RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE MOUNTAINS RECREATION AND CONSERVATION AUTHORITY AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION TO THE SANTA MONICA MOUNTAINS CONSERVANCY FOR A GRANT OF PROPOSITION 68 FUNDS FOR VEGETATION MANAGEMENT, FIRE PREVENTION AND RESILIENCE ACTIVITIES

Resolved, That the Governing Board of the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority (MRCA) hereby:

1. FINDS that vegetation management, fire prevention and resilience activities will provide significant public benefits;

2. FINDS that the proposed action is categorically exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act;

3. ADOPTS the staff report and recommendations dated February 5, 2020;

4. AUTHORIZES the application to the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy for a grant of Proposition 68 funds for vegetation management, fire prevention and resilience activities in the amount of $2,000,000;

5. AUTHORIZES any budget amendments as necessary;

6. AUTHORIZES the Executive Officer or his designee to do any and all acts necessary to carry out this resolution and any recommendations made by the Governing Board; and

7. AUTHORIZES the Chair to sign the grant agreement if the grant application is approved by the Santa Monica Mountains Conservancy.

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Chair

AYES:
I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing resolution was adopted at a regular meeting of the governing board of the Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority, duly noticed and held according to law, on the 5th day of February, 2020.

Date: ____________________________

Executive Officer