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RESOLUTION NO. RES-09-0084

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT WITH THE CONSERVATION CORPS OF LONG BEACH, WITHOUT ADVERTISING FOR BIDS, TO PROVIDE JOB TRAINING AND ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION FOR AN ANNUAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$250,000

WHEREAS, the Conservation Corps of Long Beach ("CCLB") wishes to provide job training and environmental education for young adults through various conservation and improvement projects for public agencies; and

WHEREAS, CCLB is the only organization of its kind and provides a unique service as well as serving as a leader in the community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach ("City") can provide opportunities for public service through meaningful and productive work projects; and

WHEREAS, CCLB has completed twenty-two (22) years working with the City during which time five thousand (5,000) young people have participated in conservation and improvement projects and over \$63.5 million has been put back into the community through these projects; and

WHEREAS, as a result of CCLB's efforts in the City, local youth have received valuable work experience, and the City is cleaner, more accessible and generally more attractive; and

WHEREAS, CCLB is the only organization of its kind and provides unique service as well as serving as a leader in the community; and

WHEREAS, as a result, no useful purpose would be served by advertising for bids and to do so would constitute an idle and useless act and an unnecessary

expenditure of public funds;

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

Section 1. The City Manager is hereby authorized to enter a contract with the Conservation Corps of Long Beach to provide job training and environmental education to young men and women of the Long Beach area through a program which includes public conservation and improvement projects, from May 1, 2009 to May 1, 2010, with the option to renew for two (2) one (1) year renewal periods on a cost reimbursement basis in an annual amount not to exceed two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) with the option of adding expenditures up to ten percent (10%) above the annual contract amount, if necessary and if funds are available.

Section 2. This Resolution shall take effect immediately on its adoption by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this Resolution.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the City Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting on ___august 18 2009, by the following vote:

	Ayes:	Councilmembers:	Garcia, Lowenthal, DeLong,
			O'Donnell, Schipske, Andrews,
			Lerch.
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	Noes:	Councilmembers:	None.
	Absent:	Councilmembers:	Reyes Uranga, Gabelich.