RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 309959

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RESOLUTION DENYING AN APPEAL AND UPHOLDING THE ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION FOR THE TORREY HOLISTICS MEDICAL MARIJUANA CONSUMER COOPERATIVE PROJECT (PROJECT NO. 390943).

WHEREAS, an application was submitted for Conditional Use Permit for a medical marijuana consumer cooperative (MMCC) located at 10671 Roselle Street (Project); and

WHEREAS, on May 12, 2015, the Environmental Analysis Section of the Development Services Department determined the project to be exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15303 (New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures) and a Notice of Right to Appeal Environmental Determination was posted; and

WHEREAS, on May 26, 2015, the Torrey Pines Community Planning Group filed an Environmental Determination Appeal Application (Appeal) with the City's Development Services Department stating that the CEQA Guidelines section 15303 exemption does not apply to the Project; and

WHEREAS, on May 27, 2015, Khoa Nguyen also filed an Appeal with the City's Development Services Department stating that the CEQA Guidelines section 15303 exemption does not apply to the Project; and

WHEREAS, the Appeal was heard before the City Council on August 3, 2015; and WHEREAS, the Project involves the conversion within a 1,294-square-foot suite in an existing 9,687 square-foot-building in an urbanized area to an MMCC use with only minor

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modifications to the exterior of the structure, not involving the use of significant amounts of

hazardous materials; and

WHEREAS, the Project is located on a site zoned for its use where all necessary public

services and facilities are available, and is not located in an environmentally sensitive area; and

WHEREAS, approval of the Project would not result in a significant effect on the

environment; and

WHEREAS, the Project is exempt under CEQA Guidelines Sections 15303; and

WHEREAS, under Charter section 280(a)(2) this resolution is not subject to veto by the

Mayor because this matter requires the City Council to act as a quasi-judicial body and where a

public hearing was required by law implicating due process rights of individuals affected by the

decision and where the Council was required by law to consider evidence at the hearing and to

make legal findings based on the evidence presented; NOW, THEREFORE,

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

denied and the environmental determination is upheld.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

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Or.Dept: DSD

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Lorie Zapf	\mathbf{Z}				
Todd Gloria	Ø				
Myrtle Cole	Z				
Mark Kersey					
Chris Cate	Ø				
Scott Sherman	\mathbb{Z}				
David Alvarez	\mathbf{Z}				
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