

RESOLUTION NO. 2004-905
ADOPTED BY THE SACRAMENTO CITY COUNCIL

ON THE DATE OF DEC 7 2004

**RESOLUTION TO APPROVE THE NEGATIVE DECLARATION AND
FINAL DRAFT OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO
2004-2010 PARKS AND RECREATION MASTER PLAN**

WHEREAS, the quality of life in Sacramento is significantly enhanced by the availability of parks, recreation facilities, open space, parkways, bikeways, trails, nature areas, recreation programs, community centers, human services, special events, and a healthy Urban Forest;

WHEREAS, a parks and recreation system provides significant environmental, social, personal and economic benefits to the City's residents, workers, businesses and visitors;

WHEREAS, City of Sacramento General Plan policy states that the City Parks and Recreation Master Plan should be periodically reviewed and updated;

WHEREAS, the last comprehensive plan for Sacramento park and recreation system resources and services was adopted in 1989;

WHEREAS, the Master Plan development process provided for substantial participation and review by the public and the City's Disabilities Advisory Commission, Planning Commission, City-County Bicycle Advisory Committee, Youth Commission, Development Oversight Commission and Citizen's Advisory Committee for Parks and Recreation;

WHEREAS, the Environmental Coordinator has prepared a Negative Declaration for the above identified project, and the Negative Declaration finds that the proposed project will not have a significant effect on the environment;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO:

The City Council hereby:

1. Approves the Negative Declaration based upon the following findings:
 - a. The Negative Declaration was prepared and circulated for the above-identified project pursuant to the requirements of CEQA;

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- b. The proposed Negative Declaration and comments received during the public review process were considered prior to action being taken on the project; and,
 - c. Based upon the record as a whole, including the Initial Study and the comments received during the public review process, and in the City Council's exercise of its independent judgment, there is no substantial evidence, either individually limited or cumulatively considerable, that the project will have a significant effect on the environment.
2. Approves the *CITY OF SACRAMENTO 2004-2010 PARKS AND RECREATION MASTER PLAN*.

HEATHER FARGO

MAYOR

ATTEST:

SHIRLEY CONCOLINO

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