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RESOLUTION NUMBER R	292143
ADOPTED ON	SEP 1 4 1999

WHEREAS, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service [USFWS] has offered to provide \$12,500 in funding [the Grant] for the Florida Canyon Habitat Protection and Enhancement Project [Project]; and

WHEREAS, the Project will involve the removal of non-native plant species which will be replaced with native species to restore the riparian habitat; and

WHEREAS, the terms of the funding agreement proposed by the USFWS for the Project will require the City to provide in-kind services in the form of labor by volunteers and Park Ranger staff; and

WHEREAS, if approved, the Project will continue the Park and Recreation Department's proactive habitat preservation/restoration efforts in Florida Canyon; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, as follows:

- 1. That the City Manager or his duly designated representative is authorized to take all necessary actions to secure the Grant from the USFWS for the Project.
- 2. That the City Manager or his duly designated representative is authorized to accept, appropriate, and expend the funds if the Grant is secured.

3. That the City Auditor and Comptroller is authorized to establish a special interestbearing fund for the Grant.

APPROVED: CASEY GWINN, City Attorney

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Deputy City Attorney

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