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RESOLUTION NO. 204888

SUPPORTING THE CONSTRUCTION OF BICYCLE PATHS IN THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO AND DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER TO MAKE A STUDY OF THE PLACEMENT AND POSSIBILITY OF CONSTRUCTION OF BICYCLE PATHS.

WHEREAS, the safety and enjoyment of bicyclists would be greatly increased by the construction of special bicycle paths; and

WHEREAS, bicycle paths will encourage the use of bicycles and thus curb the rising increase of traffic congestion and parking problems; and

WHEREAS, bicycle paths will provide added recreation, safety, physical fitness, social activities, fun and family togetherness, and an increased awareness of San Diego's natural and scenic beauty; and

WHEREAS, bicycle paths could connect residential areas with schools, playgrounds, shopping centers, ballparks, and other centers of activity, particularly where pedestrian access is difficult because of freeways or bridges; and

WHEREAS, the bicycle offers an efficient alternative to the automobile with all of its air and noise pollution problems; and

WHEREAS, it would be desirable for new housing proposals to provide for bicycle paths in their development plans; and

WHEREAS, such projects have been implemented successfully and economically in other communities; and

WHEREAS, revenues received from present bicycle license fees could be used to partially finance such projects and federal funding may be available; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that it declares its support for the construction of special bicycle paths and other bicycle related facilities in the City of San Diego; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Manager be and he is hereby directed to study the feasibility of constructing bicycle paths which will connect residential areas with centers of activities to encourage the use of bicycles rather than automobiles, and develop a model bicycle path by August, 1972.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

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