RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 304723

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE MAR 2 0 2009

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO APPROVING THE CITY USER FEE POLICY.

WHEREAS, the proposed User Fee Policy incorporates guidelines and recommendation of the Government Finance Officer Association, National Advisory Council on State and Local Budgeting, and Federal Government Office of Management and Budget Circular A-87; and

WHEREAS, the proposed User Fee Policy establishes the method in which fees are set and the extent to which they cover the cost of the service provided; and

WHEREAS, the proposed User Fee Policy will replace City Council Policy 100-05
[Fees-Public Notification] adopted in 1979 and will direct staff to maintain a book of current fees in an accessible format for public use; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of this policy is to incorporate best practices in establishing user fees to ensure that the City adequately recovers costs for services it provides to the public; and

WHEREAS, the key factor of the User Fee Policy is to review and update fees on an ongoing basis to ensure that they keep pace with changes in the cost-of-living as well as changes in methods or levels of service delivery; and

WHEREAS, any proposals for new or revised fees shall be first approved by the Chief Operating Officer and then shall be reviewed by the Budget and Finance Committee with subsequent approval by the City Council; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego that the Report No.: 09-014 of the Financial Management Department and the User Fee Policy is approved.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

By Todd F. Bradley
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 <u>MAR 1 0 2009</u>.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND City Clerk

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Approved: 3. 20-09

(date)

JERRY SAMDERS, Mayor

Vetoed:

(date)

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor