

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 314591DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE FEB 09 2023

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
SAN DIEGO AUTHORIZING THE CITY TO ACCEPT GRANT  
FUNDING RELATED TO ITS PARTICIPATION IN THE  
NATIONAL URBAN SEARCH AND RESCUE RESPONSE  
SYSTEM.

WHEREAS, the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Federal Emergency  
Management Agency's (FEMA) urban Search and Rescue System is made up of twenty-eight  
task forces across the United States; and

WHEREAS, the City's Fire-Rescue Department is the sponsoring agency for the  
California Task Force Eight (CA-TF-8); and

WHEREAS, CA-TF-8 is capable of deploying a seventy-person team within four hours  
to respond to natural or man-made disasters anywhere in the United States; and

WHEREAS, CA-TF-8 is trained and equipped to perform rescues from floods and  
collapsed buildings; and

WHEREAS, program costs include one Battalion Chief and one Management Analyst;  
and

WHEREAS, since the creation of this program in 1992, program management costs as  
well as supply, equipment, and maintenance costs, have been funded by continuing grants  
provided through cooperative agreements with DHS and FEMA; and

WHEREAS, in the event of activation, the personnel and non-personnel costs resulting  
from CA-TF-8 deployment are reimbursed to the City by DHS and FEMA via a claim  
reimbursement process, distinct from the grant program; and

WHEREAS, the City will receive yearly grants and cooperative agreements relating to CA-TF-8 starting in November 2022; and

WHEREAS, there are no matching fund requirements and there is no impact to the City's General Fund; and

WHEREAS, these grants are reimbursable in nature and require the City to spend funds prior to requesting reimbursement;

WHEREAS, expenditures will be initially sourced from the City's General Fund via a special grant fund and then reimbursed from DHS and FEMA;

WHEREAS, application, acceptance, and expenditure of grant funding shall be contingent upon approval by the Grants Review Team for each grant in each fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, approval by the City Council is required by San Diego Municipal Code section 22.5204(b)(1),(5);

WHEREAS, the Office of the City Attorney has drafted this resolution based on the information provided by City staff with the understanding that this information is complete, true, and accurate; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of San Diego, that the Mayor or his designee is authorized to apply for and take all necessary actions to secure funding for California Task Force 8 through grant funds for Fiscal Years 2023-2027, including any amendments, extensions, or renewals of the grants.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Chief Financial Officer is authorized to establish special accounts and to accept, appropriate, and expend grant funding for each grant awarded for California Task Force 8 in Fiscal Years 2023-2027, contingent on the execution of all required grant documents.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor, or his designee, is authorized to enter into all agreements and certifications necessary for the purpose of implementing the California Task Force 8 Grant Program in Fiscal Years 2023-2027.

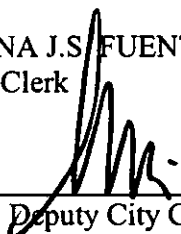
APPROVED: MARA W. ELLIOTT, City Attorney

By /s/ Laura M. DePoister  
Laura M. DePoister  
Deputy City Attorney

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January 24, 2023  
Or.Dept: PSE  
Doc. No. 3113762

I certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of FEB 07 2023

DIANA J.S. FUENTES  
City Clerk

By   
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 2/9/23  
(date)

  
TODD GLORIA, Mayor

Vetoed: \_\_\_\_\_  
(date)

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TODD GLORIA, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on FEB 07 2023, by the following vote:

Councilmembers	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Recused
Joe LaCava	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jennifer Campbell	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Stephen Whitburn	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Monica Montgomery Steppe	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Marni von Wilpert	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Kent Lee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Raul A. Campillo	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Vivian Moreno	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sean Elo-Rivera	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Date of final passage FEB 09 2023.

**(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:



TODD GLORIA  
Mayor of The City of San Diego, California.

DIANA J. S. FUENTES  
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

By , Deputy

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

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