

RESOLUTION NO. 16-0084

A RESOLUTION OF THE MANHATTAN BEACH CITY COUNCIL APPROVING A COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH AND THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ACTING BY AND THROUGH ITS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, "CALTRANS" TO CONSTRUCT THE SEPULVEDA BRIDGE WIDENING PROJECT

THE MANHATTAN BEACH CITY COUNCIL DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

WHEREAS, the State of California, Department of Transportation (Caltrans) and the City of Manhattan Beach (City) propose to enter into a Cooperative Agreement (Agreement) to provide for and concerning the construction of the Sepulveda Bridge Widening Project (Project); and

WHEREAS, the Project is of general interest to Manhattan Beach and Caltrans; and

WHEREAS, the Project will widen the east side of the Sepulveda Bridge located on State Highway 1 between Rosecrans and 33rd Avenue in the City and will provide a fourth, northbound thru lane, thereby eliminating the "pinch point" and relieving the bottleneck created at that pinch point. The Project will also improve the alignment of the roadway and safety conditions around the bridge, which includes eliminating the northbound turn lane at Valley Drive, and all other work necessary to complete the improvements; and

WHEREAS, the Project will result in several benefits, including seismic and safety enhancements, traffic flow improvements, reduced commuter impact on surrounding streets and beautification of both the upper and lower areas of the bridge; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement defines the roles and responsibilities each party holds during Project construction. A fully-executed Agreement is required before Caltrans will issue any permits for construction; and

WHEREAS, the Agreement between Caltrans and the City has no financial implications to the City; and

WHEREAS, this Agreement is authorized and provided for by the provisions of Sections 113, 114, 115, and 116 of the California Streets and Highways Code.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANHATTAN BEACH, CALIFORNIA:

SECTION 1. The Cooperative Agreement between the City and Caltrans concerning the construction of the Sepulveda Bridge Widening Project is hereby approved.

SECTION 2. The City Manager is directed to execute the Cooperative Agreement, substantially in the form attached to the agenda report that accompanied this resolution, on behalf of the City of Manhattan Beach, and is authorized to take all other actions necessary to implement the Cooperation Agreement.

SECTION 3. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this Resolution and thenceforth and thereafter the same shall be in full force and effect.

PASSED, APPROVED, and ADOPTED December 20, 2016.

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Abstain:

Tony D'Errico
Mayor

ATTEST:

LIZA TAMURA
City Clerk