

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 307262

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE FEB 06 2012

A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE
GENERAL PLAN RELATING TO MUNICIPAL CODE
AMENDMENTS FOR URBAN AGRICULTURE

WHEREAS, Healthy Works, a program administered by the County of San Diego Health and Human Services Agency and funded by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, awards grants to combat rising obesity rates in the San Diego region by planning communities in ways that support increased physical activity and access to healthy foods; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego has been awarded a grant of \$50,000 to increase access to healthy foods pursuant to Municipal Code and General Plan amendments to support urban agriculture; and

WHEREAS, amendments to the San Diego General Plan have been developed to increase access to healthy, local and sustainable food by expanding the opportunities for farmers' markets and retail farms to offer locally grown foods in urban settings; and

WHEREAS, on July 20, 2011, the Land Use and Housing Committee of the City Council of the City of San Diego held a hearing on the subject of urban agriculture and requested that staff address specific items and return with proposed amendments to the City of San Diego General Plan; and

WHEREAS, on October 5, 2011, staff returned to the Land Use and Housing Committee with proposed amendments to the City of San Diego General Plan; and

WHEREAS, on December 15, 2011, the Planning Commission of the City of San Diego held a public hearing for the purpose of considering an amendment to the City of San Diego General Plan; and


WHEREAS, the Planning Commission of the City of San Diego found the proposed amendment consistent with the General Plan and recommended that the City Council adopt the proposed amendments to the General Plan to increase the opportunities for farmers' markets and retail farms to offer locally grown foods in urban settings; and

WHEREAS, on January 31, 2012, the City Council of the City of San Diego held a public hearing for the purpose of considering an amendment to the General Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of San Diego has considered all written documents contained in the file for this project on record in the City of San Diego, and has considered the oral presentations given at the public hearing; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that the Council adopts the amendment to the General Plan, a copy of which is on file in the office of the City Clerk as Document No. RR- 307262.

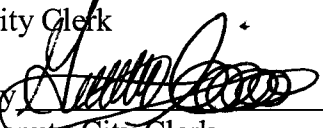
APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

By 
Keith Bauerle
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 JAN 31 2012.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By 
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 2.6.12
(date)


JERRY SANDERS, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

JERRY SANDERS, Mayor