

GARDEN GROVE CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 9258-14

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDEN GROVE
ADOPTING A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION FOR GARDEN GROVE
MUNICIPAL CODE AMENDMENT FOR CONVERSION OF RELOCATED BILLBOARDS
WITHIN SR-22 FREEWAY CORRIDOR TO ELECTRONIC BILLBOARDS AND
RELOCATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF ELECTRONIC BILLBOARD AT 11615
CARDINAL CIRCLE, GARDEN GROVE

WHEREAS, the City of Garden Grove has received an application for (1) Code Amendment No. A-011-2014 to amend Section 9.20.110 (Billboards) of Chapter 20 of Title 9 of the Garden Grove Municipal Code to allow existing billboards that are proposed to be relocated along the Garden Grove (22) Freeway Corridor to be converted to electronic billboards; (2) Site Plan No. SP-12-2014 for a billboard relocation in accordance with Garden Grove Municipal Code Section 9.20.110 to land located at west end of the Cardinal Circle cul-de-sac, west of Harbor Boulevard, along the south side of the Garden Grove (22) Freeway, at 11615 Cardinal Circle, Assessor's Parcel No. 100-122-01; and (3) approval of a Relocation Agreement pursuant to Business and Professions Code Section 5412 pertaining to the removal of three existing billboard structures within the city and the erection and maintenance of the relocated electronic billboard pursuant to Site Plan No. SP-12-2014 (collectively referred to herein as the "Project");

WHEREAS, pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act, California Public Resources Code Section 21000 et seq. ("CEQA") and CEQA's implementing guidelines, California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Section 15000 et seq., an initial study was prepared and it has been determined that the proposed Project qualifies for a Mitigated Negative Declaration because the proposed Project with the proposed mitigation measures cannot, or will not, have a significant effect on the environment;

WHEREAS, the Mitigated Negative Declaration was prepared and circulated in accordance with CEQA and CEQA's implementing guidelines;

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission of the City of Garden Grove held a duly noticed Public Hearing on September 18, 2014 and considered all oral and written testimony presented regarding the initial study, the Mitigated Negative Declaration, and the Project;

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission of the City of Garden Grove recommended approval of the Mitigated Negative Declaration and the Project during its meeting on September 18, 2014;

WHEREAS, a duly noticed Public Hearing was held by the City Council on October 14, 2014, and all interested persons were given an opportunity to be heard; and

WHEREAS, the City Council gave due and careful consideration to the matter during its meeting of October 14, 2014.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, FOUND, AND DETERMINED by the City Council of the City of Garden Grove of as follows:

1. The City Council of the City of Garden Grove has considered the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration, together with comments received during the public review process.

2. The City Council of the City of Garden Grove finds on the basis of the whole record before it, including the initial study and comments received, that there is no substantial evidence that the Project will have a significant effect on the environment.

3. The City Council further finds that the adoption of the Mitigated Negative Declaration reflects the City Council's independent judgment and analysis.

4. Therefore, the City Council of the City of Garden Grove, in regular session assembled on October 14, 2014, does hereby adopt the Mitigated Negative Declaration.

5. The record of proceedings on which the City Council of the City of Garden Grove's decision is based is located at the City of Garden Grove, 11222 Acacia Parkway, Garden Grove, California. The custodian of record of proceedings is the Director of Community Development.

Adopted this 14th day of October 2014.

ATTEST:

/s/ KATHLEEN BAILOR, CMC
CITY CLERK

/s/ BRUCE A. BROADWATER
MAYOR

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF ORANGE) SS:
CITY OF GARDEN GROVE)

I, KATHLEEN BAILOR, City Clerk of the City of Garden Grove, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Garden Grove, California, at a meeting held on the 14th day of October 2014, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: (5) BEARD, JONES, NGUYEN, PHAN, BROADWATER
NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: (0) NONE
ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS: (0) NONE

/s/ KATHLEEN BAILOR, CMC
CITY CLERK