

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 310591

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE JUL 19 2016

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR OR HIS DESIGNEE TO APPLY FOR, ACCEPT, APPROPRIATE, AND EXPEND \$362,386 IN INITIAL GRANT FUNDS AUTHORIZED BY THE OFFICE OF TRAFFIC SAFETY'S PEDESTRIAN AND BICYCLE SAFETY GRANT PROGRAM AND ANY AMENDMENTS, EXTENSIONS OR RENEWAL FOR A PERIOD OF UP TO FIVE YEARS, PROVIDED FUNDING IS SECURED AND MADE AVAILABLE, TO FUND FOR STRATEGIES THAT INCLUDE PUBLIC AWARENESS IN AREAS WITH A HIGH NUMBER OF BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN COLLISIONS, EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS IN LOCAL SCHOOLS AND WITH COMMUNITY GROUPS, AND ENFORCEMENT OPERATIONS.

WHEREAS, over the years the San Diego Police Department (Police Department) has applied for and been selected to receive grant funds from the Office of Traffic Safety's Selective Traffic Enforcement Program Grant (STEP Grant); and

WHEREAS, the STEP Grant was developed to reduce the number of persons killed and injured in crashes involving alcohol and other primary collision factors; and

WHEREAS, in June 2012 the Police Department requested and obtained authorization to apply for and expend STEP Grant funds from Fiscal Year 2012 to Fiscal Year 2016 (Resolution R-307632).

WHEREAS, recently the Office of Traffic Safety separated the STEP Grant into two grants: the STEP Grant, which focuses on enforcement and deterrent; and, the Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety Program Grant, which focuses on safety; and

WHEREAS, the Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety Grant Program was developed to reduce the number of persons killed and injured in bicycles and pedestrians crashes by conducting and implementing “best practice” strategies; and

WHEREAS, in March 2016, the Police Department applied for \$362,386 in grant funds from the Office of Traffic Safety’s Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department was selected to receive the grant monies; and

WHEREAS, the grant monies will be awarded by October 2016; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department wants to accept and appropriate the grant funds for needed programs within the City; and

WHEREAS, the grant will provide funding for strategies that include public awareness in areas with a high number of bicycle and pedestrian collisions, educational programs in local schools, with community groups, and enforcement operations; and

WHEREAS, in addition, helmets are distributed and properly fitted to children in need in order to boost compliance with the law and decrease injuries; and

WHEREAS, these strategies are designed to earn media attention thus enhancing the overall deterrent effect; and NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of San Diego, that the Mayor or his representative is authorized to apply for and accept \$362,386 in initial grant funds authorized by the Office of Traffic Safety’s Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety Grant Program, including any amendments, extensions or renewals of the grant for a period of up to five years, provided funding is secured and made available.

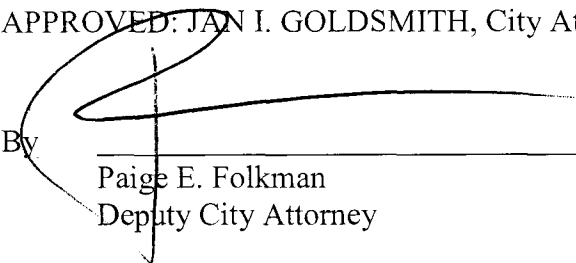
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chief Financial Officer is authorized, to appropriate and expend \$362,386 in initial grant funds authorized by the Office of Traffic

Safety's Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety Grant Program, including any additional funding that is secured and made available through amendments, extensions, or renewals of the grant for a period of up to five years, provided funding is secured and made available.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chief Financial Officer is authorized to establish a special interest-bearing fund for the grant funds, if required.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chief of Police or designee is authorized to administer and operate the Office of Traffic Safety's Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety Grant Program.

APPROVED: JAN I. GOLDSMITH, City Attorney

By 
Paige E. Folkman
Deputy City Attorney

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June 27, 2016
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I certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of JUL 12 2016.

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By 
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 7/19/16
(date)


KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on JUL 12 2016, 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"/>
Lorie Zapf	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" 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"/>
Chris Cate	<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 type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Marti Emerald	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Date of final passage JUL 19 2016.


(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 , Deputy

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

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