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## **RESOLUTION NO. RES-08-0005**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT WITH SUNCAL PRECISION CONCRETE, INC., WITHOUT ADVERTISING FOR BIDS, FOR SIDEWALK TRIP HAZARD REPAIR IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$200,000

WHEREAS, the City recently conducted a pilot program to saw cut and remove the elevated edge of displaced concrete sidewalk panels in lieu of temporary asphalt patches typically installed by City crews; and

WHEREAS, the pilot program, conducted in District 5, was performed by Suncal Precision Concrete, Inc. ("SPC") using a patented system that is unique with no equivalent on the market today; and

WHEREAS, following the pilot program, a blanket purchase order was issued to SPC for \$85,000 to perform additional work in Districts 3, 5 and 8 but is now exhausted due to the program's popularity; and

WHEREAS, because SPC is the only company capable of providing the unique saw cutting process, a competitive bid process is not possible; 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;

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 Suncal Precision Concrete, Inc. for sidewalk trip hazard repair in a sum not to exceed \$200,000.

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1	Section	on 2. This Resolution s	hall take effect immediately on its adoption
2	by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this Resolution.		
3	I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted by the City		
4	Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting on		
5	following vote:		
6	Ayes:	Councilmembers:	B. Lowenthal, S. Lowenthal, DeLong,
7			O'Donnell, Schipske, Andrews,
8			Reyes Uranga, Gabelich, Lerch.
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10	Noes:	Councilmembers:	None.
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12	Absent:	Councilmembers:	None.
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