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1 RESOLUTION NO. RES-13-0061

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3 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
4 CITY OF LONG BEACH LIMITING IMPLEMENTATION OF
5 THE ALCOHOL NUISANCE ABATEMENT ORDINANCE TO
6 SPECIFIED AREAS OF THE CITY

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8 WHEREAS, concurrently with the adoption of this Resolution, the City
9 Council has approved and adopted an "Alcohol Nuisance Abatement Ordinance" (ANAO)
10 by adding Chapter 21.57 to the Municipal Code of the City of Long Beach;

11 WHEREAS, the purpose of adopting the ANAO is, in part, to curtail
12 nuisance and criminal activities such as drug dealing, public drunkenness, loitering and
13 other behaviors that negatively impact neighborhoods and which occur with
14 disproportionate frequency at and around the premises of liquor stores offering the off-
15 site sale of alcohol;

16 WHEREAS, staff has recommended that the initial implementation of the
17 ANAO should commence in the Eighth and Ninth Council Districts. Said
18 recommendation is based upon the fact that these districts: 1) have a significantly higher
19 ratio of liquor stores that are not currently regulated by the Conditional Use Permit (CUP)
20 process because many were established prior to the requirement to obtain a CUP; 2)
21 that many of these liquor stores are located in densely populated residential areas which
22 too often has proven a catalyst for the types of nuisance related behaviors as described
23 above; and 3) that the residents and business owners located in the 8th and 9th Council
24 Districts have been extremely vocal in bringing this issue to the City Council for its
25 review, attention and consideration.

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

28 Section 1. The City Council authorizes limited implementation of the

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1 Alcohol Nuisance Abatement Ordinance to begin in the Eighth and Ninth Council Districts
2 in the areas north of Del Amo Boulevard, and east, west and north to the City boundaries
3 as reflected in the Map attached hereto as Exhibit A.

4 Section 2. That should this program and regulations prove effective in
5 reducing or eliminating nuisance related behaviors associated with liquor stores and the
6 off-site sale of alcohol, then the City Council may, in its discretion, expand application of
7 the subject ANAO to other areas of the City as necessary and in accordance with
8 established procedures.

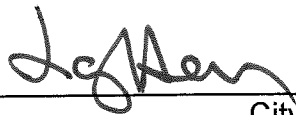
9 Section 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption
10 by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

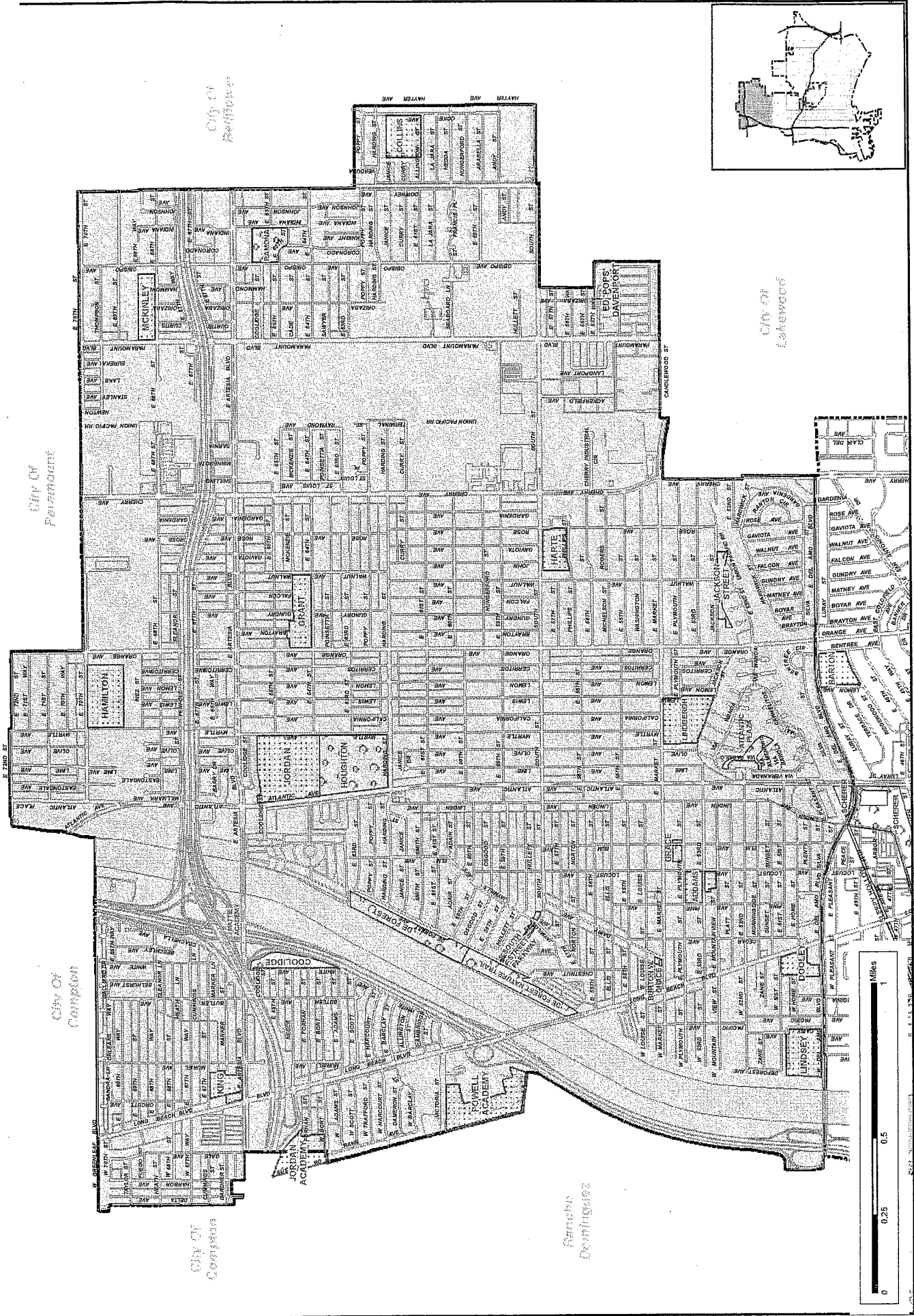
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12 I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City
13 Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of August 6, 2013, by the
14 following vote:

15 Ayes: Councilmembers: Garcia, Lowenthal, DeLong, Schipske,
16 Andrews, Johnson, Austin, Neal.

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19 Noes: Councilmembers: None.

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21 Absent: Councilmembers: O'Donne11.

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27 City Clerk
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Alcohol Nuisance Abatement Ordinance: Initial Implementation