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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 307004

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE SEP 28 2011

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO TO ACCEPT, APPROPRIATE AND EXPEND A NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS GRANT FOR AN ARTS OVERLAY AT THE VILLAGE AT MARKET CREEK

WHEREAS, the National Endowment for the Arts [NEA] is an independent agency of the Federal Government which has awarded four billion dollars to date to support artistic excellence, creativity, and innovation for the benefit of individuals and communities; and

WHEREAS, the NEA established the Our Town Grant Program to support investment in creative "placemaking", whereby partners from both public and private sectors come together to strategically shape the social, physical, and economic character of a City around arts and cultural activities; and

WHEREAS, the Our Town Grant Program requires a partnership between local government and an arts or design organization; and

WHEREAS, the Arts and Culture Commission [Commission] and the Jacobs Center for Neighborhood Innovation [JCNI] propose to revitalize 60 formerly blighted acres in The Village at Market Creek [The Village] which is located in Southeastern San Diego; and

WHEREAS, the Commission and JCNI propose to turn The Village into a thriving arts district, where a vibrant and cultural commercial center has emerged; and

WHEREAS, the Commission and JCNI were awarded \$150,000 from the NEA Our Town Grant Program to design an arts overlay for The Village; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to enter into an agreement with the JCNI to create the arts overlay for the Village; and

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WHEREAS, the JCNI will provide a one-to-one match of \$150,000 for the project

described herein; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, as follows:

1. That the Mayor, or his designee, is authorized to take all necessary actions to secure

funding from the National Endowment for the Arts [NEA] Our Town Grant Program.

2. That the Chief Financial Officer [CFO] is authorized to establish a grant account for

the grant, if necessary.

3. That the CFO is authorized to accept, appropriate, and expend the NEA Our Town

Grant Program grant in the amount of \$150,000 during the grant's activity period,

pending the receipt of a fully executed grant agreement.

4. That the Mayor, or his designee, is authorized to negotiate and execute for and on

behalf of the City, an Agreement with the Jacobs Center for Neighborhood

Innovation, in an amount not to exceed \$150,000 for services to complete the arts

overlay project at The Village at Market Creek.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

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ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By Deputy City Clerk

Deputy City Clerk

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed:

(date)

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of

San Diego, at this meeting of SEP 13 2011