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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 294302 NOV 27 2000 ADOPTED ON

WHEREAS, in July 1997, the City Council authorized the City Manager to execute the Multiple Species Conservation Program (MSCP) Implementing Agreement with the U. S Fish and Wildlife Service and The California Department of Fish and Game; and

WHEREAS, Section 11.2.C of the MSCP Implementing Agreement requires the City, in cooperation with other participating local jurisdictions, to establish a long-term regional funding source within three years (July 2000) of the effective date of the City's Implementing Agreement; and

WHEREAS, Subsection C.3 Section 11 of the MSCP Implementing Agreement recognizes that achieving this goal may be compromised if other jurisdictions fail to obtain approval of a Subarea Plan; and

WHEREAS, to date only three of the 12 jurisdictions in the MSCP planning area has approved Subarea Plans (San Diego, Poway and the County of San Diego); and

WHEREAS, the Implementing Agreement also requires that if a regional funding source has not been established by July 2000, "... the City shall establish and implement a funding source adequate to meet its share of MSCP and Subarea Plan implementation costs while continuing to pursue, with other Participating Local Jurisdiction, establishment of a regional funding source;" NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, hereby adopts, for and on behalf of said City, a three year funding policy statement for the Multiple Species Conservation Program (MSCP), specifically set forth in City Manager Report No. <u>DO-240</u>, on file in the Office of the City Clerk as Document RR-<u>294302</u> as required by Section 11.2C.3 of the City's MSCP Implementing Agreement for the purpose of establishing and implementing a funding source adequate to meet the City's share of MSCP and Subarea Plan implementation costs.

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