**

None

#### **ATTACHMENT:**

- A. Jennifer Helliwell Bio
- B. Pilar Enriquez Application & Bio

September 28, 2016

Dear Council Member Soto,

Thank you for extending such a compliment to me by inviting me to serve as a commissioner on the Safety and Transportation Commission. I appreciate the confidence you have shown in me and I am truly grateful for this opportunity.

I am humbled by this honor and my goal is to live up to the expectations of all people in our community. My hope is to continue the good work of those that have served before me.

My family roots in San Fernando go back four generations. I was born and raised here and can't think of a better place live in the Valley. Aside from the knowledge and love for our town that has been passed on to me by my family, I have learned much from my own experiences in living here my whole life and having successfully served previously as a commissioner for the city from 2010 to 2012.

As a city commissioner I had the honor to work on several successful projects. Three projects that I am proud to have been a part of because of the positive benefits they provided our community, include helping oversee the successful planning and execution of the city's Fourth of July Celebration, work closely with experts and help build support for the passing of the smoking cessation project, and my work on the board that reviewed the study that helped bring exercise equipment to our public parks, which to this day continues to be utilized by countless citizens.

Council Member Soto, I humbly accept your invitation to serve for a second term as a commissioner for the City of San Fernando and I look forward to serving and working with you. May your endeavors to help make San Fernando a special place to live, work, and raise a family be successful.

Thank you,

Jennifer Helliwell



Recommended by City Councilmember:

Jaime Soto

This is a public document.

To assist the City Council in evaluating each applicant in the selection of Commission Members, please provide as complete of a response as possible to all questions.

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Residence Address: Address on file	San Fernando, CA	91340			
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Email: penriquez4sf@gmail.com	Street / P.O.Box City State	Zip Code			
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Employer: Child Care Resource Center	Position: Exec Ad	min Assistant			
Business Address: 20001 Prairie Street,					
Street City	State Zip Code				
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Family Home - Current residence					
Do you own or operate a business in San	Fernando? Yes No X				
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### **Commission Application Choice(s)**

### Please indicate which Commission you are interested in:

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Please attach and submit a brief bio statement to this application.

September 2016 |



# Pilar Enriquez

# **Biography**

Pilar is an enthusiastic and innovative executive professional with extensive experience in event planning, coordination of meetings, workshops, and team building events. Pilar is an active executive assistant behind-the-scenes partner to the CFO and senior level management, contributing both on the administrative side, day-to-day business operations and long-term business development planning.

Pilar moved from East LA to the San Fernando Valley in the early 90s, purchased her first family home in the City of San Fernando. She has been married for the last 30 years and has raised three wonderful children, two of them are currently pursuing their bachelor's degrees, and one has completed an associates degree. She is also a proud grandmother to her oldest daughter's little boy.

Pilar has recently returned to college to pursue and complete a higher level of education, which she put on hold when she got married and decided to raise a family. In her youth, Pilar traveled around Latin America as a missionary preaching the gospel. She earned a full scholarship to study in a Bible College located in La Puente, California; Pilar came to this country as a student. After obtaining her Associate of Arts in Biblical and General Studies, Pilar continued her worked as a missionary in the United States building Hispanic churches and helping orphanages on the Mexican border.

Pilar believes in giving back to the community and non-profit organizations. Organizations helping children hold a special place in her heart. She is passionate about community service and involvement.

In her free time, Pilar loves to spend time with her family. She also likes hiking, dancing, socializing, taking pictures, and creating graphic designs. Her dream is to travel around the world and to make a difference in many children's lives.

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# AGENDA REPORT

**To:** Mayor Robert C. Gonzales and Councilmembers

**From:** Vice Mayor Joel Fajardo

Date: October 3, 2016

**Subject:** Consideration of League of California Cities 2016 Annual Conference Resolution

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

It is recommended that the City Council:

- a. Determine a City position on the League of California Cities (the League) 2016 Annual Conference Resolution (Attachment "A"), "Resolution Committing the League of California Cities to Supporting Vision Zero, Toward Zero Deaths, and Other Programs or Initiatives to Make Safety a Top Priority for Transportation Projects and Policy Formulation, While Encouraging Cities to Pursue Similar Initiatives." and
- b. Direct the City Council's Voting Delegate and/or Alternate Voting Delegate to vote accordingly on the City Council's behalf at the 2016 League of California Cities Annual Luncheon/Business Meeting/General Assembly.

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#### **Procedural Note:**

The League resolution process at the Annual Conference is guided by the League Bylaws. A helpful explanation of this process is included in Attachment "B".

#### **ANALYSIS:**

#### Background Information on Resolution to Support Transportation Safety Programs

Each year more than 30,000 people are killed on streets in the United States in traffic collisions. Traffic fatalities in America hit a seven-year high in 2015 and are estimated to have exceeded 35,000 people, with children, seniors, people of color, low-income and persons with disabilities accounting for a disproportionate share. The Centers for Disease Control recently reported that the traffic death rate per person in the United States was about double the average of peer nations, with close to 10% of these deaths occurring in California (3,074 in 2014). California's largest city, Los Angeles, has *the* highest rate of traffic death among large U.S. cities, at 6.27 per 100,000 people.

Cities around the world have adopted traffic safety projects and policies that underscore that traffic deaths are both unacceptable and preventable. In 1997, Sweden initiated a program called Vision Zero that focused on the idea that "Life and health can never be exchanged for other benefits within the society." The World Health Organization has officially endorsed Vision Zero laying out traffic safety as an international public health crisis and the United Nations General Assembly introduced the Decade of Action for Road Safety 2011-2020 and set the goal for the decade: "to stabilize and then reduce the forecast level of road traffic fatalities around the world" by 50% by 2020.

As of this writing, 18 U.S. cities have adopted Vision Zero programs (including New York City, Boston, Ft. Lauderdale, Austin, San Antonio, Washington DC, and Seattle) to reduce the numbers of fatal crashes occurring on their roads (<a href="http://visionzeronetwork.org/map-of-vision-zero-cities/">http://visionzeronetwork.org/map-of-vision-zero-cities/</a>). California cities lead the way, with the cities of San Jose, San Francisco, San Mateo, San Diego, Los Angeles, Long Beach and Fremont having adopted Vision Zero strategies and many others are actively considering adoption.

In 2009 a national group of traffic safety stakeholders launched an effort called "Toward Zero Deaths: A National Strategy on Highway Safety". This initiative has been supported by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) (<a href="http://safety.fhwa.dot.gov/tzd/">http://safety.fhwa.dot.gov/tzd/</a>) and states throughout the United States, including California (<a href="http://www.ots.ca.gov/OTS">http://www.ots.ca.gov/OTS</a> and Traffic Safety/About OTS.asp).

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This past January the U.S. Department of Transportation launched its "Mayors' Challenge for Safer People and Safer Streets." This effort calls on elected officials to partner with the USDOT and raise the bar for safety for people bicycling and walking by sharing resources, competing for awards, and taking action. The California cities of Beverly Hills, Davis, Maywood, Cupertino, Culver City, Rialto, Santa Monica, Porterville, Los Angles, San Jose, Monterey, Glendale, Irvine, Oakland, Palo Alto, Alameda, West Hollywood and Fullerton signed on to this effort. Additionally, the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE), a leading organization for transportation professionals, recently launched a new initiative to aggressively advance the

Vision Zero and Towards Zero Deaths movements (http://library.ite.org/pub/ed59a040-caf4-

Ultimately all of these programs share the fundamental belief that a data-driven, systems-level, interdisciplinary approach can prevent severe and fatal injuries on our nation's roadways. They employ proven strategies, actions, and countermeasures across education, enforcement and engineering. Support for many of these life-saving programs extends far beyond government agencies, and includes National Association of City Transportation Officials (NACTO), American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO), Kaiser Permanente, AARP, the National Safe Routes to School Partnership, and the International Association of Chiefs of Police, among many others.

There is wide-spread recognition that cities and towns need safe, efficient transportation systems to be economically prosperous. A resolution by the League of California Cities to support transportation safety policies like Vision Zero and Toward Zero Deaths, and encourage implementation of projects and programs that prioritize safety will help California elevate the health and safety of its residents and position us as a leader in national efforts to promote a culture of safe mobility for all.

#### League of California Cities Staff Analysis on Resolution No. 1

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Summary: The resolved clauses in Resolution No. 1: commits the League of California Cities to:

- 1. Supporting Vision Zero, Toward Zero Deaths, and other programs, policies, or initiatives that prioritize transportation safety;
- 2. Encouraging cities throughout California to join in these traffic safety initiatives to pursue the elimination of death and severe injury crashes on our roadways; and
- 3. Encouraging the State to consider adopting transportation safety as a top priority for transportation projects and policy formulation.

**Background:** The City of San Jose notes national and international efforts to reduce fatal and severe injury traffic collisions through systematic data driven approaches, such as Vision Zero

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and Toward Zero Deaths. According to the World Health Organization (WHO), "Vision Zero is a traffic safety policy, developed in Sweden in the late 1990s and based on four elements: ethics, responsibility, a philosophy of safety, and creating mechanisms for change." Below is a summary of each Vision Zero element, according to WHO:

- 1. Ethics Life and health trump all other transportation benefits, such as mobility.
- 2. Responsibility Responsibility for crashes and injuries is shared between the providers of the system and the road users.
- 3. Safety Philosophy Asserts that a transportation system should account for the unstable relationship of human error with fast/heavy machinery to avoid deaths/serious injury, but accept crashes/minor injuries.
- 4. Driving Mechanisms for Change Asserts that road users and providers must both work to guaranteeing road safety, taking measures such as: improving levels of seat belt use, installing crashprotective barriers, wider use of speed camera technology, increasing random breathalyzer tests, and promoting safety in transportation project contracts.

#### A Vision Zero City meets the following minimum standards:

- Sets clear goal of eliminating traffic fatalities and severe injuries
- Mayor has publicly, officially committed to Vision Zero
- Vision Zero plan or strategy is in place, or Mayor has committed to doing so in clear time frame
- Key city departments (including police, transportation and public health) are engaged

#### List of cities that meet the minimum Vision Zero standards nationally include:

Anchorage, AK; Austin, TX; Boston, MA; Cambridge, MA; Denver, CO; Eugene, OR; Fort Lauderdale, FL; Fremont, CA; Los Angeles, CA; New York, NY; Portland, OR; Sacramento, CA; San Antonio, TX; San Diego, CA; San Francisco, CA; San Jose, CA; Seattle, WA; Washington, DC.

<sup>1</sup> http://who.int/violence injury prevention/publications/road traffic/world report/chapter1.pdf

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#### List of cities that are considering adoption of Vision Zero nationally include:

Ann Arbor, MI; Bellevue, OR; Bethlehem, PA; Chicago, IL; Columbia, MO; Houston, TX; Long Beach, CA; New Orleans, CA; Philadelphia, PA; Pittsburgh, PA; San Mateo, CA; Santa Ana, CA; Santa Cruz, CA; Santa Monica, CA; St. Paul, MN; Tampa, FL<sup>2</sup>

#### Vision Zero – Samples:

- 1. San Francisco In 2015, the City established a two-year action strategy that outlines the projects and policy changes to implement its Vision Zero goal of zero traffic deaths by 2024. The strategy adopts five core principles, such as: 1) traffic deaths are preventable and unacceptable; 2) safety for all road modes and users is the highest priority; 3) transportation system design should anticipate inevitable human error; 4) education, enforcement, and vehicle technology contribute to a safe system; and 5) transportation systems should be designed for speeds that protect human life.<sup>3</sup> The strategy focuses on engineering, enforcement, education, evaluation, and policy changes that can be made to achieve their goals. The City is working on projects, such as:
  - a. Creating protected bike lanes
  - b. Building wider sidewalks
  - c. Reducing traffic speeds<sup>4</sup>

The City is also exploring policy changes to state law that will allow the City to place traffic cameras near schools and senior centers to cite speeding drivers through automated speed enforcement.<sup>5</sup>

- 2. Los Angeles the City has established a commitment to eliminate all traffic deaths by 2025. They have identified a network of streets, known as the High Injury Network (HIN)<sup>6</sup>, which maps out their areas of concern where they plan on making strategic investments in reducing deaths/severe injury. According to the City, only 6% of their city streets account for 2/3 of all deaths/severe injury for pedestrians. The City highlights the three following projects as part of their Vision Zero efforts<sup>7</sup>:
  - a. Installation of 22 new Leading Pedestrian Intervals (LPIs) at signals throughout the city, which gives pedestrians a head start against right-turning vehicles when crossing.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> http://visionzeronetwork.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/02/VZ-map-April-20-2016-4.jpg

http://www.joomag.com/magazine/vision-zero-san-francisco/0685197001423594455?short

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> http://visionzerosf.org/vision-zero-in-action/engineering-streets-for-safety/

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> http://visionzerosf.org/vision-zero-in-action/public-policy-for-change/

<sup>6</sup> http://ladot.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapJournal/index.html?appid=488062f00db44ef0a29bf481aa337cb3

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> http://visionzero.lacity.org/actions/

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- b. Installation of a pedestrian scramble at the intersection of Hollywood and Highland, which stops traffic in all four-directions during pedestrian crossing.
- c. Installation of curb extensions along Cesar E. Chavez Avenue in their HIN, which reduces the crossing distance for pedestrians, narrows the intersections, and reduces speed for turning vehicles.

#### San Francisco's Vision Zero Categories:

- 1. Engineering implement treatments and redesign streets to reduce the frequency and severity of collisions (i.e. using/implementing: high injury network maps, signal timing, high visibility crosswalks, bus stop lengths, etc.).
- 2. Enforcement use data driven approach to cite and focus on violations of the California Vehicular Code and S.F. Transportation Code that identify as causative in severe and fatal collisions (i.e. explore implementation of E-citation Pilot, reporting on traffic collision data, police training, etc.).
- 3. Education coordinate among city departments to create citywide strategy for outreach and safety programs, such as Safe Routes to Schools. (i.e. education campaign includes Safe Streets SF, large vehicle safe driving for municipal vehicles, etc.).
- 4. Evaluation evaluate the impact of engineering, enforcement, education and policy efforts to provide recommendations for refinement (i.e. use of web-based data sharing and tracking systems for transparency and accountability).
- 5. Policy support and mobilize local and state policy initiatives that advance Vision Zero (i.e. Advance Automated Safety Enforcement initiative at the state level, in-vehicle technology usage, partnering with state and federal agencies on administrative and legal issues, etc.)

In its annual reporting, the City has established the following measures for successful benchmarks:

- Decreasing total severe and fatal injuries
- Decreasing the proportion of severe and fatal injuries in communities of concern to address social inequities
- Decreasing medical costs at SF General Hospital relating to collisions
- Increasing the number of engineering projects and miles of streets receiving safety improvements
- Decreasing the speeds on SF streets
- Increasing investigation and prosecution of vehicular manslaughter
- Increasing public awareness of Vision Zero and traffic safety laws
- Increasing policy changes made at the state and local levels to advance Vision Zero

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#### **Toward Zero Deaths**

The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) within the United States Department of Transportation (USDOT) is committed to the vision of eliminating fatalities and serious injuries on national roadways. FHWA has a strategic goal of ensuring the "nation's highway system provides safe, reliable, effective, and sustainable mobility for all users." It is essentially the national version of Vision Zero administered primarily through the Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP).

At the state level, the California Office of Traffic Safety (OTS) has a mission to "effectively and efficiently administer traffic safety grant funds to reduce traffic deaths, injuries, and economic losses." They make available grants to local and state public agencies for traffic law enforcement, public traffic safety education, and other programs aimed at reducing fatalities, injuries, and economic loss from collisions.

Support: City of Fremont, City of Los Angeles, City of Sacramento, City of San Francisco, City of San Jose, City of Santa Monica, and City of West Hollywood.

**Opposition:** One individual

**Fiscal Impact:** Unknown. The costs to any particular city can vary tremendously depending on the level and scope of investment any particular city would seek to make. For example, the City of San Francisco has Vision Zero project costs ranging from \$30,000 for pedestrian safety treatments up to \$12,000,000 for a Streetscape project. The cost of any particular effort could be well below, above, and anywhere between those ranges for Vision Zero implementation.

#### **Comment:**

- 1. Policy committee members are encouraged to consider carefully how the adoption of the resolved clause in this resolution may affect the League's future policy when it comes to advocating for transportation funding and other existing priorities. While the clause "encouraging cities throughout California to join in these traffic safety initiatives to pursue the elimination of death and severe injury crashes on our roadways" provides an opportunity to highlight strategies that can be considered to improve transportation safety, two other aspects of the resolved appear to establish new policy for the organization in that it would "commit" the League to:
- Supporting Vision Zero, Toward Zero Deaths, and other programs, policies, or initiatives that prioritize transportation safety.

<sup>8</sup> http://safety.fhwa.dot.gov/tzd/

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> http://www.ots.ca.gov/OTS and Traffic Safety/About OTS.asp

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- Encouraging the State to consider adopting transportation safety as a top priority for transportation projects and policy formulation.
- 2. Effects of various strategies to improve transportation safety can vary. According to an article published in the San Francisco Chronicle on March 26, 2016, deaths in San Francisco traffic were not falling despite Vision Zero efforts. The article notes that there were seven deaths in 2016, while there was only one in the first 10 weeks of 2015 and seven in 2014 during the same period. The San Francisco Department of Public Health commented that despite these incidents, it's too early to make any conclusions about Vision Zero's effectiveness. In Los Angeles, however, the city has cited significant decreases in severe and fatal injuries with implementation of certain technologies, such as installation of pedestrian scrambles. The success of Vision Zero in any particular city will likely depend on the level of investment and scope of the project(s) as the projects can vary widely.
- 3. In the fifth "Whereas" clause from the top, the word "principal" should be "principle."

**Existing League Policy:** "The League supports additional funding for local transportation and other critical unmet infrastructure needs. One of the League's priorities is to support a consistent and continuous appropriation of new monies from various sources directly to cities and counties for the preservation, maintenance and rehabilitation of the local street and road system. New and additional revenues should meet the following policies:

- System Preservation and Maintenance. Given the substantial needs for all modes of transportation, a significant portion of new revenues should be focused on system preservation. Once the system has been brought to a state of good repair, revenues for maintenance of the system would be reduced to a level that enables sufficient recurring maintenance.
- Commitment to Efficiency. Priority should be given to using and improving current systems.
   Recipients of revenues should incorporate operational improvements and new technology in projects.
- All Users Based System. New revenues should be borne by all users of the system from the
  traditional personal vehicle that relies solely on gasoline, to those with new hybrid or
  electric technology, to commercial vehicles moving goods in the state, and even transit,
  bicyclists, and pedestrians who also benefit from the use of an integrated transportation
  network.
- Alternative Funding Mechanisms. Given that new technologies continue to improve the
  efficiency of many types of transportation methods, transportation stakeholders must be
  open to new alternative funding mechanisms. Further, the goal of reducing greenhouse
  gases is also expected to affect vehicle miles traveled, thus further reduce gasoline
  consumption and revenue from the existing gas tax. The existing user based fee, such as the

 $^{10}\ \underline{\text{http://www.sfchronicle.com/bayarea/article/Deaths-in-S-F-traffic-not-falling-despite-Vision-7182486.php}$ 

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base \$0.18-cent gas tax is a declining revenue source. Collectively, we must have the political will to push for sustainable transportation revenues.

- **Unified Statewide Solution.** For statewide revenues, all transportation stakeholders must stand united in the search for new revenues. Any new statewide revenues should address the needs of the entire statewide transportation network, focused in areas where there is defensible and documented need.
- **Equity.** New revenues should be distributed in an equitable manner, benefiting both the north and south and urban, suburban, and rural areas as well as being equally split between state and local projects.
- **Flexibility.** Needs vary from region to region and city to city. New revenues and revenue authority should provide the flexibility for the appropriate level of government to meet the goals of the constituents.
- **Accountability.** All tax dollars should be spent properly, and recipients of new revenues should be held accountable to the taxpayers, whether at the state or local level."<sup>11</sup>

Additionally, the League adopted to "Increase Funding for Critical Transportation and Water Infrastructure" as its number one strategic goal for 2016. It reads, "Provide additional state and federal financial assistance and new local financing tools to help meet the critical transportation (streets, bridges, active transportation, and transit) and water (supply, sewer, storm water, flood control, etc.) infrastructure maintenance and construction needs throughout California's cities." 12

#### **ATTACHMENTS:**

- A. League of California Cities 2016 Annual Conference Resolutions Packet
- B. Resolution Process

<sup>11 &</sup>lt;a href="http://www.cacities.org/Resources-Documents/Policy-Advocacy-Section/Policy-Development/2016-Summaryof-Existing-Policy-and-Guiding-Princi.aspx">http://www.cacities.org/Resources-Documents/Policy-Advocacy-Section/Policy-Development/2016-Summaryof-Existing-Policy-and-Guiding-Princi.aspx</a>

<sup>12</sup> http://www.cacities.org/Secondary/About-Us/Strategic-Priorities



# Annual Conference Resolutions Packet

# 2016 Annual Conference Resolutions



Long Beach, California
October 5 – 7, 2016

#### INFORMATION AND PROCEDURES

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<u>PETITIONED RESOLUTIONS</u>: For those issues that develop after the normal 60-day deadline, a resolution may be introduced at the Annual Conference with a petition signed by designated voting delegates of 10 percent of all member cities (48 valid signatures required) and presented to the Voting Delegates Desk at least 24 hours prior to the time set for convening the Annual Business Meeting of the General Assembly. This year, that deadline is 12:00 p.m., Thursday, October 6. Resolutions can be viewed on the League's Web site: <a href="https://www.cacities.org/resolutions">www.cacities.org/resolutions</a>.

Any questions concerning the resolutions procedures may be directed to Meg Desmond at the League office: <a href="mailto:mdesmond@cacities.org">mdesmond@cacities.org</a> or (916) 658-8224

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#### **LOCATION OF MEETINGS**

#### **Policy Committee Meetings**

Wednesday, October 5 Hyatt Regency Long Beach 200 South Pine Street, Long Beach

9:00 – 10:30 a.m.: Transportation, Communication & Public Works

#### **General Resolutions Committee**

Thursday, October 6, 1:00 p.m. Hyatt Regency Long Beach 200 South Pine Street, Long Beach

### **Annual Business Meeting and General Assembly Luncheon**

Friday, October 7, 12:00 p.m. Long Beach Convention Center 300 East Ocean Boulevard, Long Beach

#### KEY TO ACTIONS TAKEN ON RESOLUTIONS

Resolutions have been grouped by policy committees to which they have been assigned.

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### **KEY TO ACTIONS TAKEN ON RESOLUTIONS (Continued)**

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1. Policy Committee		Approve		
2. General Resolutions Committee	D	Disapprove		
3. General Assembly		No Action		
A CTION ECOTNOTES	R	Refer to appropriate policy committee for study		
ACTION FOOTNOTES	a	Amend+		
* Subject matter covered in another resolution		Approve as amended+		
** Existing League policy		Approve with additional amendment(s)+		
*** Local authority presently exists		Refer as amended to appropriate policy committee for study+		
	Raa	Additional amendments and refer+		
	Da	Amend (for clarity or brevity) and Disapprove+		
	Na	Amend (for clarity or brevity) and take No Action+		
	W	Withdrawn by Sponsor		

### **Procedural Note:**

The League of California Cities resolution process at the Annual Conference is guided by the League Bylaws. A helpful explanation of this process can be found on the League's website by clicking on this link: Resolution Process.

1. RESOLUTION COMMITTING THE LEAGUE OF CALIFORNIA CITIES TO SUPPORTING VISION ZERO, TOWARD ZERO DEATHS, AND OTHER PROGRAMS OR INITIATIVES TO MAKE SAFETY A TOP PRIORITY FOR TRANSPORTATION PROJECTS AND POLICY FORMULATION, WHILE ENCOURAGING CITIES TO PURSUE SIMILAR INITIATIVES

Source: City of San Jose

Concurrence of five or more cities/city officials: Cities: Fremont; Los Angeles; Sacramento; San Diego;

San Francisco; Santa Monica; and West Hollywood

Referred to: Transportation, Communication and Public Works Policy Committees

Recommendation to General Resolution Committee:

**WHEREAS**, each year more than 30,000 people are killed on streets in the United States in traffic collisions; and

**WHEREAS**, traffic fatalities in America hit a seven-year high in 2015 and is estimated to have exceeded 35,000 people; with pedestrians and cyclists accounting for a disproportionate share; and

**WHEREAS** the Centers for Disease Control recently indicated that America's traffic death rate per person was about double the average of peer nations; and

**WHEREAS** Vision Zero and Toward Zero Deaths are comprehensive strategies to eliminate all traffic fatalities and severe injuries using a multi-disciplinary approach, including education, enforcement and engineering measures; and

**WHEREAS** a core principal of Vision Zero and Toward Zero Deaths is that traffic deaths are preventable and unacceptable; and

**WHEREAS** cities across the world have adopted and implemented Vision Zero and Toward Zero Deaths strategies and successfully reduced traffic fatalities and severe injuries occurring on streets and highways; and

**WHEREAS** safe, reliable and efficient transportation systems are essential foundations for thriving cities.

**RESOLVED** that the League of California Cities commits to supporting Vision Zero, Toward Zero Deaths, and other programs, policies, or initiatives that prioritize transportation safety;

**AND** encourage cities throughout California to join in these traffic safety initiatives to pursue the elimination of death and severe injury crashes on our roadways;

**AND** encourage the State of California to consider adopting safety as a top priority for both transportation projects and policy formulation.

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#### **Background Information on Resolution to Support Transportation Safety Programs**

Each year more than 30,000 people are killed on streets in the United States in traffic collisions. Traffic fatalities in America hit a seven-year high in 2015 and are estimated to have exceeded 35,000 people, with children, seniors, people of color, low-income and persons with disabilities accounting for a disproportionate share. The Centers for Disease Control recently reported that the traffic death rate per

person in the United States was about double the average of peer nations, with close to 10% of these deaths occurring in California (3,074 in 2014). California's largest city, Los Angeles, has *the* highest rate of traffic death among large U.S. cities, at 6.27 per 100,000 people.

Cities around the world have adopted traffic safety projects and policies that underscore that traffic deaths are both unacceptable and preventable. In 1997, Sweden initiated a program called Vision Zero that focused on the idea that "Life and health can never be exchanged for other benefits within the society." The World Health Organization has officially endorsed Vision Zero laying out traffic safety as an international public health crisis and the United Nations General Assembly introduced the Decade of Action for Road Safety 2011-2020 and set the goal for the decade: "to stabilize and then reduce the forecast level of road traffic fatalities around the world" by 50% by 2020.

As of this writing, 18 U.S. cities have adopted Vision Zero programs (including New York City, Boston, Ft. Lauderdale, Austin, San Antonio, Washington DC, and Seattle) to reduce the numbers of fatal crashes occurring on their roads (<a href="http://visionzeronetwork.org/map-of-vision-zero-cities/">http://visionzeronetwork.org/map-of-vision-zero-cities/</a>). California cities lead the way, with the cities of San Jose, San Francisco, San Mateo, San Diego, Los Angeles, Long Beach and Fremont having adopted Vision Zero strategies and many others are actively considering adoption.

In 2009 a national group of traffic safety stakeholders launched an effort called "Toward Zero Deaths: A National Strategy on Highway Safety". This initiative has been supported by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) (<a href="http://safety.fhwa.dot.gov/tzd/">http://safety.fhwa.dot.gov/tzd/</a>) and states throughout the United States, including California (<a href="http://www.ots.ca.gov/OTS">http://www.ots.ca.gov/OTS</a> and <a href="http://www.ots.ca.gov/OTS">Traffic Safety/About OTS.asp</a>).

This past January the U.S. Department of Transportation launched its "Mayors' Challenge for Safer People and Safer Streets." This effort calls on elected officials to partner with the USDOT and raise the bar for safety for people bicycling and walking by sharing resources, competing for awards, and taking action. The California cities of Beverly Hills, Davis, Maywood, Cupertino, Culver City, Rialto, Santa Monica, Porterville, Los Angles, San Jose, Monterey, Glendale, Irvine, Oakland, Palo Alto, Alameda, West Hollywood and Fullerton signed on to this effort. Additionally, the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE), a leading organization for transportation professionals, recently launched a new initiative to aggressively advance the Vision Zero and Towards Zero Deaths movements (<a href="http://library.ite.org/pub/ed59a040-caf4-5300-8ffc-35deb33ce03d">http://library.ite.org/pub/ed59a040-caf4-5300-8ffc-35deb33ce03d</a>).

Ultimately all of these programs share the fundamental belief that a data-driven, systems-level, interdisciplinary approach can prevent severe and fatal injuries on our nation's roadways. They employ proven strategies, actions, and countermeasures across education, enforcement and engineering. Support for many of these life-saving programs extends far beyond government agencies, and includes National Association of City Transportation Officials (NACTO), American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO), Kaiser Permanente, AARP, the National Safe Routes to School Partnership, and the International Association of Chiefs of Police, among many others.

There is wide-spread recognition that cities and towns need safe, efficient transportation systems to be economically prosperous. A resolution by the League of California Cities to support transportation safety policies like Vision Zero and Toward Zero Deaths, and encourage implementation of projects and programs that prioritize safety will help California elevate the health and safety of its residents and position us as a leader in national efforts to promote a culture of safe mobility for all.

#### League of California Cities Staff Analysis on Resolution No. 1

Staff: Rony Berdugo

Committee: Transportation, Communication, and Public Works

#### **Summary:**

The resolved clauses in Resolution No. 1: commits the League of California Cities to:

- 1) Supporting Vision Zero, Toward Zero Deaths, and other programs, policies, or initiatives that prioritize transportation safety;
- 2) Encouraging cities throughout California to join in these traffic safety initiatives to pursue the elimination of death and severe injury crashes on our roadways; and
- 3) Encouraging the State to consider adopting transportation safety as a top priority for transportation projects and policy formulation.

#### **Background:**

The City of San Jose notes national and international efforts to reduce fatal and severe injury traffic collisions through systematic data driven approaches, such as Vision Zero and Toward Zero Deaths. According to the World Health Organization (WHO), "Vision Zero is a traffic safety policy, developed in Sweden in the late 1990s and based on four elements: ethics, responsibility, a philosophy of safety, and creating mechanisms for change." Below is a summary of each Vision Zero element, according to WHO:

- 1. Ethics Life and health trump all other transportation benefits, such as mobility.
- 2. Responsibility Responsibility for crashes and injuries is shared between the providers of the system and the road users.
- 3. Safety Philosophy Asserts that a transportation system should account for the unstable relationship of human error with fast/heavy machinery to avoid deaths/serious injury, but accept crashes/minor injuries.
- 4. Driving Mechanisms for Change Asserts that road users and providers must both work to guaranteeing road safety, taking measures such as: improving levels of seat belt use, installing crash-protective barriers, wider use of speed camera technology, increasing random breathalyzer tests, and promoting safety in transportation project contracts.

#### A Vision Zero City meets the following minimum standards:

- Sets clear goal of eliminating traffic fatalities and severe injuries
- Mayor has publicly, officially committed to Vision Zero
- Vision Zero plan or strategy is in place, or Mayor has committed to doing so in clear time frame
- Key city departments (including police, transportation and public health) are engaged

<u>List of cities that meet the minimum Vision Zero standards nationally include</u>: Anchorage, AK; Austin, TX; Boston, MA; Cambridge, MA; Denver, CO; Eugene, OR; Fort Lauderdale, FL; Fremont, CA; Los Angeles, CA; New York, NY; Portland, OR; Sacramento, CA; San Antonio, TX; San Diego, CA; San Francisco, CA; San Jose, CA; Seattle, WA; Washington, DC

<u>List of cities that are considering adoption of Vision Zero nationally include</u>: Ann Arbor, MI; Bellevue, OR; Bethlehem, PA; Chicago, IL; Columbia, MO; Houston, TX; Long Beach, CA;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> http://who.int/violence\_injury\_prevention/publications/road\_traffic/world\_report/chapter1.pdf

New Orleans, CA; Philadelphia, PA; Pittsburgh, PA; San Mateo, CA; Santa Ana, CA; Santa Cruz, CA; Santa Monica, CA; St. Paul, MN; Tampa, FL<sup>2</sup>

#### <u>Vision Zero – Samples</u>:

- 1. San Francisco In 2015, the City established a two-year action strategy that outlines the projects and policy changes to implement its Vision Zero goal of zero traffic deaths by 2024. The strategy adopts five core principles, such as: 1) traffic deaths are preventable and unacceptable; 2) safety for all road modes and users is the highest priority; 3) transportation system design should anticipate inevitable human error; 4) education, enforcement, and vehicle technology contribute to a safe system; and 5) transportation systems should be designed for speeds that protect human life.<sup>3</sup> The strategy focuses on engineering, enforcement, education, evaluation, and policy changes that can be made to achieve their goals. The City is working on projects, such as:
  - a. Creating protected bike lanes
  - b. Building wider sidewalks
  - c. Reducing traffic speeds<sup>4</sup>

The City is also exploring policy changes to state law that will allow the City to place traffic cameras near schools and senior centers to cite speeding drivers through automated speed enforcement.<sup>5</sup>

- 2. Los Angeles the City has established a commitment to eliminate all traffic deaths by 2025. They have identified a network of streets, known as the High Injury Network (HIN)<sup>6</sup>, which maps out their areas of concern where they plan on making strategic investments in reducing deaths/severe injury. According to the City, only 6% of their city streets account for 2/3 of all deaths/severe injury for pedestrians. The City highlights the three following projects as part of their Vision Zero efforts<sup>7</sup>:
  - a. Installation of 22 new Leading Pedestrian Intervals (LPIs) at signals throughout the city, which gives pedestrians a head start against right-turning vehicles when crossing
  - b. Installation of a pedestrian scramble at the intersection of Hollywood and Highland, which stops traffic in all four-directions during pedestrian crossing.
  - c. Installation of curb extensions along Cesar E. Chavez Avenue in their HIN, which reduces the crossing distance for pedestrians, narrows the intersections, and reduces speed for turning vehicles.

#### San Francisco's Vision Zero Categories:

- 1. Engineering implement treatments and redesign streets to reduce the frequency and severity of collisions (i.e. using/implementing: high injury network maps, signal timing, high visibility crosswalks, bus stop lengths, etc.)
- 2. Enforcement use data driven approach to cite and focus on violations of the California Vehicular Code and S.F. Transportation Code that identify as causative in severe and fatal collisions (i.e. explore implementation of E-citation Pilot, reporting on traffic collision data, police training, etc.)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> http://visionzeronetwork.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/02/VZ-map-April-20-2016-4.jpg

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> http://www.joomag.com/magazine/vision-zero-san-francisco/0685197001423594455?short

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> http://visionzerosf.org/vision-zero-in-action/engineering-streets-for-safety/

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> http://visionzerosf.org/vision-zero-in-action/public-policy-for-change/

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> http://ladot.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapJournal/index.html?appid=488062f00db44ef0a29bf481aa337cb3

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> http://visionzero.lacity.org/actions/

- 3. Education coordinate among city departments to create citywide strategy for outreach and safety programs, such as Safe Routes to Schools. (i.e. education campaign includes Safe Streets SF, large vehicle safe driving for municipal vehicles, etc.)
- 4. Evaluation evaluate the impact of engineering, enforcement, education and policy efforts to provide recommendations for refinement (i.e. use of web-based data sharing and tracking systems for transparency and accountability).
- 5. Policy support and mobilize local and state policy initiatives that advance Vision Zero (i.e. Advance Automated Safety Enforcement initiative at the state level, in-vehicle technology usage, partnering with state and federal agencies on administrative and legal issues, etc.)

In its annual reporting, the City has established the following measures for successful benchmarks:

- Decreasing total severe and fatal injuries
- Decreasing the proportion of severe and fatal injuries in communities of concern to address social inequities
- Decreasing medical costs at SF General Hospital relating to collisions
- Increasing the number of engineering projects and miles of streets receiving safety improvements
- Decreasing the speeds on SF streets
- Increasing investigation and prosecution of vehicular manslaughter
- Increasing public awareness of Vision Zero and traffic safety laws
- Increasing policy changes made at the state and local levels to advance Vision Zero

<u>Toward Zero Deaths</u> – The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) within the United States Department of Transportation (USDOT) is committed to the vision of eliminating fatalities and serious injuries on national roadways. FHWA has a strategic goal of ensuring the "nation's highway system provides safe, reliable, effective, and sustainable mobility for all users." It is essentially the national version of Vision Zero administered primarily through the Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP).

At the state level, the California Office of Traffic Safety (OTS) has a mission to "effectively and efficiently administer traffic safety grant funds to reduce traffic deaths, injuries, and economic losses." They make available grants to local and state public agencies for traffic law enforcement, public traffic safety education, and other programs aimed at reducing fatalities, injuries, and economic loss from collisions.

**Support:** City of Fremont, City of Los Angeles, City of Sacramento, City of San Francisco, City of San Jose, City of Santa Monica, and City of West Hollywood

**Opposition:** One individual

<u>Fiscal Impact:</u> Unknown. The costs to any particular city can vary tremendously depending on the level and scope of investment any particular city would seek to make. For example, the City of San Francisco has Vision Zero project costs ranging from \$30,000 for pedestrian safety treatments up to \$12,000,000 for a Streetscape project. The cost of any particular effort could be well below, above, and anywhere between those ranges for Vision Zero implementation.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> http://safety.fhwa.dot.gov/tzd/

<sup>9</sup> http://www.ots.ca.gov/OTS and Traffic Safety/About OTS.asp

#### **Comment:**

- 1) Policy committee members are encouraged to consider carefully how the adoption of the resolved clause in this resolution may affect the League's future policy when it comes to advocating for transportation funding and other existing priorities. While the clause "encouraging cities throughout California to join in these traffic safety initiatives to pursue the elimination of death and severe injury crashes on our roadways" provides an opportunity to highlight strategies that can be considered to improve transportation safety, two other aspects of the resolved appear to establish new policy for the organization in that it would "commit" the League to:
  - Supporting Vision Zero, Toward Zero Deaths, and other programs, policies, or initiatives that prioritize transportation safety.
  - Encouraging the State to consider adopting transportation safety as a top priority for transportation projects and policy formulation.
- 2) Effects of various strategies to improve transportation safety can vary. According to an article published in the San Francisco Chronicle on March 26, 2016, deaths in San Francisco traffic were not falling despite Vision Zero efforts. The article notes that there were seven deaths in 2016, while there was only one in the first 10 weeks of 2015 and seven in 2014 during the same period. The San Francisco Department of Public Health commented that despite these incidents, it's too early to make any conclusions about Vision Zero's effectiveness. In Los Angeles, however, the city has cited significant decreases in severe and fatal injuries with implementation of certain technologies, such as installation of pedestrian scrambles. The success of Vision Zero in any particular city will likely depend on the level of investment and scope of the project(s) as the projects can vary widely.
- 3) In the fifth "Whereas" clause from the top, the word "principal" should be "principle."

**Existing League Policy:** "The League supports additional funding for local transportation and other critical unmet infrastructure needs. One of the League's priorities is to support a consistent and continuous appropriation of new monies from various sources directly to cities and counties for the preservation, maintenance and rehabilitation of the local street and road system. New and additional revenues should meet the following policies:

- <u>System Preservation and Maintenance</u>. Given the substantial needs for all modes of transportation, a significant portion of new revenues should be focused on system preservation. Once the system has been brought to a state of good repair, revenues for maintenance of the system would be reduced to a level that enables sufficient recurring maintenance.
- <u>Commitment to Efficiency</u>. Priority should be given to using and improving current systems. Recipients of revenues should incorporate operational improvements and new technology in projects.
- <u>All Users Based System</u>. New revenues should be borne by all users of the system from the traditional personal vehicle that relies solely on gasoline, to those with new hybrid or electric technology, to commercial vehicles moving goods in the state, and even transit, bicyclists, and pedestrians who also benefit from the use of an integrated transportation network.
- Alternative Funding Mechanisms. Given that new technologies continue to improve the efficiency of
  many types of transportation methods, transportation stakeholders must be open to new alternative
  funding mechanisms. Further, the goal of reducing greenhouse gases is also expected to affect vehicle
  miles traveled, thus further reduce gasoline consumption and revenue from the existing gas tax. The

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> http://www<u>.sfchronicle.com/bayarea/article/Deaths-in-S-F-traffic-not-falling-despite-Vision-7182486.php</u>

- existing user based fee, such as the base \$0.18-cent gas tax is a declining revenue source. Collectively, we must have the political will to push for sustainable transportation revenues.
- <u>Unified Statewide Solution</u>. For statewide revenues, all transportation stakeholders must stand united in the search for new revenues. Any new statewide revenues should address the needs of the entire statewide transportation network, focused in areas where there is defensible and documented need.
- Equity. New revenues should be distributed in an equitable manner, benefiting both the north and south and urban, suburban, and rural areas as well as being equally split between state and local projects.
- <u>Flexibility</u>. Needs vary from region to region and city to city. New revenues and revenue authority should provide the flexibility for the appropriate level of government to meet the goals of the constituents.
- <u>Accountability</u>. All tax dollars should be spent properly, and recipients of new revenues should be held accountable to the taxpayers, whether at the state or local level." 11

Additionally, the League adopted to "Increase Funding for Critical Transportation and Water Infrastructure" as its number one strategic goal for 2016. It reads, "Provide additional state and federal financial assistance and new local financing tools to help meet the critical transportation (streets, bridges, active transportation, and transit) and water (supply, sewer, storm water, flood control, etc.) infrastructure maintenance and construction needs throughout California's cities."

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> <u>http://www.cacities.org/Resources-Documents/Policy-Advocacy-Section/Policy-Development/2016-Summary-of-Existing-Policy-and-Guiding-Princi.aspx</u>

http://www.cacities.org/Secondary/About-Us/Strategic-Priorities

# LETTERS OF CONCURRENCE

## Resolution No. 1 VISION ZERO



Office of the Mayor

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July 21, 2016

The Honorable Dennis Michael, President League of California Cities 1400 K Street Sacramento, California 95814

RE:

A RESOLUTION OF THE LEAGUE OF CALIFORNIA CITIES SUPPORTING THE ADOPTION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF INITITIAVES TO PRIOIRITZE TRAFFIC SAFEY THROUGHOUT CALIFORNIA

Dear President Michael,

The City of Fremont enthusiastically endorses the proposed resolution to support the implementation of initiatives to eliminate traffic deaths and severe injuries on our roadways. Fremont is among the early adopters of the Vision Zero traffic safety strategy. With City Council's approval of our Fremont Vision Zero 2020 action plan in March 2016, we are already seeing the benefits of building a safety first culture in our community.

I strongly encourage other California cities to join a growing coalition of support for Vision Zero. Accordingly, we concur in the submission of the resolution for consideration by the League of Cities General Assembly at its annual meeting on October 5, 2016.

Traffic fatalities in America hit a seven-year high in 2015 and is estimated to have exceeded 35,000 people. This is about double the average of peer nations and must be addressed. Safety of our residents and visitors is paramount and this is especially true on the roads and streets of our cities. We must put safety as the top priority for all users of our streets. It is fundamental for the prosperity of California cities as safe, efficient, organized transportation systems are essential for economically vibrant and sustainable communities.

The City of Fremont has embraced Vision Zero and we are in strong support of expanded transportation safety in California cities and support the proposed Resolution.

Sincerely,

Bill Harrison

Mayor





CITY HALL
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90012

August 2, 2016

The Honorable Dennis Michael President League of California Cities 1400 K Street Sacramento, California 95814

RE: League of California Cities Resolution Supporting Initiatives to Prioritize Traffic Safety

#### Dear President Michael:

We write in support of the proposed resolution to support the adoption and implementation of Vision Zero initiatives throughout California to eliminate traffic fatalities and injuries. Vision Zero and Towards Zero Deaths strategies have been adopted in cities throughout California, including the City of Los Angeles. Accordingly, we concur in the submission of the resolution for consideration by the League of Cities General Assembly at its annual meeting on October 5, 2016.

Every year, more than 200 people are killed while trying to move around Los Angeles. Nearly half of the people who die on Los Angeles streets are people walking and bicycling, and an alarming number of them are children and older adults. The safety of our residents and visitors is paramount. If we can realize Vision Zero throughout California, children will be safer walking to school, families will be safer going to the park, and commuters will be safer getting to work.

The City of Los Angeles adopted Vision Zero as part of its Transportation Strategic Plan, and an executive directive was issued in 2015 directing its implementation. We are in strong support of Vision Zero in California, and we support the proposed Resolution.

Sincerely,

ERIC GARCETTI

Mayor

JOE BUSCAINO

Councilmember, 15th District

League of California Cities Representative



OFFICE OF THE CITY COUNCIL

CITY OF SACRAMENTO

JAY SCHENIRER

COUNCILMEMBER DISTRICT FIVE

July 27, 2016

The Honorable Dennis Michael, President League of California Cities 1400 K Street Sacramento, California 95814

RE:

RESOLUTION OF THE LEAGUE OF CALIFORNIA CITIES SUPPORTING THE ADOPTION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF INITIATIVES TO PRIORITIZE TRAFFIC SAFETY THROUGHOUT CALIFORNIA

Dear President Michael,

The City of Sacramento supports the proposed resolution to support the adoption and implementation of initiatives to prioritize transportation safety toward eliminating death and severe injuries on our roadways. *Vision Zero* and *Towards Zero Deaths* strategies have been adopted in many cities and Sacramento is currently developing its own *Vision Zero Action Plan*.

Accordingly, we concur in the submission of the resolution for consideration by the League of Cities General Assembly at its annual meeting on October 5, 2016.

Traffic fatalities in America hit a seven-year high in 2015 and are estimated to have exceeded 35,000 people. This is about double the average of peer nations and must be addressed. Safety of our residents and visitors is paramount and this is especially true on roads and streets of our cities. We must put safety as a top priority for all users of our streets. It is fundamental for prosperity of California cities as safety, efficient, organized transportation systems are essential for economically vibrant and sustainable communities.

The City of Sacramento is in strong support of prioritized and expanded transportation safety in California cities and supports the proposed Resolution.

Sincerely,

Jay Scheniter, Courlcil Member Chair, Law & Legislation Committee

#### THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

August 9, 2016

The Honorable Dennis Michael, President League of California Cities 1400 K Street Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear President Michael:

RE: A resolution of the league of California Cities Supporting the Adoption and Implementation of Initiatives to Prioritize Traffic Safety throughout California

The City of San Diego Transportation & Storm Water Department supports the proposed resolution to support the adoption and implementation of initiatives to eliminate death and severe injuries on our roadways. Vision Zero and Towards Zero Deaths strategies have been adopted in numerous cities throughout California, including the City of San Diego (Attachment 1). Accordingly, we concur in the submission of the resolution for consideration by the League of Cities General Assembly at its annual meeting on October 5, 2016.

Traffic fatalities in America hit a seven-year high in 2015 and is estimated to have exceeded 35,000 people. This is about double the average of peer nations and must be addressed. Safety of our residents and visitors is paramount and this is especially true on the roads and streets of our cities. We must put safety as the top priority for all users of our streets. It is fundamental for the prosperity of California cities as safe, efficient, organized transportation systems are essential for economically vibrant and sustainable communities.

The City of San Diego Transportation & Storm Water Department has embraced Vision Zero/Towards Zero Death and I am in strong support of expanded transportation safety in California cities and support the proposed Resolution.

Sincerely,

Kris McFadden

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Director

Attachment: A Resolution of the Council of the City of San Diego Adopting a Vision Zero

Plan to Eliminate Traffic Fatalities and Serious Injuries in the Next Ten Years

cc: Katherine Johnston, Director of Infrastructure and Budget Policy, Office of the Mayor Kristin Tillquist, Director of State Government Affairs, Office of the Mayor Vic Bianes, Assistant Director, Transportation & Storm Water Department

Linda Marabian, Deputy Director, Traffic Engineering Operations



RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 310042

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE NOV 0.3 2015

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO ADOPTING A VISION ZERO PLAN TO ELIMINATE TRAFFIC FATALITIES AND SERIOUS INJURIES IN THE NEXT TEN YEARS.

WHEREAS, on average one person each day is seriously injured or killed on the road while walking, bicycling, or driving the streets of San Diego; and,

WHEREAS, the City has adopted numerous studies and plans that outline design concepts to improve safety for people walking and biking in the City including a Pedestrian Master Plan and Bicycle Master Plan; and,

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego's draft Climate Action Plan proposes to achieve 50 percent of commuter mode share for walking, biking and transit use in transit priority areas by 2050 and safer conditions for walking and biking can help implement this Plan; and,

WHEREAS, the City will increase in population by approximately 30 percent by 2050 and the majority of growth will result from infill development thereby increasing demand for safe walking and bicycling; and,

WHEREAS, communities in San Diego have prioritized infrastructure projects that improve walking and biking safety among other project types as represented by the Community Planning Committee report to Infrastructure Committee in November 2013; and,

WHEREAS, the City incurs costs to respond to lawsuits alleging the City's failure to provide safer streets; and,

WHEREAS, restoring infrastructure in the City is a priority of the Council and Mayor; and,

WHEREAS, Vision Zero provides a framework for reducing traffic deaths to zero through a combination of safe engineering measures, education, and enforcement practices; and,

WHEREAS, Vision Zero has been adopted in many cities throughout the country, most notably in New York City which has seen the lowest number of pedestrian fatalities in its first year of implementation since documentation began in 1910; and,

WHEREAS, Circulate San Diego is convening an Advisory Committee to advance Vision Zero Goals; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that it hereby adopts a goal of eliminating traffic deaths and serious injuries by 2025; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that it urges City staff from the Mayor's office, Transportation and Stormwater Department, San Diego Police Department, and a representative of the City's Bicycle Advisory Committee to attend meetings of Circulate San Diego's Vision Zero Advisory Committee for a limited time to develop a traffic safety plan that will help the City reach the goal of zero traffic deaths and serious injuries; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the traffic safety plan will be guided by innovative engineering solutions to improve road safety for all users, especially the most vulnerable; will measure and evaluate performance annually; and will include enforcement and education strategies to prevent the most dangerous behaviors that cause public harm, especially along the corridors where collisions are most frequent.

(R-2016-155)

Ву

Thomas C. Zeleny
Deputy City Attorney

TCZ:cfq

September 24, 2015 Or.Dept:Envir. Comm.

Doc. No.: 1116742

I certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of \_\_\_\_\_\_.

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ELIZABETH S. MAL

Approved:

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KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

Vetoed:

(date)

KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

Passed by the Council of ?	The City of San Diego on	OCT :	27 2015	by the following vote:
Councilmembers	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Recused
Sherri Lightner	$\square$			
Lorie Zapf			. 🛛	
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Resolution Number R-

# Office of the Mayor san francisco



EDWIN M. LEE MAYOR

August 1, 2016

The Honorable Dennis Michael President, League of California Cities 1400 K Street Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Resolution of the League of California Cities Supporting the Adoption and Implementation of Initiatives to Prioritize Traffic Safety Throughout California

Dear President Michael,

On behalf of the City and County of San Francisco, I am writing to express my support for the proposed resolution to support the adoption and implementation of initiatives to eliminate death and severe injuries on our roadways. Vision Zero and Towards Zero Deaths strategies have been adopted in numerous cities throughout California including San Francisco, San Jose, San Mateo, San Diego, Los Angeles, Santa Barbara, and Santa Monica. Accordingly, I encourage the submission of the resolution to support Vision Zero, Toward Zero Deaths, and other initiatives that make traffic safety a priority, which will be considered by the League of Cities General Assembly at its annual meeting on October 5, 2016.

Every year in San Francisco, approximately 30 people lose their lives and over 200 more are seriously injured while traveling on our streets. These deaths and injuries are unacceptable and preventable, and the City is strongly committed to stopping further loss of life. San Francisco adopted Vision Zero as a policy in 2014, committing to build better and safer streets, educate the public on traffic safety, enforce traffic laws, and adopt policy changes that save lives. Our goal is to create a culture that prioritizes traffic safety and to ensure that mistakes on our roadways do not result in serious injuries or deaths. The safety of our residents and the over 18 million visitors that use our streets each year is paramount, and the same holds true for cities across the California, which need safe, efficient, and organized transportation systems to support economically vibrant and sustainable communities.

The City and County of San Francisco has embraced Vision Zero, and I am in strong support of expanded transportation safety in California cities and, in turn, the proposed Resolution.

Sincerely,

Edwin M. Lee

Mayor



Mayor Tony Vazquez
Mayor Pro Tempore Ted Winterer

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July 21, 2016

The Honorable Dennis Michael, President League of California Cities 1400 K Street Sacramento, California 95814

RE:

THE LEAGUE OF CALIFORNIA CITIES CONSIDERATION OF INITITIAVES TO PRIOIRITZE TRAFFIC SAFEY THROUGHOUT CALIFORNIA

Dear President Michael:

The City of Santa Monica supports initiatives to eliminate death and severe injuries on our roadways. Vision Zero and Towards Zero Deaths strategies have been adopted in numerous cities throughout California, leading to the submission of the resolution for consideration by the League of Cities General Assembly at its annual meeting on October 5, 2016.

The City of Santa Monica embraced Secretary Anthony Foxx's Mayor's Challenge for Safer People, Safer Streets in March 2015. Simultaneously, the Council directed staff to initiate work on Vision Zero and 8-80 cities – a movement created by Gil Penalosa, to make cities that work for people aged 8 to 80. Combined, these two efforts aim to create streets that are safe and comfortable for people in all modes and of all abilities. In February 2016 the Santa Monica City Council adopted a Vision Zero target in our first Pedestrian Action Plan. We are now actively working to incorporate these visionary targets into City operations.

Our City cares deeply about the safety of our people, and their ability to access good, services, education, social networks and employment. Creating a New Model for Mobility is one of the Council's Five Strategic Goals, identified to organize and advance work on our top priorities. A safe mobility network supports our urgent need to provide transportation options that reduce greenhouse gas emissions, and provide equitable access to places and activities that support community Wellbeing. Reducing and ultimately eliminating severe injury and fatal crashes part of a resilient, safe and prosperous community.

Traffic fatalities in America hit a seven-year high in 2015 and is estimated to have exceeded 35,000 people. This is about double the average of peer nations and must be addressed. Safety of our residents and visitors is paramount and this is especially true on the roads and streets of our cities. We must put safety as the top priority for all users of our streets. It is fundamental for the prosperity of California cities as safe, efficient, organized transportation systems are essential for economically vibrant and sustainable communities.

The City of Santa Monica has embraced **Vision Zero/Towards Zero Deaths** and I am in strong support of expanded transportation safety in California cities.

Sincerely,

Tony Vazquez

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# CITY OF West Hollywood

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OFFICE OF THE

PAUL AREVALO CITY MANAGER July 21, 2016

The Honorable L. Dennis Michael, President League of California Cities 1400 K Street Sacramento, California 95814

RESOLUTION OF THE LEAGUE OF CALIFORNIA CITIES SUPPORTING THE ADOPTION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF INITITIAVES TO PRIOIRITZE TRAFFIC SAFEY THROUGHOUT CALIFORNIA - SUPPORT

Dear President Michael:

The City of West Hollywood supports the proposed resolution to support the adoption and implementation of initiatives to eliminate death and severe injuries on our roadways. *Vision Zero* and *Towards Zero Deaths* strategies have been adopted in numerous cities throughout California. Accordingly, we concur in the submission of the resolution for consideration by the League of Cities General Assembly at its annual meeting on October 5, 2016.

Traffic fatalities in America hit a seven-year high in 2015, and it is estimated to have exceeded 35,000 people. This is about double the average of peer nations and must be addressed. Safety of our residents and visitors is paramount and this is especially true on the roads and streets of our cities. We must put safety as the top priority for all users of our streets. It is fundamental for the prosperity of California cities as safe, efficient, organized transportation systems are essential for economically vibrant and sustainable communities.

The City of West Hollywood is in strong support of expanded transportation safety in California cities and support the proposed Resolution.

Sincerely,

Paul Arevalo,

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CITY MANAGER

Honorable Members of the West Hollywood City Council





#### **League of California Cities Resolution Process**

#### **REGULAR RESOLUTIONS**

<b>Policy Committee Action</b>	General Resolutions Committee Action	Calendar
Approve	Approve	Consent Calendar <sup>1</sup>
Approve	Disapprove or Refer	Regular Calendar <sup>2</sup>
Disapprove or Refer	Approve	Regular Calendar
Disapprove or Refer	Disapprove or Refer	Does not proceed to General
		Assembly

#### **PETITION RESOLUTIONS**

<b>Policy Committee Action</b>	General Resolutions Committee Action	Calendar
Not Heard in Policy Committee	Approve	Consent Calendar
Not Heard in Policy Committee	Disapprove or Refer	Regular Calendar
Not Heard in Policy Committee	Disqualified per Bylaws Art.	Does not proceed to General
	VI	Assembly

#### **Resolutions**

- Submitted 60 days prior to conference Bylaws Article VI, Sec. 4(a)
- Signatures of at least 5 supporting cities or city officials submitted with the proposed resolution *Bylaws Article VI, Sec. 2*
- Assigned to policy committee(s) by League president Bylaws Article VI, Sec. 4(b)(i)
- Heard in policy committee(s) and report recommendation, if any, to GRC Bylaws Article VI, Sec.
   4(b)(ii)
- Heard in GRC
  - Approved by policy committee(s) and GRC, goes on to General Assembly on consent calendar
     2006 General Assembly Resolution Sec. 2(C)
  - If amended/approved by all policy committee(s) to which it has been referred and disapproved by GRC, then goes on to General Assembly on the regular calendar. If not all policy committees to which it has been referred recommend amendment or approval, and the GRC disapproves or refers the resolution, the resolution does not move to the General Assembly 2006 General Assembly Resolution Sec. 2(A),(C); 1998 General Assembly Resolution, 1<sup>st</sup> Resolved Clause
  - If disapproved by all policy committees to which it has been referred and disapproved by the GRC, resolution does not move to the General Assembly 2006 General Assembly Resolution Sec. 2(C)
- Heard in General Assembly

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The consent calendar should only be used for resolutions where there is unanimity between the policy committees and the GRC that a resolution should be approved by the General Assembly, and therefore, it can be concluded that there will be less desire to debate the resolution on the floor.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The regular calendar is for resolutions for which there is a difference in recommendations between the policy committees and the GRC.

#### **Petitioned Resolutions**

- Submitted by voting delegate Bylaws Article VI, Sec. 5 (a)
- Must be signed by voting delegates representing 10% of the member cities *Bylaws Article VI*, *Sec.* 5 (c)
- Signatures confirmed by League staff
- Submitted to the League president for confirmation 24 hours before the beginning of the General Assembly. *Bylaws Article VI, Sec. 5 (d)*
- Petition to be reviewed by Parliamentarian for required signatures of voting delegates and for form and substance *Bylaws Article VI*, *Sec.* 5(e)
- Parliamentarian's report is presented to chair of GRC
- Will be heard at GRC for action (GRC cannot amend but may recommend by a majority vote to the GA technical or clarifying amendments) 2006 General Assembly Resolution sec. 6(A), (B)
- GRC may disqualify if:
  - Non-germane to city issues
  - Identical or substantially similar in substance to a resolution already under consideration *Bylaws Article VI, Sec. 5(e)*, (f)
- Heard in General Assembly
  - General Assembly will consider the resolution following the other resolutions  $^3$  *Bylaws Article VI, Sec.* 5(g)
  - Substantive amendments that change the intent of the petitioned resolution may only be adopted by the GA 2006 General Assembly Resolution sec. 6(C)

#### **Voting Procedure in the General Assembly**

**Consent Calendar:** Resolution approved by Policy Committee(s) and GRC. Petitioned resolution approved by GRC)

- GRC Chair will be asked to give the report from the GRC and will ask for adoption of the GRC's recommendations
- Ask delegates if there is a desire to call out a resolution for discussion
- A voting delegate may make a motion to remove a resolution from the consent calendar for discussion
- If a motion is made to pull a resolution, the General Assembly votes on whether to pull the resolution from the consent calendar.
- If a majority of the General Assembly votes to pull the resolution, set "called out" reso(s) aside. If the motion fails, the resolution remains on the consent calendar.
- If reso(s) not called out, or after 'called out' reso is set aside, then ask for vote on remaining resos left on consent
- Move on to debate on reso(s) called out
- After debate, a vote is taken
- Voting delegates vote on resolutions by raising their voting cards.<sup>4</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Petitioned Resolutions on the Consent Calendar will be placed after all General Resolutions on the Consent Calendar. Petitioned Resolutions on the Regular Calendar will be placed after all General Resolutions on the Regular Calendar.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Amendments to League bylaws require 2/3 vote

**Regular Calendar:** Regular resolutions approved by Policy Committee(s)<sup>5</sup>, and GRC recommends disapproval or referral; Regular resolutions disapproved or referred by Policy Committee(s)<sup>6</sup> and GRC approves; Petitioned resolutions disapproved or referred by the GRC.

- Open the floor to determine if a voting delegate wishes to debate a resolution on the regular calendar.
- If no voting delegate requests a debate on the resolution, a vote to ratify the recommendation of the GRC on the resolution is taken.
- Upon a motion by a voting delegate to debate a resolution, a debate shall be held if approved by a majority vote of the General Assembly. If a majority of the General Assembly to debate the resolution is not achieved, then a vote shall be taken on whether to ratify the GRC's recommendation. If a majority of the General Assembly approves of the motion to debate the resolution, debate will occur. After debate on the resolution, a vote is taken based upon the substitute motion that was made, if any, or on the question of ratifying the GRC's recommendation.
- Voting delegates vote by raising their voting cards.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Applies in the instance where the GRC recommendation of disapproval or refer is counter to the recommendations of the policy committees.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Applies in the instance where the GRC recommendation to approve is counter to the recommendations of the policy committees.



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## AGENDA REPORT

**To:** Mayor Robert C. Gonzales and Councilmembers

From: Vice Mayor Joel Fajardo

Date: October 3, 2016

**Subject:** Discussion of Community Forum Regarding Police and Public Relations

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

I have placed this item on the agenda for City Council discussion.

I would like to propose a round table discussion on safety issues and will give residents an opportunity to ask questions. The round table may discuss national issues such as race relations and gun safety, but may also touch on local issues such as school safety, registered offenders, etc.

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## AGENDA REPORT

To: City Councilmembers

From: Mayor Robert C. Gonzales

Date: October 3, 2016

Subject: Presentation by Blue Green Alliance Regarding Gas Leak Sign On Letter to the

**Public Utility Commission** 

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

I have placed this item on the agenda for City Council review and consideration.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

On September 6, 2016, I placed this item for City Council consideration. Jorge Rodriguez, JHR Consulting Group gave a presentation and replied to questions from the City Council. No formal action was taken at this meeting; Councilmembers stated that they needed to review the information provided as well do additional research. It was suggested to bring this back at the next meeting.

#### **ATTACHMENT:**

A. CPUC Letter of Support – Natural Gas Leakage Abatement



**ATTACHMENT "A"** 

**CITY COUNCIL** 

MAYOR Robert C. Gonzales October 3, 2016

VICE MAYOR JOEL FAJARDO

Michael Picker, President

California Public Utilities Commission

COUNCILMEMBER
ANTONIO LOPEZ

505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102

Councilmember Sylvia Ballin

COUNCILMEMBER

JAIME SOTO

SUBJECT:

Support for Staff Recommendations Concerning Mandatory Minimum

Requirements and Best Practices for Natural Gas Leakage Abatement

Dear Mr. Picker:

The City of San Fernando (City) commends the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) and California Air Resources Board (CARB) staff for their efforts in making recommendations for mandatory minimum requirements and best practices to abate natural gas leakage. If approved by the CPUC, these efforts will help minimize emissions from natural gas and enhance its safe storage.

We note that the proposed recommendations would call for better training programs, more trained and experienced personnel in the field, better leak detection processes, and a defined timeline to fix known leaks. The City applauds these recommendations and finds that they are a significant and necessary step to finding, reducing, and fixing natural gas leaks.

Therefore, the City urges the CPUC to adopt the recommendations, as proposed, to further reduce the risk of damage to the environment and workplaces from explosions, air pollution, and other climate change impacts. If you have any questions or comments please contact Brian Saeki, City Manager, at <a href="mailto:BSaeki@sfcity.org">BSaeki@sfcity.org</a> or (818) 898-1202.

Sincerely,

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117 Macneil Street Robert C. Gonzales
San Fernando Mayor

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## AGENDA REPORT

**To:** Mayor Robert C. Gonzales and Councilmembers

From: Vice Mayor Joel Fajardo

Date: October 3, 2016

**Subject:** Update on Homeless Initiatives

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

I am requesting that staff provide an update regarding homeless initiatives.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

1. On January 29, 2015, the City of San Fernando participated in the 2015 Greater Los Angeles Homeless Count undertaken by the Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority (LAHSA). The US Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) requires all Continuum of Care agencies to complete a homeless count every two years. LAHSA is tasked with completing the homeless count in the Los Angeles region. The City of San Fernando Community Development Department personnel, in combination with City staff from the Public Works and Finance departments, Planning Commissioners, and other LAHSA volunteers canvassed the City of San Fernando in order to identify homeless individuals.

The City staff's preliminary counts compiled from the January 29, 2015 homeless count noted the following: Census Tract No. 3201 found two (2) campers/RVs; Census Tract No. 3202 (3202.02 and 3202.01) found two (2) campers/RVs; and, Census Tract 3203 found five (5) individuals, two (2) campers/RVs and one (1) make-shift shelter.

- 2. On May 11, 2015, LAHSA, released the results of its biennial Los Angeles Homeless Count conducted in January 2015.
- 3. On October 19, 2015, an item entitled "Update on Citywide Homeless Count for 2015" was placed on the agenda for Council discussion (staff to report back with Council concerns).
- 4. On February 2, 2016, an item entitled "Consideration of Opposition to SB 876 (LIU) Homelessness" was placed on the agenda for Council discussion. Staff was directed to prepare a notice of opposition letter, for Mayor Gonzales' signature, to Senator Carol Liu.