

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 287877

ADOPTED ON SEP 30 1996

WHEREAS, in March 1993, the Mayor and Council of The City of San Diego directed the City Manager to streamline the permit process in the City in order to become more business friendly and reduce permit processing times; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with this direction, the City hereby establishes the goal of providing greater predictability and certainty for project applicants in the Development Process through the implementation of performance standards for project review schedules and the conversion of deposit accounts to a fixed or negotiated processing fee; and

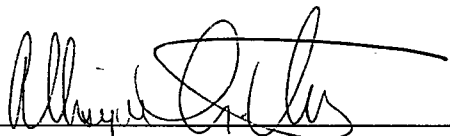
WHEREAS, currently certain permits are processed using a deposit account system, whereby the applicant deposits funds with the City that are drawn down as City staff performs the work necessary to process the permits; and

WHEREAS, some permits that are currently processed using a deposit account system could be processed with the applicant paying a fixed or negotiated fee, which would provide the applicant with more predictable costs for the applicant's project; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego that it hereby approves the conversion from deposit account systems of processing an Environmental Initial Study deposit account to a flat fee of six hundred dollars (\$600.00), and the processing and preparation of an Environmental Negative Declaration to a one thousand two hundred dollar (\$1200.00) flat fee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the City Council that the City Clerk is hereby directed to amend the current City Ratebook to include the new fees of processing Environmental Initial Studies and Environmental Negative Declarations in its books of current City fees.

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