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APPROVING THE CITY COUNCIL'S RESPONSE TO THE 2009-2010 SAN DIEGO COUNTY GRAND JURY REPORT TITLED "HOMELESS IN SAN DIEGO."

WHEREAS, on May 17, 2010, the 2009-2010 San Diego County Grand Jury (Grand Jury) filed a report titled "Homeless in San Diego" (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, at the request of the Council President, the Presiding Judge of the Superior Court has extended the time to respond until November 1, 2010; and

WHEREAS, the Grand Jury examined several issues relating to homelessness in the San Diego region and requested that the Mayor and City Council respond to the findings and recommendations 10-24, 10-26 through 10-31, and 10-33 through 10-35 in the Report; and

WHEREAS, the Office of the Independent Budget Analyst (IBA) has proposed a response to the Report as set forth in IBA Report No. 10-73 REV dated September 29, 2010, for the City Council's consideration; and

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WHEREAS, under San Diego 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 2009-2010 San Diego County Grand Jury Report titled "Homeless in San Diego" as set forth in IBA Report No. 10-73 REV dated September 29, 2010.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City's response shall include the following: On October 5, 2010, the City of San Diego's Redevelopment Agency approved an exclusive negotiating agreement with the Connections Housing Downtown, L.P., for rehabilitation and operation of the World Trade Building as a homeless service and housing facility.

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 November 1, 2010.

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