BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that pursuant to California Public Resources Code, Section 21081, the following findings are made with respect to the environmental impacts identified in Environmental Impact Report No. 78-02-73:

- The encroachment into the designated 2.6-acre open space, as shown on the Clairemont Mesa Community Plan, is being mitigated by adding 3.5 acres of land into an open space easement, and putting an open space easement over the entire project, except the building locations.
- The extensive grading operation is removing a 65-foot-high, 1:1, unvegetated, manufactured slope which constituted a visual scar, filling a canyon that contains no natural amenities, and extending a fill in the northerly canyon so as to reduce the visual impact of the slope bank, and at the same time provide an access road to canyon open space and the existing sewer in the canyon. All of the graded surfaces will be improved or landscaped, thereby removing the existing visual impacts. short-term impacts are no worse than the present conditions, and the long-term impacts will be fully mitigated by the landscaping.
- 3. Balboa Avenue is being widened by adding additional paving and a sidewalk along the side of the project, a new access to Balboa is being provided, and Balboa Avenue is being graded wider so as to improve the site distances. This improvement work will improve the traffic capacity of Balboa Avenue more than it is impacted by the project and thereby mitigates the project's traffic impacts.

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4. The project will provide for new living units within the existing developed area of the City which will aid in providing a more compact City without increasing the need for many public facilities and additional utility systems.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

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Chief Deputy City Attorney

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