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## REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF

## THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

## RESOLUTION NO. R- 03413

## ADOPTED ON DECEMBER 03, 2001

A RESOLUTION OF THE REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO AUTHORIZING THE DEPUTY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OR DESIGNEE TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE A THREE-YEAR AGREEMENT WITH KANE, BALLMER & BERKMAN, TO PROVIDE SPECIAL LEGAL SERVICES TO THE REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Office of the City Attorney issued a Request for Proposal to twenty law firms seeking services for Special Legal Counsel for the Redevelopment Agency of the City of San Diego [Agency]; and

WHEREAS, nine firms responded to the Request for Proposal and, of those nine firms, five firms were interviewed; and

WHEREAS, the firm of Kane, Ballmer & Berkman proposed the lowest hourly rates of all the firms that responded to the Request for Proposal; and

WHEREAS, firm of Kane, Ballmer & Berkman specializes in Redevelopment Law and has served the Agency as Special Counsel since 1972; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Redevelopment Agency of the City of San Diego, that:

1. The Executive Director of the Agency, or designee, is authorized to negotiate and execute, for and on behalf of the Agency, an Agreement with Kane, Ballmer & Berkman, for the purpose of providing special legal services for the Agency, under the terms and conditions set

forth in the Agreement on file in the office of the Secretary to the Agency as Document No.

D-03413.

2. That an expenditure of an amount not to exceed \$1.5 million on an as-needed

basis is authorized, solely and exclusively, for the purpose of providing funds for the above-

mentioned Agreement, with \$525,000 available and committed for the first year, and funds for

the second and third years contingent on the City Auditor first furnishing a certificate that funds

are, or will be, on deposit in the City Treasury.

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