

## **RESOLUTION NO. 2009-453**

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

July 14, 2009

### **GRANT: APPROVAL OF MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENTS (MOAs) FOR PARTICIPATION IN CALIFORNIA TASK FORCE SEVEN (CA TF-7), URBAN SEARCH AND RESCUE (US&R) TASK FORCE**

#### **BACKGROUND**

- A. The City of Sacramento Fire Department has been the sponsoring agency for CA TF-7, US&R task force since the inception of the Federal Urban Search & Rescue program in the early 1990's. CA TF-7 has responded for emergency assistance to the bombing of the Federal Murrah building in Oklahoma City, the terrorist attack of the World Trade Center in New York, to the Gulf Coast in the aftermath of Hurricane Katrina and various other events.
- B. Each year the City of Sacramento Fire Department, as the sponsoring agency, must submit an application for annual funding to receive monies to support the administrative requirements, training, equipment maintenance and/or purchases in order to ensure Task Force readiness.
- C. The Urban Search & Rescue Task Force, sponsored by the City of Sacramento, consists of personnel from the City of Sacramento Fire Department and other participating agencies. The Sacramento Fire Department, representing the City as the sponsoring agency, is responsible for maintaining adequate personnel on the US&R task force. Other agencies and individuals are essential to accomplishing the task force goals including maintaining the specialized equipment cache, training task force personnel, and mobilizing the task force upon activation.
- D. Current Memorandum of Agreements for seven Participating Agencies and five affiliated personnel, have been in processed over the last several months. The last update of CA TF-7's Memorandum of Agreement with participating agencies was in 1992.

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

- Section 1. The City Manager, or his designee, is authorized to execute the Memorandum of Agreement with Kaiser Permanente.

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Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on July 14, 2009 by the following vote:

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

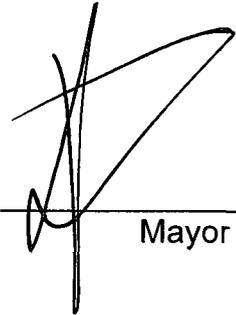
Noes: None.

Abstain: None.

Absent: None.

Attest:

  
Dawn Bullwinkel, Assistant City Clerk

  
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Mayor Kevin Johnson

## **EXHIBIT A**

Listing of documents available for review on the City's website and on file with the City Clerk's Office:

- Memorandum of Agreement between the City of Sacramento (Sacramento Fire Department) as the Sponsoring Agency of the California Task Force Seven of the National Urban Search and Rescue Response System and Kaiser Permanente as a Participating Agency of the Task Force.