

RESOLUTION NUMBER R-304098

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APPROVING THE CITY COUNCIL'S RESPONSE TO THE
2007-2008 SAN DIEGO COUNTY GRAND JURY REPORT
ENTITLED "CCDC: WHAT DOES IT DEVELOP AND WITH
WHOSE MONEY?"

WHEREAS, on June 2, 2008 the 2007-2008 San Diego County Grand Jury [Grand Jury] filed a report titled "CCDC: What Does It Develop and With Whose Money?" [Report] that requested a response from the Mayor and City Council; and

WHEREAS, under California Penal Code section 933(c), within 90 days after the filing of the report, each public agency which the Grand Jury reviewed, and about which it issued the Report, must comment to the Presiding Judge of the Superior Court on the findings and recommendations pertaining to matters under the control of the agency; and

WHEREAS, due to the City Council's legislative calendar, the Presiding Judge of the San Diego Superior Court granted a request for an extension of time to submit the City Council's response to the Report to September 19, 2008; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Grand Jury Report was to explore the relationship between the City of San Diego Redevelopment Agency and the Centre City Development Corporation, to examine the tax increment funding for redevelopment projects, to examine the repayment of funds loaned by the City of San Diego to the Redevelopment Agency, and to examine allegations that the Centre City Development Corporation sometimes misrepresents its role in financing Downtown redevelopment projects; and

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WHEREAS, the Grand Jury requested that the City Council respond to each of the findings and recommendations 08-116 through 08-121 in the Report that relate to the City of San Diego; and

WHEREAS, the Office of the Independent Budget Analyst has proposed a response to the Report as set forth in IBA Report No. 08-91 dated September 3, 2008, for the City Council's consideration; and

WHEREAS, under Charter section 280(a)(1) this resolution is not subject to veto by the Mayor because this matter is exclusively within the purview of the City Council and not affecting the administrative service of the City under the control of the Mayor; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of San Diego, that the Council approves and adopts as its own the response to the to the 2007-2008 San Diego County Grand Jury Report filed June 2, 2008, and titled "CCDC: What Does It Develop and With Whose Money?" as set forth in IBA Report No. 08-91 dated September 3, 2008.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council President is authorized and directed, on behalf of the San Diego City Council, to execute and deliver the above-described response to the Presiding Judge of the San Diego County Superior Court no later than September 19, 2008.

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