## GARDEN GROVE CITY COUNCIL

## RESOLUTION NO. 9262-14

## A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDEN GROVE ADOPTING A NEGATIVE DECLARATION FOR THE HARBOR BOULEVARD IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT, US DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE – ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION (EDA) GRANT AWARD NO. 07-79-06911, AND THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA) GRANT AWARD NO. XP-00T10201 - PROJECT NO. 7246

WHEREAS, the City of Garden Grove has proposed the "Harbor Boulevard Improvements Project" which includes street improvements along Harbor Boulevard from Garden Grove Boulevard north to Chapman Avenue, and storm drain improvements extending east from the intersection of Harbor Boulevard and Twintree Lane to include portions of Twintree Lane, Choisser Road, Greentree Avenue, and Bangor Street (the "Project");

WHEREAS, pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA"), the City is the lead agency for the Project;

WHEREAS, LSA Associates, Inc., prepared an Initial Study to assess the Project's potential environmental impacts, and, based on the Initial Study, a Negative Declaration was prepared;

WHEREAS, a Notice of Intent (NOI) to adopt a Negative Declaration for the Project was posted by the Orange County Clerk Recorder on May 5, 2014;

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

WHEREAS, the City Council has considered the Initial Study and Negative Declaration together with information and testimony presented by City staff, the public, and other interested parties at a public meeting held on November 11, 2014.

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

1. The foregoing recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by reference.

2. On the basis of the whole record, including the Initial Study, Negative Declaration, and comments received, there is no substantial evidence that the Project will have a significant effect on the environment.

3. The Negative Declaration reflects the City's independent judgment and analysis.

4. Therefore, the City Council of the City of Garden Grove in regular session assembled on November 11, 2014, does hereby adopt the Negative Declaration.

5. The record of the proceedings on which the City's decision is based is located at the City Clerk's Office, Garden Grove City Hall, 11222 Acacia Parkway, Garden Grove, California, 92840. The custodian of record of proceedings is the Director of Public Works.

Adopted this 11<sup>th</sup> day of November 2014.

ATTEST:

<u>/s/ BRUCE A. BROADWATER</u> MAYOR

<u>/s/ KATHLEEN BAILOR, CMC</u> CITY CLERK

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 11<sup>th</sup> day of November 2014, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS:

(5) BEARD, JONES, NGUYEN, PHAN, BROADWATER(0) NONE

(0) NONE

<u>/s/ KATHLEEN BAILOR, CMC</u> CITY CLERK