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RESOLUTION 2014-08

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY
OF TRINIDAD APPROVING THE APPLICATION TO THE OCEAN PROTECTION COUNCIL FOR FUNDING
THROUGH THE LCP SEA LEVEL RISE (SLR) GRANT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, a total of \$1.2 million of funding, administered by the Ocean Protection Council, in partnership with the California Coastal Commission and State Coastal Conservancy, is available in FY 14-15 to local governments to support Local Coastal Program (LCP) updates to address sea level rise, including technical analysis and vulnerability assessments needed to complete updates, and

WHEREAS, the goal of the grant application is to conduct the necessary technical analysis and vulnerability assessments to recommend new policies and adaptation responses to update the City's LCP in conformance with the California Coastal Act, to address the effects of sea-level rise, and

WHEREAS, grant proposals submitted under this grant program must develop new or amended LCP policies through sea-level rise modeling, mapping and science; assessment of vulnerability to sea-level rise; and evaluation of adaptation responses with an emphasis on those that utilize natural infrastructure to address climate change impacts;

WHEREAS, the City of Trinidad has an effectively certified LCP; and

WHEREAS, the City of Trinidad recognizes the inherent challenges associated with the climate change impacts identified in its application package, desires to pursue a project that would result in the completion and submittal for certification by the California Coastal Commission of an Amendment to update the LCP in whole or in part that would address such impacts; and

WHEREAS, the City of Trinidad commits to and agrees to fully support a planning effort intended to update a certified LCP pursuant to the provisions of the California Coastal Act, with full public participation and coordination with the Coastal Commission staff.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Trinidad hereby:

1. Directs City staff to submit the grant application package to the Ocean Protection Council to provide financial assistance to fund the project more particularly described in the grant application package.
2. Authorizes the City Manager of the City of Trinidad to execute, in the name of the City of Trinidad, all necessary applications, contracts and agreements and amendments thereto to implement and carry out the grant application package and any project approved through approval of the grant application.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Trinidad City Council of the City of Trinidad on June 4, 2014.

AYES: Miller, Fulkerson, Baker, Davies
NOES: None
ABSENT: West
ABSTAIN: None

Attest:

Approved by:

Gabriel Adams
Trinidad City Clerk

Julie Fulkerson
Mayor