

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 302009

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE NOV 3 2006

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO REGARDING THE FY 2007 HOMELESS EMERGENCY SHELTER PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, in March 1985, the City, the County of San Diego, and the United Way of San Diego, in a cooperative arrangement, created the Regional Task Force on the Homeless; and

WHEREAS, on June 12, 1995, the City Council adopted City Council Policy 000-51 (Comprehensive Homeless Policy), which has served as the City's framework for addressing homeless issues; and

WHEREAS, City Council Policy 000-51 supports the operation of emergency shelters, whereby the City, in coordination with businesses, social service agencies, community groups, and other jurisdictions, assess needs and promote programs that restore homeless persons to their optimum participation in the community; and

WHEREAS, on May 8, 2006, the City Council adopted Resolution No. R-301425, in which the City Council approved, among other things, \$145,000 in CDBG funds for the operation of the Winter Shelter Program, but placed a \$65,000 increase in CDBG funds for the Winter Shelter Program in a reserve account, subject to future approval; and

WHEREAS, in October 2006, the Regional Task Force on the Homeless reported an estimated 4,225 homeless individuals living in the City of San Diego, and of those, 1,980 are sheltered year-round; and

WHEREAS, there remains a shortage of 2,245 shelter beds in the City; and

WHEREAS, the weather conditions during the cold weather season have the potential to affect the health and safety of individuals subjected to long-term or constant exposure to the elements; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego and others desire to respond to the needs of the homeless during the cold weather season of 2006-2007 by providing funding to initiate programs and services; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2007 Homeless Emergency Shelter Program (previously known as the Winter Shelter Program) will serve approximately 400 persons each day, providing the participants (staying at the Single Adult, Veteran, and Family Emergency Shelters) access to programmatic services 7 days a week; NOW, THEREFORE

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

1. That the City Council hereby finds that a significant number of persons within the City of San Diego are without the ability to obtain shelter, and that the weather conditions during the cold weather season result in a threat to the health and safety of those persons.

2. That a homeless shelter crisis is declared to exist in the City of San Diego, in accordance with California Government Code section 8698.2(a)(1).

3. That the FY 2007 Homeless Emergency Shelter Program [Program] (previously known as the Winter Shelter Program), as described in Report to the City Council

No. 06-153, a copy of which is on file with the Office of the City Clerk as Document No. RR- 302009, is hereby approved.

4. That the Mayor or his designee is authorized to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding between the San Diego Housing Commission [SDHC] and the City of San Diego

for FY 2007, under which the City shall receive a total of \$445,000 from the SDHC for the operation of the Program.

5. That the City Auditor and Comptroller is authorized to accept the \$445,000 from the SDHC for the operation of the Program.

6. That the \$65,000 increase in Community Development Block Grant [CDBG] funds for the Program, which was previously placed in a reserve account subject to future approval (pursuant to Resolution No. R-301425), is hereby approved, thereby increasing the total funding allocation for the Program to \$655,000, consisting of \$445,000 from the SDHC and \$210,000 in CDBG funds.

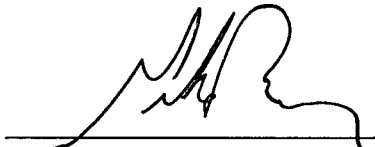
7. That the Mayor or his designee is authorized to enter into agreements and any amendments thereto, to expend the \$445,000 from the SDHC and the \$210,000 in CDBG funds for the operation of the Program, contingent upon certification of funds availability by the City Auditor and Comptroller.

8. That the City Auditor and Comptroller is authorized to appropriate and expend the \$445,000 from the SDHC and the \$210,000 in CDBG funds for the operation of the Program.

9. That the City Auditor and Comptroller is authorized to accept, appropriate, and expend any and all additional contributions, private donations, interest earnings, and other City funds associated with the Program, for the operation of the Program.

10. That the Mayor or his designee is authorized to enter into agreements, and any amendments thereto, to expend any and all additional contributions, private donations, interest earnings, and other City funds associated with the Program, for the operation of the Program, contingent upon certification of funds availability by the City Auditor and Comptroller.

APPROVED: MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, City Attorney

By 
Michael D. Neumeyer
Deputy City Attorney

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of OCT 23 2006.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By 
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 11.3.06
(date)


JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor


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Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on OCT 23 2006, by the following vote:

Council Members	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Ineligible
Scott Peters	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kevin Faulconer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Toni Atkins	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Anthony Young	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Brian Maienschein	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Donna Frye	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jim Madaffer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ben Hueso	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>


Date of final passage NOV 3 2006

AUTHENTICATED BY:

(Seal)

JERRY SANDERS
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

By , Deputy

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