

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN JOSE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACCEPT AN AWARD OF PARTNERSHIP GRANT FUNDS UNDER THE SANTA CLARA VALLEY WATER DISTRICT SAFE, CLEAN WATER AND NATURAL FLOOD PROTECTION PROGRAM AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT TO EFFECTUATE SANTA CLARA VALLEY WATER DISTRICT AWARD OF FUNDS TO THE CITY

WHEREAS, in November 2012, the voters of Santa Clara County approved Measure B, a parcel tax with proceeds funding the Santa Clara Valley Water District Safe, Clean Water and Natural Flood Protection Program (“Program”); and

WHEREAS, the Program supports efforts to protect the water supply, wildlife habitat, creek restoration, and open space; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Jose (“City”) and the Santa Clara Valley Water District (“Water District”) are working together to protect vulnerable communities within the Coyote Creek watershed by removing non-native, invasive vegetation from sensitive areas, which is vital for the health of the ecosystem within the Coyote Creek watershed and will provide increased flow conveyance within Coyote Creek; and

WHEREAS, the City submitted a partnership project proposal to the Water District for funds needed to identify and remove invasive species and provide ongoing outreach to the surrounding communities about revitalizing areas by planting native vegetation; and

WHEREAS, the Water District has granted the City a maximum of \$200,000 per year for five years for a total of \$1,000,000 in partnership funding;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN JOSE THAT:

The City Manager is hereby authorized to:

1. Accept an award of partnership grant funds under the Santa Clara Valley Water District Safe, Clean Water and Natural Flood Protection Program.
2. Execute a partnership agreement to effectuate Santa Clara Valley Water District award of funds to the City.

ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2018, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

DISQUALIFIED:

SAM LICCARDO
Mayor

ATTEST:

TONI J. TABER, CMC
City Clerk