Item 104-B 10/15/13 (R-2014-159)

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 308508

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE OCT 29 2013

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO DETERMINING THAT THE CONSTRUCTION FUNDING FOR THE FIVE POINTS NEIGHBORHOOD PEDESTRIAN IMPROVEMENTS IS CATEGORICALLY EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT PURSUANT TO CEQA GUIDELINE SECTION 15301(C) FOR EXISTING FACILITIES.

WHEREAS, the current scope of the Five Points Pedestrian Neighborhood Improvements project provides for the construction of pedestrian curb extension, sidewalk, curb ramps, countdown pedestrian crossing signal system, and modifies traffic signage and signals to allow for safe pedestrian crossing at the intersections of Hancock Street and Washington Street and San Diego Avenue and Washington Street; and

WHEREAS, the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), Public Resources Code 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 sections15300-15333 list the categorical exemptions promulgated by the California Office of Planning and Research for those classes of projects which have been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of San Diego has considered the potential environmental effects of the expansion of the Five Points Neighborhood Pedestrian Improvements Project; and

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WHEREAS, on 101513, the City Council held a duly noticed public meeting and

considered the written record for the project as well as public comment; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of San Diego, using its independent judgment, has

determined that the project will not have a significant effect on the environment as the project is

a minor alteration to existing street facilities with negligible or no expansion of use; NOW,

THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the construction of the Five Points Neighborhood Pedestrian

Improvements Project is categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section

15301(c).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of San Diego has

determined that an exception to the exemption as set forth in CEQA Guidelines section 15300.2

does not apply.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

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Deputy City Attorney

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9/30/2013

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	ELIZABETH S. MALAND City Clerk By Hull Deputy City Clerk
Approved pursuant to Charter section 265(i):	
(date)	TODD GLORIA, Council President

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