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(R-2014-656)

RESOLUTION NUMBER R-308939

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE MAY 29 2014

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO APPOINTING MEMBERS OF THE UTILITY UNDERGROUNDING ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

WHEREAS, the City has undertaken a CPUC Rule 20 and Surcharge Utility
Undergrounding Program with the intent to underground utility lines in the public right-of-way
throughout the City; and

WHEREAS, the City became aware of community concerns related to the aesthetic impact of above-ground utility equipment in the public right-of-way installed during City undergrounding projects; and

WHEREAS, the City has created a citizens' committee under Charter section 43(b), named the Utility Undergrounding Advisory Committee (the Committee), to advise on questions related to utilities undergrounding and the City's implementation of the program; and

WHEREAS, the Committee has been tasked with advising the Council about: (1) how the City may better implement the program to minimize community concerns related to the installation of utility equipment, including above-ground utility boxes, while undertaking undergrounding projects, and (2) how the City, community, and utility companies could improve communication in implementing the program's goals; and

WHEREAS, the Committee is to be composed of 14 members, with seven members nominated by Councilmembers, appointed by the Council President, and confirmed by the City Council; and seven members representing private utility companies; and

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WHEREAS, the Council President has appointed seven members and now seeks Council

confirmation of those appointments; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that the Council hereby

confirms the following appointments by the Council President to the Utility Undergrounding

Advisory Committee, to serve in compliance with Charter section 43(b) until the Committee

completes the objectives for which it was created:

David Moty (Talmadge, District 9)

Bobby Johnson (Casa de Oro)

Joe LaCava (La Jolla, District 1)

Charles Angyl (Mission Hills, District 3)

John Ready (Mission Beach, District 2)

Vicki Granowitz (North Park, District 3)

Tom Hebrank (Kensington, District 9)

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that pursuant to Council Policy 000-13, for purposes of

deliberation and consideration of appointments, it is determined that Bobby Johnson is a resident

of San Diego County, but not the City of San Diego, and has unique qualifications to serve as a

member of the Committee; therefore, a conscious exception to Council Policy 000-13 is hereby

declared.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

Sharon B. Spivak

Deputy City Attorney

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Or.Dept: Council President

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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 <u>MAY 1 3 2014</u>

	ELIZABETH S. MALAND City Clerk			
	By Karen Ond Deputy City Cherk			
Approved: 5/27/2014 (date)	KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor			
Vetoed:(date)	KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor			

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on		MAY 13	2014 , by 1	, by the following vote:	
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Ed Harris					
Todd Gloria	\exists				
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Mark Kersey					
Lorie Zapf					
Scott Sherman					
David Alvarez					
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