

RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 313686

DATE OF FINAL PASSAGE AUG 13 2021

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
SAN DIEGO ADOPTING AMENDMENTS TO THE GENERAL
PLAN RECREATION ELEMENT.

WHEREAS, the General Plan Recreation Element serves as a policy guide to address the comprehensive recreation needs of the City of San Diego (City); and

WHEREAS, the 2008 General Plan Recreation Element identified the need for a comprehensive Parks Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, a draft Parks Master Plan and General Plan Recreation Element Amendment were originally released for public review on April 24, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on June 18, 2020, the Planning Commission of the City of San Diego considered the amendments to the General Plan Recreational Element, and pursuant to Planning Commission Resolution No. 5111-PC, the Planning Commission voted to recommend approval of the amendments to the General Plan Recreation Element with recommendations; and

WHEREAS, on November 9, 2020, the Council of the City of San Diego (Council) held a public hearing for the purpose of considering the approval of the amendments to the General Plan Recreational Element and directed City staff to address concerns raised during the hearing process; and

WHEREAS, new drafts of the Parks Master Plan and General Plan Recreation Element Amendment were released on June 2, 2021, and July 6, 2021; and

WHEREAS, the draft Parks Master Plan envisions an interconnected and equitable Citywide parks system, with thriving recreational spaces located close to transit, that allows for the delivery of new recreational experiences and parks where they are needed the most and will be used by the most people; and

WHEREAS, safe and enjoyable parks are needed throughout the City to ensure a successful parks system that meets the needs of the City's residents; and

WHEREAS, investments in the City's parks system, which is accessible to all, should be prioritized in the areas with the greatest needs, particularly within the City's Communities of Concern, as defined in the Citywide Climate Equity Index; and

WHEREAS, the City's Climate Action Plan calls for the majority of new housing to be located within the City's Transit Priority Areas; and

WHEREAS, a Parks Master Plan that allows for flexibility, innovation, and creativity for providing park spaces that will be desired, used, and enjoyed by residents and visitors is critical to achieving the City's climate goals; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Department, in coordination with the Parks and Recreation Department, through extensive public outreach during a nearly four year planning effort, identified the need to equitably deliver parks that meet the needs of the City's changing recreation needs and development patterns; and

WHEREAS, to reflect a new vision identified in the Parks Master Plan, especially with respect to shifting the City's park standards to be focused on the delivery of recreational value, amendments to the General Plan Recreation Element are necessary; and

WHEREAS, on August 3, 2021, the Council held a public hearing for the purpose of considering the approval of the amendments to the General Plan Recreational Element; and

WHEREAS, the Council considered the record and the recommendations of the Planning Commission, as well as the maps, exhibits, and written documents contained in the file for the General Plan Recreation Element Amendment, all on record in the City, and has considered the oral presentations given at public hearing; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the City of San Diego, that the Council adopts the amendments to the General Plan Recreation Element, on file in the Office of the City Clerk as Document No. RR- 313686.

APPROVED: MARA W. ELLIOTT, City Attorney

By /s/ Lauren N. Hendrickson
Lauren N. Hendrickson
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 08/03/2021

ELIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk

By /s/ Matthew R. Hilario
Deputy City Clerk

Approved: 8/13/21
(date)


TODD GLORIA, Mayor

Vetoed: _____
(date)

TODD GLORIA, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The City of San Diego on AUG 03 2021, 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"/>
Monica Montgomery Steppe	<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"/>
Chris Cate	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" 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 AUG 13 2021

(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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LIZABETH S. MALAND
City Clerk of The City of San Diego, California.

By , Deputy

Office of the City Clerk, San Diego, California

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