

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 309273

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE OCT 21 2014

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO DETERMINING THAT A WATER EMERGENCY DROUGHT RESPONSE LEVEL 2 - DROUGHT ALERT CONDITION PURSUANT TO SAN DIEGO MUNICIPAL CODE SECTION 67.3806 IS STATUTORILY EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT PURSUANT TO CEQA GUIDELINES SECTION 15269(c)

WHEREAS, the State of California is experiencing one of the most severe droughts on record, prompting California Governor Jerry Brown to declare a drought emergency in California on January 17, 2014; and

WHEREAS, it is recommended that the City declare a Water Emergency Drought Response Level 2 – Drought Alert Condition under San Diego Municipal Code Section 67.3806, effective November 1, 2014 (Action); and

WHEREAS, the California State Legislature, through the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), Public Resources Code sections 21000 through 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 through 15285 list the statutory exemptions promulgated by the California State Legislature; and

WHEREAS, the Development Services Department has established that this Action is statutorily exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15269(c); and

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego City Council has considered the potential environmental effects of the Action, and

WHEREAS, on October 20, 2014, the City Council held a duly noticed public meeting and considered the written record for the Action as well as any public comment; and

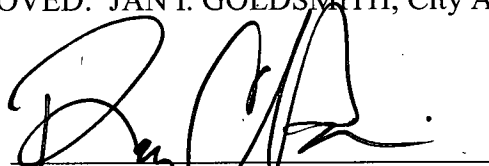
WHEREAS, the City Council, using its independent judgment, has determined that the Action will not have a significant effect on the environment as a specific action necessary to prevent or mitigate an emergency; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that the Action is statutorily exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15269(c).

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

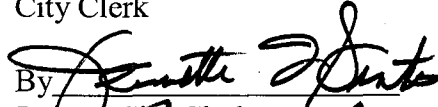
By

  
Raymond C. Palmucci  
Deputy City Attorney

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10/13/2014  
Or.Dept:Public Utilities  
Doc. No. 880702

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of 10/20/14.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND  
City Clerk

By   
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 10/21/2014  
(date)

  
KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

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

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KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

**OCT 20 2014**

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on \_\_\_\_\_, 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
David Alvarez	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Marti Emerald	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Date of final passage **OCT 21 2014**

(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.

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

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By *Dejuelle J. Park*, Deputy

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

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