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RESOLUTION NUMBER R-_ 309460

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A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO DETERMINING THAT THE APPROVAL OF THE AWARD OF FUNDS TO DOWNTOWN SAN DIEGO PARTNERSHIP FOUNDATION FOR "MOVING PARKLET" DESIGN CHALLENGE IS CATEGORICALLY EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT PURSUANT TO CEQA GUIDELINES SECTION 15304.

WHEREAS, the City proposes to award funds to Downtown San Diego Partnership Foundation for the "Moving Parklet" Design Challenge (Project); and

WHEREAS, the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Public Resources Code section 21000 et seq.), section 21084, states that the CEQA Guidelines thereto (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Chapter 3, Section 15000 et seq.) 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 15300-15333 list the categorical exemptions promulgated by the California Office of Planning and Research and adopted by the Secretary of the California Natural Resources Agency for those classes of Projects which have been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment; and

WHEREAS, the Development Services Department has established that the Project is categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15304 and that no exception to the exemption, as set forth in CEQA Guidelines section 15300.2, applies to the Project; and

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

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WHEREAS, 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 it is a minor

public or private alternation in the condition of land which does not involve the removal of

healthy, mature, scenic trees; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of San Diego determines that the Project

is categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15304 and that an

exception to the exemption does not apply.

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

By

Catherine Bradley

Deputy City Attorney

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ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 1/24/2015
(date)

KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

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Vetoed: _

(date)

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 3 2015</u>.

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Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on _		JAN 1 3 2015 , by the following vote:		
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