

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 304278

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE OCT 28 2008

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN
DIEGO ACCEPTING THE ROSE CREEK WATERSHED
OPPORTUNITIES ASSESSMENT.

WHEREAS, the Rose Creek Watershed [Watershed] is a 36-square mile area that extends from the Marine Corps Air Station Miramar sixteen miles along San Clemente and Rose canyons and south along the east side of the I-15 freeway, ultimately draining into Mission Bay Park in Pacific Beach; and

WHEREAS, the Watershed contains recreational opportunities, biological diversity and aesthetic beauty; and

WHEREAS, the Watershed faces many difficult challenges, including the spread of non-native invasive species, unhealthy and unsafe water quality, and acute crime and vagrancy; and

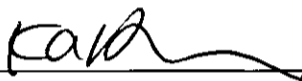
WHEREAS, the Rose Creek Watershed Alliance [Alliance], a thirteen-member stakeholders group formed to improve the quality of life in the Watershed, has prepared a draft Rose Creek Watershed Opportunities Assessment and recommended amendments thereto [collectively, the Assessment], and

WHEREAS, the Assessment will inform the public, guide volunteers and professionals, and build policy level support within the appropriate public and private agencies to enhance and preserve the Watershed; NOW, THEREFORE;

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council accepts the Assessment as information for planning activities related to portions of the Watershed within the City of San Diego's land use jurisdiction;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of San Diego finds that this activity is not a project and is therefore not subject to the California Environmental Quality Act [CEQA] pursuant to State CEQA Guidelines Section 15060(c)(3).


APPROVED: MICHAEL J. AGUIRRE, City Attorney

By 
Kimberly Ann Davies
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 21 2008.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By 
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 10-28-08
(date)


JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

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