## RESOLUTION NO. RES-16-0125

A RESOLUTION ORDERING THE VACATION OF THE BELMONT DRIVE ALLEY, LOCATED ADJACENT TO 4100 EAST OCEAN BOULEVARD, BETWEEN OCEAN BOULEVARD AND OLYMPIC PLAZA DRIVE, IN THE CITY OF LONG BEACH, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Long Beach, did heretofore, on November 15, 2016, by Resolution No. RES-16-0113, declare its intention to order the vacation, pursuant to the provisions of the Public Streets, Highways, and Service Easements Vacation Law (California Streets and Highways Code, Section 8300 *et seq.*), the Belmont Drive Alley, located adjacent to 4100 East Ocean Boulevard, between Ocean Boulevard and Olympic Plaza Drive, in the City of Long Beach, County of Los Angeles, State of California, described more particularly as follows:

THAT CERTAIN 15 FEET WIDE ALLEY IN BLOCK 37 OF THE RESUBDIVISION OF PART OF THE ALAMITOS BAY TOWNSITE, IN THE CITY OF LONG BEACH, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AS PER MAP RECORDED IN BOOK 4, PAGES 75 AND 76 OF MAPS, IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY, BOUNDED AS FOLLOW:

ON THE NORTHEAST BY SOUTHWESTERLY LINE OF OCEAN BOULEVARD, FORMERLY BAY LANE; ON THE SOUTH BY THE NORTH LINE OF OLYMPIC PLAZA, FORMERLY ALLIN STREET; AND ABUTTING LOTS 4, 5, 6, 7 AND 8 IN SAID BLOCK 37 OF THE RESUBDIVISION OF PART OF THE ALAMITOS BAY TOWNSITE, AS PER MAP RECORDED IN BOOK 4, PAGES 75 AND 76 OF MAPS, AND

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ALSO ABUTTING LOT 2 OF TRACT NO. 10268, RECORDED IN BOOK 176, PAGES 28 AND 29 OF MAPS, BOTH IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY RECORDER OF SAID COUNTY.

CONTAINING AN AREA OF 1920 SQUARE FEET, MORE OR LESS.

RESERVING UNTO THE CITY OF LONG BEACH, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS A PERPETUAL EASEMENT AND RIGHT-OF-WAY FOR EMERGENCY ACCESS. AND A PERPETUAL EASEMENT AND RIGHT OF WAY, AT ANY TIME OR FROM TIME TO TIME, TO LAY, CONSTRUCT, MAINTAIN, OPERATE, REPAIR, RENEW, REPLACE, CHANGE THE SIZE OF AND REMOVE THE EXISTING UTILITY LINES, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, SANITARY, SEWERS, STORM DRAINS AND APPURTENANT STRUCTURES, TOGETHER WITH ALL NECESSARY GATES, VALVES, FITTINGS, HYDRANTS AND APPURTENANCES FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF WATER AND GAS. WITH THE RIGHT OF INGRESS TO AND EGRESS FROM THE SAME, OVER, THROUGH, UNDER, ALONG AND ACROSS THAT CERTAIN PROPERTY VACATED HEREWITH; AND PURSUANT TO ANY EXISTING FRANCHISES OR RENEWALS THEREOF, OR OTHERWISE, TO CONSTRUCT, MAINTAIN, OPERATE, REPLACE. REMOVE, RENEW AND ENLARGE LINES OF CONDUITS, CABLES, WIRES, POLES AND OTHER CONVENIENT STRUCTURES, EQUIPMENT AND FIXTURES FOR THE OPERATION OF TELEPHONE LINES AND OTHER COMMUNICATION LINES, AND FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OR DISTRIBUTION OF ELECTRIC ENERGY, AND INCIDENTAL PURPOSES INCLUDING ACCESS AND THE RIGHT TO KEEP THE PROPERTY FREE FROM INFLAMMABLE MATERIALS, AND WOOD GROWTH, AND OTHERWISE PROTECT THE SAME FROM ALL

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HAZARDS IN, UPON AND OVER THE PART VACATED. ACCESS FOR MAINTENANCE OF THE ABOVE-MENTIONED FACILITIES MUST BE MAINTAINED AT ALL TIMES. NO IMPROVEMENTS SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED WITHIN THE EASEMENT WHICH WOULD IMPEDE THE OPERATION, MAINTENANCE OR REPAIR OF SAID FACILITIES. CONSTRUCTION OF ANY IMPROVEMENTS, INCLUDING CHANGES OF GRADE, SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE PRIOR WRITTEN APPROVAL OF ALL THE CITY DEPARTMENTS AND PUBLIC UTILITIES RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ABOVE SAID FACILITIES.

WHEREAS, the City Council did, at said time, fix Tuesday, November 15. 2016, at the hour of 5:00 p.m., as the time and the City Council Chamber, Plaza Level of the City Hall, 333 West Ocean Boulevard, in the City of Long Beach, California, as the place for hearing for all persons interested in or objecting to the proposed vacation to appear and be heard; and

WHEREAS, notice of the resolution of the intention to vacate, stating the time and place of said hearing, was duly posted in the manner prescribed by law; and

WHEREAS, said hearing was called and held before the City Council at the time and place so fixed and evidence taken and received on the matter of said proposed vacation, and the City Council, upon said evidence, now makes those findings of fact set forth in said Exhibit "B", attached hereto and by this reference made a part hereof;

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

Section 1. Pursuant to the foregoing resolution of intention, the proceedings had thereunder, Vacation Sketch No. 1020 showing the Belmont Drive Alley, located adjacent to 4100 East Ocean Boulevard, between Ocean Boulevard and Olympic Plaza Drive to be vacated by the City of Long Beach attached hereto as Exhibit "A", and the City Council Findings attached hereto as Exhibit "B", said City Council of the City of Long Beach hereby makes its resolution vacating and closing the street hereinabove

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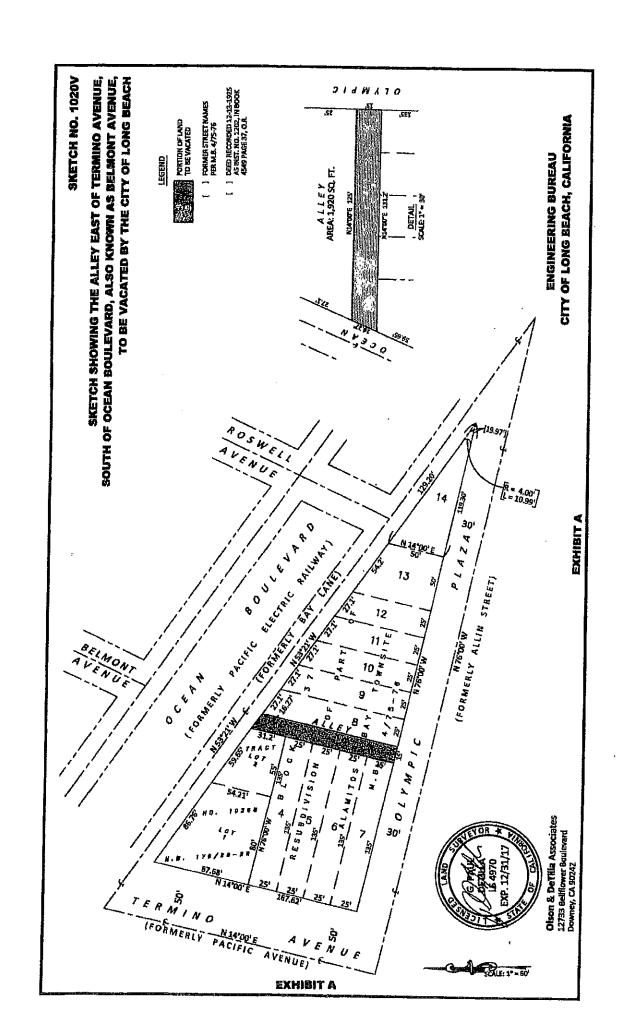
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3	adoption by the City Council, and the City Clerk is hereby instructed to certify to the				
4	adoption thereof, and to cause a certified copy to be recorded in the Office of the County				
5	Recorder of the County of Los Angeles, California.				
6	I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the City				
7	Council of the City of Long Beach at its meeting of				
8	by the following vote:				
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10	Ayes:	Coun	cilmembers:	Gonzalez, Price, Supernaw,	
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# CITY OF LONG BEACH

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS** 

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November 15, 2016

HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL City of Long Beach California

#### RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt a Resolution of Intention to vacate the Belmont Drive alley located adjacent to 4100 East Ocean Boulevard, between Ocean Boulevard and Olympic Plaza Drive; set the date of December 13, 2016 for the public hearing on the vacation; and,

Accept Categorical Exemption 16-022. (District 3)

#### DISCUSSION

The business and property owner at 4100 East Ocean Boulevard requests to vacate the Belmont Drive alley between Ocean Boulevard and Olympic Plaza Drive (Exhibit A) for outdoor fitness activities and a private passageway for the business. An easement will be reserved for the existing utility lines that will remain in the vacated alley.

Proceedings for this vacation are being conducted in accordance with Chapter 3, General Vacation Procedure, of the Public Streets, Highways and Service Easements Vacation Law of the California Streets and Highways Code. Findings must establish that the subject right-of-way is unnecessary for present or prospective public use. Public Works supports this vacation action based on finding that the alley is not needed for the adjacent property owner's vehicular access, although the adjacent property/business owner has submitted a petition against the right-of-way vacation stating needed use of the alley for refuse pickup. Public Works staff is working with the vacation requestor and petitioner to identify an alternative refuse pickup location.

On July 21, 2016, the Planning Commission determined the subject vacation action is consistent with the General Plan (Exhibit B). In conformance with the California Environmental Quality Act, Categorical Exemption Number 16-022 was issued for this project (Exhibit C).

The interested City departments, including Traffic Engineering, Fire and Police have reviewed the proposed right-of-way vacation and have no objections to this action.

A public hearing on this matter is to be held on December 13, 2016, and will allow all persons interested in, or objecting to, the proposed vacation to appear and be heard. At that time, the City Council will deliberate and take action on the proposed vacation.

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This matter was reviewed by Deputy City Attorney Linda T. Vu on October 27, 2016 and by Budget Analysis Officer Julissa José-Murray on October 26, 2016.

## TIMING CONSIDERATIONS

City Council action is requested on November 15, 2016, to set a hearing date on this matter for December 13, 2016.

#### FISCAL IMPACT

A tentative vacation processing fee of \$7,991 was deposited to the General Fund (GF) in the Public Works Department (PW). There is no local job impact associated with this recommendation.

### SUGGESTED ACTION:

Approve recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

CRÁIG A. BECK

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS

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APPROVED:

CITY MANAGER

ATTACHMENTS: - EXHIBIT A- VACATION SKETCH NO.1020V

- EXHIBIT B- PLANNING COMMISSION FINDINGS STAFF REPORT

- EXHIBIT C- CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT REPORT

- RESOLUTION