

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 316085DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE MAR 13 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 3 TO CERTAIN NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS IS CATEGORICALLY EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT PURSUANT TO CEQA GUIDELINES SECTION 15311(a).

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 3 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 1 through 13 and 15 through 57 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 allocation identified in the Staff Report as item 14 (Hillcrest Business Improvement Association) is categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15311(a) (Accessory Structures) and that no exceptions to the exemption, as set forth in CEQA Guidelines section 15300.2, apply.

6. 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.

7. The Council, using its independent judgment, has determined that the recommended allocation identified in the Staff Report as item 14 (Hillcrest Business Improvement Association) is categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15311(a) (Accessory Structures), which exempts the construction, or placement of minor

structures accessory to (appurtenant to) existing commercial, industrial, or institutional facilities, including on-premise signs.

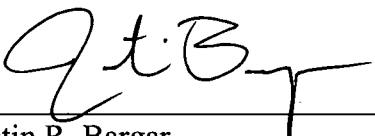
8. The Office of the City Attorney has drafted this resolution based on the information provided by City staff, including information provided by affected third parties and verified by City staff, with the understanding that this information is complete, true, and accurate.

ACTION ITEMS

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

1. The Proposed Action to approve the Fiscal Year 2025 Community Projects, Programs, and Services (CPPS) allocations recommended by Council District 3 to certain nonprofit organizations, specifically the recommended allocation identified in the Staff Report as item 14 (Hillcrest Business Improvement Association), is categorically exempt from CEQA pursuant to CEQA Guidelines section 15311(a) and that an exception to the exemption 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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Or.Dept: Council Administration  
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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 MAR 04 2025.

DIANA J.S. FUENTES  
City Clerk

By Connie Patterson  
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 3/12/25  
(date)

Todd Gloria  
TODD GLORIA, Mayor

Vetoed: \_\_\_\_\_  
(date)

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TODD GLORIA, Mayor



Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on MAR 04 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"/>
Márni 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 MAR 13 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 J.S. FUENTES  
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

By Ginda Arvin, Deputy  
For Connie Patterson

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