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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 309834

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE ___ JUL 2 8 2015

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO DETERMINING THAT ADOPTION OF THE DRAFT ZERO WASTE PLAN FOR THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO IS STATUTORILY EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT PURSUANT TO CEQA GUIDELINES SECTION 15262.

WHEREAS, the Environmental Services Department of the City of San Diego has prepared for City Council adoption a draft Zero Waste Plan as a framework for achieving an initial goal of diverting 75% of waste generated in the City from landfill disposal by 2020, a goal of 90% waste diversion by 2035, and of a goal of Zero Waste by 2040 (Project); and

WHEREAS, the draft Zero Waste Plan is a guidance document that identifies potential waste diversion strategies, policies, or programs for future action that will not be approved, adopted or funded through City Council adoption of the draft Zero Waste Plan; 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, California 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 15260-15285 list the statutory exemptions promulgated by the California State Legislature; and

WHEREAS, the Development Services Department has determined that the Project is statutorily exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15262; and

WHEREAS, after having considered the written record concerning the Project as well as public comment, if any, the Council of the City of San Diego has determined based on its independent judgment that CEQA Guidelines section 15262 (Feasibility and Planning Studies) covers the Project; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that the Project is statutorily exempt from CEQA pursuant CEQA Guidelines section 15262.

APPROVED:	JAN I.	GOLDSMITH,	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_1 3 2015_.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND

City Clerk

Approved: 7/22/15

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Todd Gloria	\mathbb{Z}			· ·
Myrtle Cole	\mathbf{Z}			
Mark Kersey	\mathbb{Z}			
Chris Cate	\mathbb{Z}			
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David Alvarez	\mathbb{Z}			
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