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## RESOLUTION NUMBER R-314986

## DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE \_\_\_\_\_ JUN 21 2023

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO APPROVING AND RATIFYING A SIDE LETTER AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO AND CALIFORNIA TEAMSTERS LOCAL 911 RELATED TO PARENTAL LEAVE AND LONG-TERM DISABILITY BENEFITS.

WHEREAS, City of San Diego (City) is proposing to amend Administrative

Regulation 95.89 – Parental Leave to increase paid parental leave entitlement from 160 hours to 320 hours for full-time employees; from 120 hours to 240 hours for three-quarter time employees; and from 80 hours to 160 hours for half-time employees; and

WHEREAS, it is estimated that the increased hours of parental leave entitlement will result in costs of approximately \$5.8 million for Fiscal Year 2024 for the Parental Leave benefit; and

WHEREAS, the City is also proposing to modify the City's Long-Term Disability Plan (LTD Plan) to eliminate the 30-day waiting period for LTD Plan benefits for eligible employees disabled by pregnancy, childbirth, or a related medical condition and change the eligibility requirements for LTD Plan benefits for employees disabled by pregnancy, childbirth, or related medical condition from a one-year employment requirement to a 30-day employment requirement; and

WHEREAS, the City has met and conferred with California Teamsters Local 911 (Local 911) and reached agreement on the increased Parental Leave hour entitlements and changes to the LTD Plan; and

WHEREAS, the San Diego City Council (Council) wishes to approve the Side Letter Agreement with Local 911 related to Parental Leave and the LTD Plan; and

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WHEREAS, this Side Letter Agreement has been negotiated pursuant to the Meyers-Milias-Brown Act and City Council Policy 300-06, and is subject to City Council approval to take effect; and

WHEREAS, the Council determines that this Side Letter Agreement related to Parental Leave and the LTD Plan is in the best interests of the City because it provides enhanced benefits to attract and retain a diverse workforce; and

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

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that pursuant to the Meyers-Milias-Brown Act and City Council Policy 300-06, the City Council approves and ratifies the Side Letter Agreement between the City and Local 911, related to Parental Leave and LTD Plan benefits, on file in the office of the City Clerk as Document No. **<u>R-314986</u>**.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that the City Council also approves all increased costs associated with the increased parental leave entitlements set forth in the amended Administrative Regulation 95.89 – Parental Leave.

APPROVED: MARA W. ELLIOTT, City Attorney

By Thomas J. Brady Deputy City Attorney

TJB:jvg May 23, 2023 Or.Dept: Human Resources CC No. N/A Doc. No. 3314524 I certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of \_\_\_\_\_\_.

DIANA J.S. FUENTES City Clerk

By terson Deputy City Clerk

Approved:

IA, Mayor

Vetoed:

(date)

TODD GLORIA, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on \_\_\_\_\_\_JUN 1 3 2023 \_\_\_\_\_, by the following vote:

Councilmembers	Yeas	Nays	Not Present	Recused
Joe LaCava	Z			
Jennifer Campbell	Z			
Stephen Whitburn	Z			
Monica Montgomery Steppe 📈				
Marni von Wilpert	$\square$			
Kent Lee	Z			
Raul A. Campillo	Z			
Vivian Moreno	Z			
Sean Elo-Rivera	Z			

Date of final passage \_\_\_\_\_\_ JUN 21 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.

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

By Connie Patterson Deputy

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

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