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## RESOLUTION NUMBER R-\_\_\_\_

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A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO ADOPTING AN AMENDED CONFLICT OF INTEREST CODE FOR THE PUBLIC UTILITIES DEPARTMENT.

#### RECITALS

The Council of the City of San Diego (Council) adopts this Resolution based on the following:

A. California Government Code (Government Code) sections 87300 and 87302 require local agencies to adopt conflict of interest codes designating positions that involve the making, or participation in making, of decisions which may foreseeably have a material effect on an individual's financial interests, and for each position, the financial interests which are reportable.

B. In compliance with Government Code section 87306.5, the City of San Diego
(City) is conducting a required City-wide biennial review of all conflict of interest codes for
which the Council serves as the code-reviewing body.

C. By San Diego Resolution R-315625 (Jun. 11, 2024), the Council directed every City department, agency, board, and commission for which the Council serves as code-reviewing body to make biennial reports and to update their conflict of interest codes, as necessary.

D. As the City's code-reviewing body, the Council finds it in the public interest to adopt the standard conflict of interest code promulgated by the California Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC) in Regulation 18730, and hereby declares its intention to incorporate by reference the terms of FPPC Regulation 18730, and any amendments to that regulation adopted by the FPPC, as part of each conflict of interest code for which the Council has responsibility. E. By Resolution No. R-314448 (Nov. 15, 2022), the Council approved an amended Conflict of Interest Code for the Public Utilities Department.

F. The Public Utilities Department now seeks to amend its conflict of interest code to delete positions, add new positions, revise the duties and titles of existing positions, and revise disclosure categories for certain positions, all as detailed in Appendix A.

G. The Office of the City Attorney prepared this Resolution based on the information provided by City staff, with the understanding that this information is complete and accurate.

H. Government Code section 87303 provides that when a proposed conflict of interest code or amendment is approved by the code-reviewing body, it shall be deemed adopted, and, accordingly, this Resolution is not subject to veto by the Mayor.

### ACTION ITEMS

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of San Diego:

1. The Council adopts the Conflict of Interest Code for the Public Utilities Department, consisting of standard language in title 2, section 18730 of the California Code of Regulations, and any amendments to that regulation adopted by the Fair Political Practices Commission, with Appendix A identifying the designated positions and their duties, and Appendix B identifying the applicable disclosure categories.

2. A copy of Appendix A and Appendix B to the Conflict of Interest Code for the Public Utilities Department, as adopted, will be placed on file in the Office of the City Clerk as 315950 Document No. RR-\_\_\_\_\_\_

3. The persons whose positions are designated in the Conflict of Interest Code for the Public Utilities Department shall file their statements of economic interest with the City Clerk in compliance with the schedule set forth in Government Code section 87302(b) and Fair

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Political Practices Commission Regulation 18730, or any amendments thereto, which set forth the deadlines for the filing of initial statements, assuming office statements, annual statements, and leaving office statements.

4. The statements of economic interest filed by designated persons will be retained by the Office of the City Clerk and will be made available for public inspection and reproduction.

5. The Conflict of Interest Code for the Public Utilities Department becomes effective upon the date of adoption of this Resolution.

APPROVED: HEATHER FERBERT, City Attorney

By Garcia Deputy City Attorney

JAG:nsf November 21, 2024 Or.Dept: Public Utilities Department Doc. No.: 3884738

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I certify that the Council of the City of San Diego adopted this Resolution at a meeting held on DEC 17 2024

DIANA J.S. FUENTES City Clerk

By Knotly Medina

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on \_\_\_\_\_\_ DEC 17 2024 \_\_\_\_\_, by the following vote:

| Councilmembers        | Yeas         | Nays | Not Present | Recused |
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| Joe LaCava            | $\square$    |      |             |         |
| Jennifer Campbell     | $\square$    |      |             |         |
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| Date of final passage | DEC 1 7 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.

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

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