

RESOLUTION NO. 2009-239

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

April 21, 2009

ADOPTING THE NEGATIVE DECLARATION ADDENDUM FOR THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO PARKS AND RECREATION MASTER PLAN 2005-2010 TECHNICAL UPDATE

BACKGROUND

- A. On April 21, 2009, the City Council received and considered evidence concerning the City of Sacramento Parks and Recreation Master Plan 2005-2010 Technical Update.

BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The City Council finds as follows:

- A. On December 7, 2004, pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (Public Resources Code §21000 *et seq.* ("CEQA"), the CEQA Guidelines (14 California Code of Regulations §15000 *et seq.*), and the City of Sacramento environmental guidelines, the City Council adopted a negative declaration (ND) and approved the City of Sacramento Parks and Recreation Master Plan 2005-2010 (Master Plan).
- B. The City of Sacramento Parks and Recreation Master Plan 2005-2010 Technical Update (Technical Update) proposes to modify the previously approved Master Plan to respond to organizational changes, new or revised department policies, the City's recent adoption of the *Sacramento 2030 General Plan*, and an increase in the number of new parks and amenities in existing parks.
- C. The initial study on the Technical Update determined that the proposed changes to the original Master Plan did not require the preparation of a subsequent environmental impact report or negative declaration. An addendum to the previously adopted ND was then prepared to address the modification to the Master Plan.

Section 2. The City Council has reviewed and considered the information contained in the previously adopted ND for the Master Plan, the addendum, and all oral and documentary evidence received during its consideration of the Technical Update. The City Council had determined that the previously adopted ND and the addendum constitute an adequate, accurate, objective, and complete review of the proposed Technical Update and finds that no additional environmental review is required based on the reasons set forth below:

- A. No substantial changes are proposed by the Technical Update that will require major revisions of the previously adopted ND due to the involvement of new significant environmental effects or a substantial increase in the severity of previously identified significant effects;
- B. No substantial changes have occurred with respect to the circumstances under which the Technical Update will be undertaken which will require major revisions to the previously adopted ND due to the involvement of new significant environmental effects or a substantial increase in the severity of previously identified significant effects;
- C. No new information of substantial importance has been found that shows any of the following:
 - 1. The Technical Update will have one or more significant effects not discussed in the previously adopted ND;
 - 2. Significant effects previously examined will be substantially more severe than shown in the previously adopted ND.

Section 3. Based on its review of the previously adopted ND for the Master Plan, the addendum, and all oral and documentary evidence received during its consideration of the Technical Update, the City Council finds that the ND and addendum reflect the City Council's independent judgment and analysis and adopts the ND and the addendum for the Technical Update and readopts the findings of fact in support of the ND.

Section 4. Upon approval of the Technical Update, the City's Environmental Planning Services shall file or cause to be filed a Notice of Determination with the Sacramento County Clerk pursuant to section 21152(a) of the Public Resources Code and the State EIR Guidelines adopted pursuant thereto.

Section 5. Pursuant to Guidelines section 15091(e), the documents and other materials that constitute the record of proceedings upon which the City Council has based its decision are located in and may be obtained from, the Office of the City Clerk at 915 I Street, Sacramento, California. The City Clerk is the custodian of records for all matters before the City Council.

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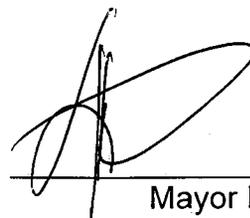
Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on April 21, 2009 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers Cohn, Fong, Hammond, McCarty, Pannell, Sheedy,
Tretheway, Waters, and Mayor Johnson.

Noes: None.

Abstain: None.

Absent: None.



Mayor Kevin Johnson

Attest:


Shirley Concolino, City Clerk

Exhibit A

The *Addendum to the City of Sacramento Parks and Recreation Master Plan 2005-2010 Negative Declaration* document is available on the City of Sacramento's website: http://www.cityofsacramento.org/webtech/streaming_video/live_council_meetings.htm under Future and Archived Meetings and is on file in hard copy in the Office of the City Clerk at 915 I Street, Historic Building, First Floor.