

1 RESOLUTION NO. RES-23-0141

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3 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
4 CITY OF LONG BEACH APPROVING THE APPLICATION OF
5 THE LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND FOR THE
6 WILLOW SPRINGS WETLANDS RESTORATION AND TRAIL
7 EXPANSION PROJECT
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9 WHEREAS, the Congress, under Public Law 88-578, has authorized the
10 establishment of a federal Land and Water Conservation Fund Grant-In-Aid program,
11 providing matching funds to the State of California and its political subdivisions for acquiring
12 lands and developing Facilities for public outdoor recreation purposes; and

13 WHEREAS, the California Department of Parks and Recreation is
14 responsible for administration of the program in the State, setting up necessary rules and
15 procedures governing applications by local agencies under the program; and

16 WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach ("City") certifies by resolution the
17 approval of the application and the availability of eligible matching funds prior to submission
18 of the application to the State;

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

21 Section 1. Approves the filing of an application for Land and Water
22 Conservation Fund assistance for the proposed Willow Springs Wetlands and Trails
23 Expansion Project ("Project").

24 Section 2. Certifies that the City has reviewed, understands, and agrees
25 to the General Provisions contained in the contract shown in the Grant Administration
26 Guide.

27 Section 3. Agrees to abide by 54 U.S.C. §200305(f)(3) which requires, "No
28 property acquired or developed with assistance under this section shall, without the

1 approval of the National Secretary of the Interior, be converted to other than public outdoor
2 recreation uses. The Secretary shall approve such conversion only if he finds it to be in
3 accord with the then existing comprehensive statewide outdoor recreation plan and only
4 upon such conditions as he deems necessary to assure the substitution of other recreation
5 properties of at least equal fair market value and of reasonably equivalent usefulness and
6 location.”

7 Section 4. Certifies that the City has matching funds from eligible
8 source(s) and can finance one hundred percent (100%) of the Project, which up to half
9 may be reimbursed.

10 Section 5. Agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state and local
11 laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and guidelines.

12 Section 6. Appoints the City Manager, or designee, as agent of the City to
13 conduct all negotiations and execute and submit all documents, including, but not limited
14 to, applications, contracts, amendments, payment requests, and compliance with all
15 applicable current state and federal laws which may be necessary for the completion of the
16 aforementioned Project.

17 Section 7. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption
18 by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

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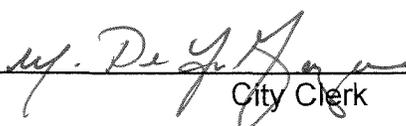
I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City Council
of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of September 19, 2023 by
the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers: Zendejas, Allen, Duggan, Supernaw, Kerr,
Saro, Uranga, Austin, Ricks-Oddie.

Noes: Councilmembers: None.

Absent: Councilmembers: None.

Recusal(s): Councilmembers: None.



City Clerk

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