

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 315523DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE MAY 24 2024

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO APPROVING THE MISSION BAY AND OCEAN BEACH PIER URBAN AREA SECURITY INITIATIVE CAMERA SYSTEM UNDER THE TRANSPARENT AND RESPONSIBLE USE OF SURVEILLANCE TECHNOLOGY ORDINANCE.

WHEREAS, the San Diego Fire Rescue Department (SDFD) Lifeguard Services Division's Mission Bay and Ocean Beach (OB) Pier Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) Camera System (Camera System) falls within the definition of surveillance technology under San Diego Municipal Code Chapter 2, Article 10, Division 1, the Transparent and Responsible Use of Technology Ordinance (TRUST Ordinance); and

WHEREAS, approval of the Council of the City of San Diego (Council) is required under the TRUST Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, SDFD and the Office of Emergency Services (formerly The Office of Homeland Security) developed the Camera System in 2005 and has continued using the Camera System as a tool for incident command (IC) personnel to gain situational awareness on a variety of emergency responses in the maritime environment; and

WHEREAS, the Camera System is an automatic and manually controlled 24- hour camera system with photo and video capabilities that is used for public safety, emergency management, and homeland security. The cameras that comprise the Camera System are located at eleven (11) physical locations along Mission Bay and Ocean Beach.; and

WHEREAS, the Camera System will benefit the community through enhancing public safety in the aquatic environment. The Camera system provides perspectives of Mission Bay and

the Pacific Ocean (off Ocean Beach) that allow the IC to determine the location and extent of active maritime emergencies and events; and

WHEREAS, the Camera System will be used in Council Districts 1 and 2. SDFD held community meetings discussing the Camera System in Council Districts 1 and 2 on November 7th, 8th, and 15th, 2023, received public comment, and incorporated the public comments and written responses into the Surveillance Impact Report; and

WHEREAS, SDFD has prepared and publicly released and posted a Surveillance Use Policy and a Surveillance Impact Report for Camera System, on file with the City Clerk as document numbers RR315523-1 and RR315523-2; and

WHEREAS, the Camera System, including the proposed Surveillance Use Policy and the Surveillance Impact Report, was reviewed by the Privacy Advisory Board (Board) on January 18, 2024, and March 7, 2024, at a publicly noticed meeting; and

WHEREAS, the Board unanimously recommended the Camera System for approval on March 7, 2024; and

WHEREAS, SDFD received and reviewed the recommendations of the Board and, in response, has made the one recommended change, which is reflected in the Camera System's updated Use Policy; and

WHEREAS, the Council has considered the Surveillance Impact Report and Surveillance Use Policy for the Camera System; and

WHEREAS, the Council has considered the recommendations of the Board; and

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 benefits to the community of the Camera System outweigh the costs.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council determines the City's proposal for the Camera System will safeguard civil liberties and civil rights.


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council determines that no alternative with a lesser economic cost or lesser impact on civil rights or civil liberties would be as effective as the Camera System.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Camera System is hereby approved by the Council under the TRUST Ordinance.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this approval is not intended to and shall not supersede existing processes to seek approval for the appropriation and expenditure of specific funds through the annual budget process, or existing processes for the approval and execution of contracts, donations, and grants.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council shall review this approval annually as required by the TRUST Ordinance.

APPROVED: MARA W. ELLIOTT, City Attorney

By 
Daniel Stuart Orloff
Deputy City Attorney

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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 MAY 14 2024.

DIANA J.S. FUENTES
City Clerk

By 
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 5/24/24
(date)


TODD GLORIA, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

TODD GLORIA, Mayor

MAY 14 2024

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on _____, 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"/>
Henry L. Foster III	<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 MAY 24 2024.

(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 *J. P. Medina*, Deputy

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