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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 306601

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE FEB 2 3 2011

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO INITIATING AMENDMENTS TO THE COMMUNITY GARDEN REGULATIONS OF THE PLANNED DISTRICT ORDINANCES AND LOCAL COASTAL PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the City Council is being asked to initiate amendments to the City's Planned District Ordinances and Local Coastal Program; and

WHEREAS, the initiation will allow City staff to begin the process of analyzing and amending the planned district ordinances with regards to community gardens; and

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that the amendments will allow community gardens in commercial zones as a limited use (by right, provided the garden complies with specified standards); and

WHEREAS, staff will also analyze current standards for community gardens to identify possible modifications and seek public input on potential reductions in the approval process for residential zones; and

WHEREAS, when the analyses, environmental review, and draft amendment language are complete the draft amendment will be presented to the Community Planners Committee (CPC), the Code Monitoring Team (CMT), and the Planning Commission for recommendations, and forwarded to the City Council for a decision; and

WHEREAS, for planned district ordinances within the Coastal Overlay Zone, the final decision will be with the California Coastal Commission; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego that the initiation of the amendments to the community garden regulations of the Planned District Ordinances and Local Coastal Program is authorized.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney **Deputy City Attorney** SMT:als 02/01/11 Or.Dept:Council District 1 R-2011-675 PL#2011-05604 I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of FEB 1 4 2011 ELIZABETH S. MALAND City Clerk Deputy City Clerk JERRY SANDERS, Mayor