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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 311613

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE MAR 26 2018

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO TO CONCUR WITH THE RECOMMENDED REDUCTION OF TAXICAB INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS PROPOSED BY THE SAN DIEGO METROPOLITAN TRANSIT SYSTEM.

WHEREAS, the San Diego Metropolitan Transit System (MTS) administers and regulates taxicabs on behalf of the City of San Diego (City); and

WHEREAS, in 2010, at the request of MTS taxicab permit holders, MTS raised the required insurance limits for a taxicab from \$300,000 to \$1,000,000 (effective for all insurance renewals after January 1, 2011); and

WHEREAS, the taxicab market has undergone significant change since January 1, 2011, including a reduction in permitted taxicabs, increased operation costs, and competition from transportation network companies; and

WHEREAS, based on feedback received from the local taxicab industry and the MTS Taxicab Advisory Committee, it has been requested that the insurance limit requirement for taxicabs be reduced to \$350,000; and

WHEREAS, the City contract with MTS for the administration of taxicabs requires that MTS shall not alter a fundamental policy or regulation without City approval; and

WHEREAS, MTS requests and recommends that the City Council approve the action proposed by MTS to lower the taxicab insurance limit requirements to \$350,000; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that the Mayor or his designee is authorized to communicate to the MTS Chief Executive Officer that the City concurs in the recommendation that MTS taxicab insurance requirements be reduced to \$350,000.

APPROVED: MARA W. ELLIOTT, City Attorney	/
By Ryan P. Gerrity Deputy City Attorney	
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I certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed be meeting of MAR 1 9 2018	by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this   ELIZABETH S. MALAND
Approved: 3/26/16 (date)	By Hack Deputy City Clerk  KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor
Vetoed:(date)	KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

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