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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 315018

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A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO APPROVING A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE SAN DIEGO HOUSING COMMISSION FOR ADMINISTRATION OF THE CITY'S HOMELESSNESS SERVICES.

WHEREAS, the San Diego Housing Commission (Housing Commission) has administered homelessness services contracts on behalf of the City of San Diego based on a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) that first took effect on July 1, 2010; and

WHEREAS, the City and Housing Commission have subsequently entered into several separate MOUs for operation and administration of various programs related to homelessness services, five of which remain in effect; and

WHEREAS, the City and Housing Commission propose to consolidate the existing MOUs into a new Master MOU to ease the administrative processes related to drafting five separate documents; and

WHEREAS, the Master MOU establishes the responsibilities of both the City and Housing Commission related to the operation of homelessness shelters, services, and programs described in the Community Action Plan on Homelessness for the City of San Diego and the Consolidated Plan submitted to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development; and

WHEREAS, the Master MOU serves as an overarching agreement between the City and Housing Commission to enter into program-specific agreements and administrative agreements related to the programs described in the Action Plan and Consolidated Plan; and

WHEREAS, under the Master MOU, the Housing Commission is responsible for the general management, administration, and oversight of the City's shelters and services for

individuals and families experiencing homelessness, which include day facilities, prevention, rapid rehousing programs, and workforce capacity; and

WHEREAS, the Master MOU will specifically replace the Memorandum of
Understanding Between the City of San Diego and the San Diego Housing Commission for the
Provision of Homeless Shelters and Services dated July 19, 2019, the Memorandum of
Understanding Between the City of San Diego and the San Diego Housing Commission for the
Provision of Bridge Shelters dated July 23, 2020, the Memorandum of Understanding Between
the City of San Diego and the San Diego Housing Commission for the Homelessness Response
Center dated January 4, 2021, the Memorandum of Understanding Between the City of
San Diego and the San Diego Housing Commission for the Provision of Transitional Storage
Centers last executed July 23, 2020, the Memorandum of Understanding Between the City of
San Diego and the San Diego Housing Commission for the Provision of HHAP Block Grant
Funded Programs dated July 23, 2020 and any other previous agreements between the City and
Housing Commission relating to shelters, services, or programs provided to people experiencing
homelessness; and

WHEREAS, the City and the Housing Commission negotiated the Master MOU to address the duties of the parties concerning operation and administration of the City's various programs related to homelessness services; and

WHEREAS, at its meeting on June 15, 2023, the Land Use and Housing Committee requested amendments to the Master MOU to address monitoring of unsafe shelter operations and conditions and to provide notification to the Council of the City of San Diego or the Housing Authority of the City of San Diego for relocation of any shelter and defunding of any existing program, service, or facility; and

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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 Council of the City of San Diego, that the Council authorizes

the City to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding with the Housing Commission for an

initial term from July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024, with three one-year options to renew, for

oversight and administration of the City's Homelessness Services Programs in

San Diego.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor, or designee, is authorized to execute all

documents and instruments that are necessary and/or appropriate to implement these approvals,

in a form and format approved by the City Attorney, and to take such actions necessary and/or

appropriate to implement these approvals.

APPROVED: MARA W. ELLIOTT, City Attorney

Heather M. Ferbert

Senior Chief Deputy City Attorney

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Or.Dept: HSSD

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meeting of	JUN 2 6 2023	assed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this
		DIANA J.S. FUENTES City Clerk
		By Kushel Modina (Deputy City Clerk)
Approved:	6/28/23 (date)	TODD ON ORIA, Mayor
Vetoed:	(date)	TODD GLORIA, Mayor