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(R-2025-399)

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 316058

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE FEB 27 2025

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO DETERMINING THAT APPROVAL OF THE FISCAL YEAR 2025 COMMUNITY PROJECTS, PROGRAMS, AND SERVICES (CPPS) FUNDING ALLOCATIONS, PURSUANT TO COUNCIL POLICY 100-06, RECOMMENDED BY COUNCIL DISTRICT 9 TO CERTAIN NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS IS CATEGORICALLY EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT PURSUANT TO CEQA GUIDELINES SECTIONS 15301 AND 15304.

RECITALS

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

1. The California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) (Public Resources Code section 21000 et seq.) states the CEQA Guidelines thereto (California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Chapter 3, Section 15000 et seq.) shall list those classes of projects which have been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment and which shall be exempt from CEQA.

2. Pursuant to that authority, CEQA Guidelines sections 15300-15333 lists categorical exemptions promulgated by the California Office of Planning and Research and adopted by the Secretary of the California Natural Resources Agency for those classes of projects which have been determined not to have a significant effect on the environment.

3. The City of San Diego (City) desires to approve allocations of Fiscal Year 2025 Community Projects, Programs, and Services (CPPS) recommended by Council District 9 to certain nonprofit organizations, as identified in the Staff Report and supporting materials (Proposed Action).

4. The Planning Department considered the Proposed Action and determined that the recommended allocations identified in the Staff Report as items 2, 3, 5 through 18, 21, and 22 are not a “project” pursuant to CEQA Guidelines sections 15378(b)(2) and (5) as the allocated funds will be used for continuing administrative or maintenance activities and are organizational or administrative activities, none of which will result in a direct or indirect physical change on the environment, and, therefore, these allocations are not subject to CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15060(c)(3). Those allocations that involve future special events will be subject to environmental review at a future date in accordance with the City’s special event permitting process and CEQA Guidelines section 15004.

5. The Planning Department considered the Proposed Action and determined that the recommended allocations identified in the Staff Report as item 1 (Adams Avenue Business Association), item 4 (City Heights Town Council), item 19 (Teralta Art), item 20 (The New Children’s Museum), and item 23 (Wesley House Student Residence, Inc.) are categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15301 (Existing Facilities) and that no exceptions to the exemption, as set forth in CEQA Guidelines section 15300.2, apply.

6. The Planning Department considered the Proposed Action and determined the recommended allocation identified in the Staff Report as item 1 (Adams Avenue Business Association) is also categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land) and that no exceptions to the exemption, as set forth in CEQA Guidelines section 15300.2, apply.

7. The Council has considered the potential environmental effects of the Proposed Action, specifically the recommended allocations identified in the Staff Report and supporting materials, and held a duly noticed public meeting and considered the written record for the Proposed Action as well as public comment.

8. The Council, using its independent judgment, has determined that the recommended allocations identified in the Staff Report as item 1 (Adams Avenue Business Association), item 4 (City Heights Town Council), item 19 (Teralta Art), item 20 (The New Children's Museum), and item 23 (Wesley House Student Residence, Inc.) are categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines sections 15301 (Existing Facilities), which exempts the operation, repair, maintenance, permitting, leasing, licensing, or minor alteration of existing public or private structures, facilities, mechanical equipment, or topographical features, involving negligible or no expansion of existing or former uses.

9. The Council, using its independent judgment, has determined that the recommended allocation identified in the Staff Report as item 1 (Adams Avenue Business Association) is also categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15304 (Minor Alterations to Land), which exempts minor public or private alterations in the condition of land, water, or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees except for forestry or agricultural purposes.

10. 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.

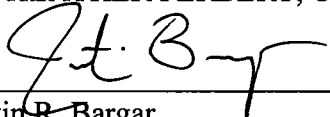
ACTION ITEMS

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

1. The Proposed Action to approve the Fiscal Year 2025 Community Projects, Programs, and Services (CPPS) allocations recommended by Council District 9 to certain nonprofit organizations, specifically the recommended allocations identified in the Staff Report as item 1 (Adams Avenue Business Association), item 4 (City Heights Town Council), item 19

(Teralta Art), item 20 (The New Children's Museum), and item 23 (Wesley House Student Residence, Inc.), is categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines sections 15301 and 15304 and that an exception to the exemptions as set forth in CEQA Guidelines section 15300.2 does not apply.

APPROVED: HEATHER FERBERT, City Attorney

By 
Justin R. Bargar
Deputy City Attorney

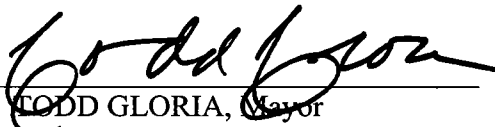
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I certify that the foregoing Resolution was passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at this meeting of FEB 25 2025.

DIANA J.S. FUENTES
City Clerk

By 
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 2/27/25
(date)


TODD GLORIA, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

TODD GLORIA, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on FEB 25 2025, 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 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 FEB 27 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.

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

By Linda Irwin, Deputy
For Connie Patterson

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

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