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DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE OCT 18 2010

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HIS DESIGNEE TO ACCEPT, APPROPRIATE, AND EXPEND UP TO \$849,978 IN FY2010 STATE HOMELAND SECURITY GRANT PROGRAM FUNDING FROM THE CALIFORNIA EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY VIA THE COUNTY OF SAN DIEGO EMERGENCY SERVICES

WHEREAS, the State Homeland Security Program (SHSP) is a component of the Department of Homeland Security's 2010 Homeland Security Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, activities implemented under the SHSP must support terrorism preparedness by building or enhancing capabilities that relate to the prevention of, protection from, response to and recovery from terrorism in order to be considered eligible; and

WHEREAS, strengthening preparedness planning, expanding capabilities in improvised explosive device attack deterrence, prevention and protection, and maximizing information sharing are high priorities across all levels of strategic objectives; and

WHEREAS, the City is directly receiving \$849,978 awarded through the County of San Diego as the core county for the San Diego region under the FY2010 SHSP; and

WHEREAS, the funding allocated to the City supports the San Diego Police Department,
Fire-Rescue Department and the Office of Homeland Security by providing the means to
enhance their preparedness, prevention and response capabilities; and

WHEREAS, the San Diego Police Department will fund equipment and training to strengthen its communications capabilities, enhance information sharing, collaboration and law enforcement investigations, and improve protection of critical infrastructure and response capabilities; and

WHEREAS, the Fire-Rescue Department's specialized technical rescue team will participate in regional exercises to enhance their response to all hazards, including those requiring the capability to coordinate and conduct search and rescue efforts; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Homeland Security will utilize equipment, training, and exercise funds to enhance catastrophic incident response capabilities by improving voice and data communications systems within the Emergency Operations Center (EOC), and providing training and exercises to increase EOC staff skills and proficiencies; and

WHEREAS, this grant is reimbursable in nature requiring the City to expend funds prior to requesting reimbursement; and

WHEREAS, reimbursment claims will be processed by the Office of Homeland Security as they are received from the departments to ensure reimbursements are received as quickly as possible; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor, Chief Operating Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Fire Chief, or the Office of Homeland Security Program Manager, are authorized for and on behalf of the City, to accept, appropriate, and expend as the City's authorized agents up to \$849,978 in FY 2010 SHSP funding from the California Emergency Management Agency via the County of San Diego Office of Emergency Services.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

By

Noah J. Brazier Deputy City Attorney

NJB:aml

September 27, 2010

Or.Dept: Homeland Security

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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 12 2010.

	ELIZABETH S. MALAND City Clerk By Man Jumus Deputy City/Clerk
Approved: 10/18/10 (date)	JERRY SANDERS, Mayor
Vetoed:(date)	JERRY SANDERS, Mayor