

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 308043

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE APR 04 2013

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO DETERMINING THAT THE APPROVAL OF THE AGREEMENT WITH BROWN AND CALDWELL FOR AS-NEEDED ENGINEERING SERVICES IS STATUTORILY EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT PURSUANT TO CEQA GUIDELINES SECTION 15262.

WHEREAS, the City's Public Utilities Department desires to enter into an agreement with Brown and Caldwell for as-needed engineering consulting services for a term of three years and with a value not to exceed \$5,000,000 (Agreement), which will supplement civil, mechanical and electrical engineering work performed by City staff in regard to operations at the City's wastewater facilities; and

WHEREAS, the California State Legislature, through the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), Public Resources Code sections 21000-21177, has determined that CEQA does not apply to various types of projects listed therein; and

WHEREAS, CEQA section 21084 states that the CEQA Guidelines shall list those classes of projects which have been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment and which shall be exempt from CEQA; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to that authority, CEQA Guidelines sections 15260-15285 list the statutory exemptions promulgated by the California State Legislature; and

WHEREAS, after having considered the written record concerning the Agreement as well as public comment, if any, the Council of the City of San Diego (Council) has determined based

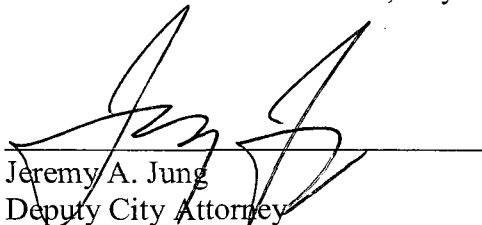
upon its independent judgment that CEQA Guidelines section 15262 covers the Agreement;

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Agreement is statutorily exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15262.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Clerk is directed to file a Notice of Exemption with the Clerk of the County of San Diego.


APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

By   
Jeremy A. Jung  
Deputy City Attorney

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03/12/13  
Or.Dept:Public Utilities - Wastewater  
Doc. No. 529078

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of ~~MAR 19 2013~~

ELIZABETH S. MALAND  
City Clerk

By   
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 4/4/13  
(date)

  
BOB FILNER, Mayor

Vetoed: \_\_\_\_\_  
(date)

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BOB FILNER, Mayor