

RESOLUTION NO. 2007-032

Adopted by the Sacramento City Council

January 16, 2007

UPDATING THE 1985 AMERICAN RIVER PARKWAY PLAN

BACKGROUND

- A. The American River Parkway is a river corridor which functions as a floodway and regional park that extends approximately 29 miles from the Folsom Dam to the Sacramento River. The American River Parkway Plan is a land use and policy document that guides the development and management of the American River Parkway.
- B. The American River Parkway Plan is adopted by local jurisdictions and the State Legislature.
- C. The City and County of Sacramento were the local adopting agencies for the 1985 American River Parkway Plan. Since 1985, the City of Rancho Cordova, whose boundaries include a portion of the American River Parkway, was incorporated and has become the third local adopting agency.
- D. On November 4, 2003, the City Council approved the American River Parkway Plan Update process, accepted the Final Convening Report, established the Update Citizens' Advisory Committee, and approved the purpose of the Committee and duties of its members.
- E. In June 2005, staff provided the City Council with a status report on the process.
- F. Staff is returning to the City Council for acceptance of the 2006 American River Parkway Plan Update as recommended by the Committees and the advisory bodies as the "project" for California Environmental Quality Act review.
- G. Staff will return to the City Council for an additional update prior to final adoption of the American River Parkway Plan.

BASED ON THE FACTS SET FORTH IN THE BACKGROUND, THE CITY COUNCIL RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

- Section 1. The City Council supports the American River Parkway Plan proceeding with the preparation of an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

- Section 2. The City Council supports including the City of Rancho Cordova's proposals as alternatives in the CEQA document.
- Section 3. The City Council directs staff to forward comments from the City Council and the City's advisory bodies to the Project Management Team to evaluate their potential effects on the environmental analysis.

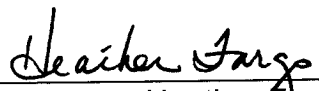
Adopted by the City of Sacramento City Council on January 16, 2007 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmembers, Cohn, Fong, Hammond, McCarty, Pannell, Sheedy, Tretheway, Waters, and Mayor Fargo.

Noes: None.

Abstain: None.

Absent: None.



Mayor, Heather Fargo

Attest:


Shirley Concolino, City Clerk