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A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LONG BEACH ENTITLED THE "LONG BEACH VALUES ACT OF 2017" TO SUPPORT SENATE BILL 54 (DE LEÓN) AND AFFIRM COMMITMENT TO THE CALIFORNIA TRUST ACT

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 54 (De León), also known as the California Values Act, anticipated to be enacted into law, would place limitations on state and local law enforcement communications and coordination with federal immigration authorities, providing an expansive protection to California's undocumented population; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 54 would further prohibit law enforcement from inquiring about an individual's immigration status, and from entering into agreements authorized by federal law to delegate immigration powers to local agencies and to designate local law enforcement officers as immigration officers pursuant to federal law, among other prohibitions; and

WHEREAS, on January 1, 2014, the California TRUST Act (AB 4 - Ammiano) went into effect, prohibiting law enforcement from detaining an individual on the basis of a United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement hold after that individual becomes eligible for release from custody, unless, at the time that the individual becomes eligible for release from custody, certain conditions are met, including, among other things, that the individual has been convicted of specified crimes; and

WHEREAS, the City of Long Beach is a vibrant, multi-cultural city with its identity linked to the hard work, entrepreneurship, and diversity of its immigrant communities and American-born residents; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 54 and the California Trust Act are consistent with

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the City of Long Beach's values and commitment to its residents and visitors of all 1 2 backgrounds; thus, the City wishes to support Senate Bill 54 (De León) and show its 3 commitment to this proposed law in anticipation of its enactment, in addition to affirming 4 its commitment to the California TRUST Act; and WHEREAS, at its September 19, 2017, meeting, the City Council directed 5 staff to bring back this Resolution entitled the "Long Beach Values Act of 2017," and this 6 7 Resolution implements the direction provided; 8 NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Long Beach resolves as follows: 9 10 Section 1. The City Council of the City of Long Beach declares support for 11 Senate Bill 54 (De León) and its commitment to this proposed law in anticipation of its 12 enactment. 13 Section 2. The City Council of the City of Long Beach affirms its 14 commitment to the California Trust Act. 15 Section 3. This Resolution shall be entitled the "Long Beach Values Act of 2017". 16 17 /// III18 /// 19 20 /// 21 /// 22 /// 23 /// 24 /// 25 /// 26 /// 27 111