

RESOLUTION NO. RES-18-0072

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF LONG BEACH APPROVING PARTICIPATION IN
THE INSTITUTE FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S BEACON
PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach is undertaking policies, programs and activities to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, save energy and promote sustainability; and

WHEREAS, these policies, programs and activities conserve natural resources, save energy and money, and promote sustainable land use and transportation planning in the community; and

WHEREAS, cities and counties statewide are leading by example by adopting innovative sustainability programs and policies, including working with community residents, business groups and others; and

WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach wishes to expand these activities, share its experiences with other communities, and be recognized for its accomplishments; and

WHEREAS, the Beacon Program is a voluntary program of the Institute for Local Government, the non-profit research and education affiliate of the California State Association of Counties and the League of California Cities; and

WHEREAS, the Beacon Program recognizes and celebrates achievements of cities and counties that reduce greenhouse gas emissions and save energy; and

WHEREAS, participating in the Beacon Program is an opportunity for the City of Long Beach to be recognized for its efforts to promote sustainability, reduce greenhouse gas emissions and save energy;

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

3 Section 1. The City of Long Beach agrees to participate in the Beacon
4 Program administered by the Institute for Local Governments.

5 Section 2. The City of Long Beach will work towards achieving Spotlight
6 Award levels in its journey to be a more sustainable city.

7 Section 3. The Sustainability Coordinator is designated as the City's
8 representative for the Beacon Program.

9 Section 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption
10 by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

11 I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City
12 Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of May 22, 2018
13 b by the following vote:

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15 Ayes: Councilmembers: Gonzalez, Pearce, Price, Supernaw,
16 Mungo, Andrews, Uranga, Austin,
17 Richardson.

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19 Noes: Councilmembers: None.

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21 Absent: Councilmembers: None.

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