

RESOLUTION NO. RES-23-0053

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH APPROVING THE APPLICATION FOR GRANT FUNDS FOR THE SAN GABRIEL AND LOWER LOS ANGELES RIVERS AND MOUNTAINS CONSERVANCY PROPOSITION 68 LOWER LOS ANGELES RIVER GRANT PROGRAM, FOR THE 51ST STREET GREENBELT PROJECT

WHEREAS, the people of the State of California have enacted the California Drought, Water, Parks, Climate, Coastal Protection, and Outdoor Access for All Act of 2018 (Proposition 68), which provides funds by the San Gabriel and Lower Los Angeles Rivers and Mountains Conservancy (RMC) Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, the RMC has been delegated the responsibility for the administration of the grant program in its jurisdiction, setting up necessary procedures; and

WHEREAS, said procedures established by the RMC require the Applicant's Governing Body to certify by resolution the approval of the Application before submission of said Application to the State; and

WHEREAS, City of Long Beach ("Applicant") desires to submit a grant application to Rivers and Mountains Conservancy Prop 68 Lower Los Angeles River Grant Program for the 51st Street Greenbelt Project ("Project"); and

WHEREAS, if awarded, Applicant intends to accept an amount up to Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) for completion of the Project and authorize the City Manager, or designee, to execute all documents necessary to accept the funds and implement the project;

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach resolves as follows:

1 Section 1. The City Council of the City of Long Beach (“Applicant”)
2 approves the filing of an Application for local assistance funds from the RMC Proposition
3 68 San Gabriel and Lower Los Angeles Rivers and Mountains Conservancy (RMC) Grant
4 Program for the 51st Street Greenbelt Project (“Project”) and certifies as follows:

5 A. The Project is consistent with local or regional land use plans or
6 Programs; and

7 B. The Project is consistent with the goals of Proposition 68 developing
8 urban recreation projects and habitat protection or restoration projects in
9 accordance with statewide priorities; and

10 C. The Applicant has or will have sufficient funds to operate and
11 maintain the Project that is being submitted for funding consideration; and

12 D. The Applicant has reviewed and understands the General
13 Requirements and General Policies of the RMC Proposition 68 Grant Program
14 Guidelines; and

15 Section 2. The City Council of the City of Long Beach appoints the City
16 Manager, or designee, as agent to conduct all negotiations, execute, and submit all
17 documents including, but not limited to applications, agreements, payment requests and
18 so on, which may be necessary for the completion of the Project.

19 Section 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption
20 by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

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1 I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City Council
2 of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of April 11, 2023, by the following vote:

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4 Ayes: Councilmembers: Zendejas, Allen, Duggan, Supernaw,
5 Kerr, Uranga, Austin, Ricks-Oddie.
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8 Noes: Councilmembers: None.
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11 Absent: Councilmembers: None.
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14 Recusal(s): Councilmembers: Saro.
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City Clerk

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