

Subitem S402  
Subitem B  
Monday, 7/28/14  
(R-2015-52)

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 309162

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE AUG 11 2014

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO DETERMINING THAT THE APPROVAL OF A CITYWIDE TREE SERVICES CONTRACT IS CATEGORICALLY EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT PURSUANT TO CEQA GUIDELINES SECTION 15301 "EXISTING FACILITIES."

WHEREAS, this action considers the environmental impact of a contract to maintain trees in the public right-of-way; and

WHEREAS, this contract for tree maintenance services is on file in the Office of the City Clerk as Document No. RR. 309161.

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 sections 15300 through 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 maintenance and trimming of trees in the public right-of-way; and

WHEREAS, on JUL 28 2014, 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 scope of work for this contract will be limited to maintenance and minor alteration of existing trees within the City's public right-of-way; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the citywide tree services contract is categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15301 "Existing Facilities."

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.

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

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

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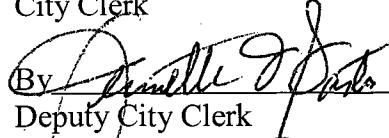


Ryan P. Kohut  
Deputy City Attorney

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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 JUL 28 2014

ELIZABETH S. MALAND  
City Clerk

By   
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 8/11/14  
(date)

  
KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

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

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KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on JUL 28 2014, by the following vote:

Councilmembers	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Recused
Sherri Lightner	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ed Harris	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Todd Gloria	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Myrtle Cole	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mark Kersey	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lorie Zapf	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Scott Sherman	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
David Alvarez	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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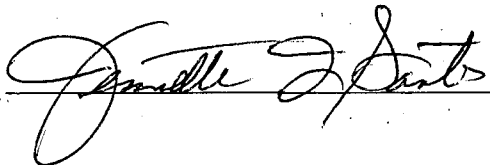
(Please note: When a resolution is approved by the Mayor, the date of final passage is the date the approved resolution was returned to the Office of the City Clerk.)

AUTHENTICATED BY:

KEVIN L. FAULCONER  
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

(Seal)

ELIZABETH S. MALAND  
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

By , Deputy

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