(R-2025-312)

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 316028

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE FEB 1 8 2025

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO DETERMINING THAT APPROVAL OF A TENYEAR PUBLIC PURPOSE LEASE BETWEEN THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO AND THE COLLEGE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION IS CATEGORICALLY EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT UNDER TITLE 14 CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS SECTIONS 15301, 15302, AND 15304.

RECITALS

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

- A. The Council will consider approval of a ten-year public purpose lease between the City of San Diego (City) and the College Economic Development Corporation, a California nonprofit public benefit corporation, for the lease of City-owned real property consisting of approximately 5,382 square feet of land and a 1,534 square foot commercial building located at 4704 College Avenue in San Diego (Project).
- B. The California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), California Public Resources Code (Code) sections 21000-21189.3, provides in Code section 21083 that the California Office of Planning and Research will promulgate, and the Secretary of the California Natural Resources Agency will adopt, guidelines for implementation of CEQA. The California Office of Planning and Research promulgated, and the Secretary of the California Natural Resources Agency adopted, the guidelines for implementation of CEQA set forth in Title 14 California Code of Regulations sections 15000 through 15387 (CEQA Guidelines).
- C. Code section 21084 requires the CEQA Guidelines to include a list of classes of projects that have been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment and are exempt from the provisions of CEQA. CEQA Guidelines sections 15300 through 15333 list

classes of projects that have been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment and declared to be exempt from preparation of environmental documents under CEQA.

- D. The Council has considered the written record related to the Project and all public comments about the potential environmental effects of the Project. The City Planning

 Department and Council, using its independent judgment, has determined that the Project is categorically exempt from the provisions of CEQA under CEQA Guidelines section 15301

 (Existing Facilities), 15302 (Replacement or Reconstruction of Existing Structures and Facilities), and 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land) because the Project: (1) will not result in an expansion of the facility's existing use and proposes no changes to the building footprint; (2) will replace and reconstruct deteriorated structures, facilities, and make all other improvements as necessary to maintain current standards of public health and safety; and (3) will not involve the removal of healthy, mature, or scenic trees when making minor public or private alterations to the condition of land, water, and vegetation.
- E. No exception to the application of a categorical exemption set forth in CEQA Guidelines section 15300.2 applies to the Project.
- F. The Office of the City Attorney prepared 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 and accurate.

ACTION ITEMS

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

1. The Project is categorically exempt from the provisions of CEQA under CEQA Guidelines sections 15301, 15302, and 15304.

- 2. No exception to the application of a categorical exemption set forth in CEQA Guidelines section 15300.2 applies to the Project.
- 3. The City Clerk or designee is directed to file a Notice of Exemption in accordance with CEQA with the San Diego County Clerk's Office and the State Clearinghouse in the Office of Planning and Research regarding the Project.

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APPROVED: HEATHER FERBERT, City Attorno	ey
By Michael Park Deputy City Attorney	
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I certify that the Council of the City of San Diego a FEB 1 1 2025	adopted this Resolution at a meeting held on
·	DIANA J.S. FUENTES City Clerk
	By <u>Connie Fatterson</u> Deputy City Clerk
Approved: 2 18 (25 (date)	CODD GLORIAL Mayor
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TODD GLORIA, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The City of San D	Diego on FEB 11 2025, by the following vote:
Councilmembers Joe LaCava Jennifer Campbell Stephen Whitburn Henry L. Foster III Marni von Wilpert Kent Lee Raul A. Campillo Vivian Moreno Sean Elo-Rivera	Nays Not Present Recused
Date of final passageFEB_1_8_2025 (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.
(Seal)	DIANA I.S. FUENTES City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California. By Junda Junia, Deputy For Connie Patterson
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