

RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA BARBARA FOR FUNDING FROM THE URBAN FORESTRY GRANT PROGRAM ENTITLED, "AN URBAN FOREST FOR EVERY CITY", AS PROVIDED THROUGH PROPOSITION 40 AND/OR PROPOSITION 84.

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of California in cooperation with the California State Legislature has enacted Propositions 40 and 84, which provide funds to the State of California and its political subdivisions for urban forestry programs;

WHEREAS, the State Department of Forestry and Fire Protection has been delegated the responsibility for the administration of the program within the State, setting up necessary procedures governing application by local agencies and non-profit organizations under the program,

WHEREAS, said procedures established by the State Department of Forestry and Fire Protection require the applicant to certify by resolution the approval of application before submission of said application to the State; and

WHEREAS, the applicant will enter into an agreement with the State of California to carry out an urban forestry project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Santa Barbara:

1. Approved the filing of an application for "PROPOSITION 40 and 84" urban forestry grant program funds; and
2. Certifies that said applicant has or will have sufficient funds to operate and maintain the project; and,
3. Certifies that funds under the jurisdiction of the Council of the City of Santa Barbara are available to begin the project.
4. Certifies that said applicant will expend grant funds prior to March 30, 2014.
5. Appoints the Parks and Recreation Director, or a designee, as agent of the Council of the City of Santa Barbara to conduct all negotiations, execute and submit all documents including, but not limited to applications, agreements, amendments, payment requests and so on, which may be necessary for the completion of the aforementioned project.