

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BAKERSFIELD
AUTHORIZING APPLICATION FOR, AND RECEIPT OF, LOCAL GOVERNMENT
PLANNING SUPPORT GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Health and Safety Code 50515 et. Seq, the Department of Housing and Community Development (Department) is authorized to issue a Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) as part of the Local Government Planning Support Grants Program (hereinafter referred to by the Department as the Local Early Action Planning Grants program or LEAP); and

WHEREAS, the City of Bakersfield desires to submit a LEAP grant application package ("Application"), on the forms provided by the Department, for approval of grant funding for projects that assist in the preparation and adoption of planning documents and process improvements that accelerate housing production and facilitate compliance to implement the sixth cycle of the regional housing need assessment; and

WHEREAS, the Department has issued a NOFA and Application on January 27, 2020 in the amount of \$119,040,000 for assistance to all California Jurisdictions;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Bakersfield City Council ("Applicant") resolves as follows:

1. The Development Services Director is hereby authorized and directed to apply for and submit to the Department the Application package;

2. In connection with the LEAP grant, if the Application is approved by the Department, the Development Services Director of the City of Bakersfield is authorized to submit the Application, enter into, execute, and deliver on behalf of the Applicant, a State of California Agreement (Standard Agreement) for the amount of \$750,000, and any and all other documents required or deemed necessary or appropriate to evidence and secure the LEAP grant, the Applicant's obligations related thereto, and all amendments thereto; and

3. The Applicant shall be subject to the terms and conditions as specified in the NOFA, and the Standard Agreement provided by the Department after approval. The Application and any and all accompanying documents are incorporated in full as part of the Standard Agreement. Any and all activities funded, information provided, and timelines represented in the Application will be enforceable through the fully executed Standard Agreement. Pursuant to the NOFA and in conjunction with the terms of the Standard Agreement, the Applicant hereby agrees to use the funds for eligible uses and allowable expenditures in the manner presented and specifically identified in the approved Application.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution was passed and adopted by the Council of the City of Bakersfield at a regular meeting held on _____, by the following vote:

AYES:	COUNCILMEMBER: RIVERA, GONZALES, WEIR, SMITH, FREEMAN, SULLIVAN, PARLIER
NOES:	COUNCILMEMBER: _____
ABSTAIN:	COUNCILMEMBER: _____
ABSENT:	COUNCILMEMBER: _____

JULIE DRIMAKIS, CMC

CITY CLERK and Ex Officio Clerk of the
Council of the City of Bakersfield

APPROVED

KAREN GOH

MAYOR of the City of Bakersfield

APPROVED as to form:

VIRGINIA GENNARO

City Attorney

By: _____

VIRIDIANA GALLARDO-KING

Deputy City Attorney

By: ____ \