Jem -101: Subitem B 1/14/14 (R-2014-306)

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 308699

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE JAN 3 0 2014

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO DETERMINING THAT THE APPROVAL OF THE AGREEMENT WITH PSOMAS FOR THE DESIGN OF MONTEZUMA/MID-CITY PIPELINE PHASE II PROJECT IS STATUTORILY EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT PURSUANT TO CEQA GUIDELINES SECTION 15262.

WHEREAS, the City's Public Works/Engineering – AEP Department desires to enter into an agreement with Psomas to design the installation of Phase II of the Montezuma/Mid City Pipeline which will install approximately 6,000 ft. (1.14 miles) of 66-inch diameter cement mortar lined and coated (CMLC) steel pipeline as a parallel and redundant conveyance system to the Trojan Pipeline (Agreement); 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 (feasibility and planning studies).

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

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Mark M. Mercer Deputy City Attorney

MMM:cw 12/13/13

Or.Dept:Public Works/Engineering-AEP

CC No.: N/A Doc. No.: 676127

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of <u>JAN 1 4 2014</u>.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND

City Clerk

Deputy City Clerk

Approved pursuant to Charter section 265(i):

(date)

TODD GLORIA, Council President

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Councilmembers	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Recused
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Kevin Faulconer	\square			
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