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RESOLUTION NO. RES-22-0034

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3 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
4 CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING THE CITY
5 MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT WITH THE
6 CONSERVATION CORPS OF LONG BEACH, WITHOUT
7 ADVERTISING FOR BIDS, TO PROVIDE PUBLIC SERVICE
8 CONSERVATION WORK FOR YOUTH ON CITY OF LONG
9 BEACH PROPERTY IN A TOTAL ANNUAL AMOUNT NOT
10 TO EXCEED \$4,000,000, FOR A PERIOD OF FIVE YEARS,
11 WITH THE OPTION TO RENEW FOR ONE ADDITIONAL
12 FIVE-YEAR PERIOD AT THE DISCRETION OF THE CITY
13 MANAGER
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15 WHEREAS, the Conservation Corps of Long Beach (CCLB) provides job
16 training, on-the-job training, and environmental education to youth through various
17 conservation and improvement projects; and

18 WHEREAS, the CCLB mission is "to raise self-esteem, develop basic work
19 skills, work ethics, education and promote teamwork for Long Beach area at-risk youth
20 through a combination of work, conservation, and education programs; and

21 WHEREAS, for more than thirty years, the CCLB has hired more than 12,000
22 at-risk youth to work on projects for local cities, county agencies, and nonprofit
23 organizations in the greater Long Beach area; and

24 WHEREAS, the CCLB recruits and employs 18- to 25-year-old adults and
25 trains them to carry out job duties to complete a variety of CCLB projects, primarily in
26 habitat and park restoration and recycling; and

27 WHEREAS, as a state certified conservation corp., the CCLB undergoes a
28 yearly certification process by meeting statutory criteria defining the elements of a

1 "Community Conservation Corp" outlined in Public Resource Code section 14507.5.
2 Annual certification by the State of California recognizes that CCLB is operating according
3 to mandatory statutes and fulfilling the mission of what it means to be a conservation corps
4 program which includes working to preserve and protect the environment while also
5 providing service and skill-building opportunities for young adults; and

6 WHEREAS, on March 6, 2012 City Council entered into an agreement with
7 the CCLB to provide public service conservation work for youth on City of Long Beach
8 property for a term of five years, with one, five-year renewal option. The agreement was
9 renewed and extended until March 31, 2022; and

10 WHEREAS, there is no other vendor in the City that provides this type of
11 service to the community at the scale and professionalism that CCLB offers; and

12 WHEREAS, as such, no useful purpose would be served by advertising for
13 bids and to do so would constitute an idle and useless act and an unnecessary expenditure
14 of public funds;

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

17 Section 1. The City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into a contract,
18 without advertising for bids, with the Conservation Corps of Long Beach, to provide public
19 service conservation work for youth on City of Long Beach property in a total annual
20 amount not to exceed Four Million Dollars (\$4,000,000), for a period of five (5) years, with
21 the option to renew for one (1) additional five-year period at the discretion of the City
22 Manager.

23 Section 2. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption
24 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 February 15, 2022
by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers: Zendejas, Allen, Price, Supernaw,
Mungo, Saro, Uranga, Austin,
Richardson.

Noes: Councilmembers: None.

Absent: Councilmembers: None.

Recusal(s): Councilmembers: None.



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