RESOLUTION NO. 2023-04

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ENCINITAS APPROVING THE MODAL ALTERNATIVES PROJECT (MAP ENCINITAS), AN IMPLEMENTATION PLAN THE ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN

WHEREAS, the City of Encinitas Active Transportation Plan (ATP), which was adopted in 2018, established a planned network of biking and walking facilities throughout the City. An implementation plan prioritizing the projects and identifying funding opportunities was not part of the original ATP due to funding limitations;

WHEREAS, in 2020, the City of Encinitas successfully applied for and received funding for the development of an implementation plan, the Modal Alternatives Project (MAP Encinitas), through the Caltrans Sustainable Communities Grant;

WHEREAS, MAP Encinitas provides the City of Encinitas with a prioritized list of bicycle and pedestrian projects that reflects the community's desires and values, including conceptual plans and cost estimates for the Top 35 projects; and

WHEREAS, public outreach, including an online survey and two (2) community workshops, was integral to the development of the MAP Encinitas prioritization criteria and methodology.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Encinitas resolves as follows:

SECTION 1. That the above recitations are true and correct.

SECTION 2. Pursuant to Section 15060(c)(2) of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines, the proposed activity is not subject to CEQA because approval of the MAP Encinitas, in and of itself, will not result in a direct or reasonably foreseeable indirect physical change in the environment. All projects prioritized in the plan are already part of the adopted Active Transportation Plan. Any future projects resulting from the plan will require compliance with CEQA prior to any decision by the Planning Commission and/or City Council.

SECTION 3: That this Resolution approves the MAP Encinitas and shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Encinitas, California, held on the 8th day of February 2023, by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Blackwell, Ehlers, Hinze, Kranz, Lyndes

NOES: None ABSENT: None ABSTAIN: None

APPROVED:

Tony Kranz, Mayor

Kathy Hollywood

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Kathy Hollywood, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Tarquin Preziosi

Tarquin Preziosi, City Attorney

CERTIFICATION

I, Kathy Hollywood, City Clerk of the City of Encinitas, California, do hereby certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council on this 8th day of February, 2023 by the following vote:

AYES: Blackwell, Ehlers, Hinze, Kranz, Lyndes

NOES: None ABSENT: None ABSTAIN: None

DocuSigned by:

Kathy Hollywood

Kathy Hollywood, City Clerk