RESOLUTION NO. 2017-202

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELK GROVE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A COMMUNITY SERVICE GRANT AGREEMENT WITH SACRAMENTO SPLASH FOR A TERM OF ONE YEAR IN THE AMOUNT OF \$79,200 (CEQA EXEMPT)

WHEREAS, the City of Elk Grove (hereinafter also referred to as "City") maintains a Drainage Fund, a portion of which may be devoted to promoting stormwater and watershed topics through public education efforts; and

WHEREAS, Sacramento Splash, a regional nonprofit, has proposed to offer a stormwater and watershed education program to fourth- and fifth-grade classes within the jurisdictional boundaries of Elk Grove; and

WHEREAS, staff has reviewed the costs of the Splash Elementary Program and found the proposed cost of \$3,600 per class, with a maximum of 22 classes served, to be in line with the support the Splash Elementary Program is receiving from other local jurisdictions; and

WHEREAS, the Splash Elementary Program serves a legitimate public purpose and meets the requirements for expenditure of public relations funding from the Drainage Fund.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove hereby finds the contract with Sacramento Splash exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to the following finding:

Finding: The proposed Grant Agreement is exempt from CEQA under State CEQA Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3).

Evidence: State CEQA Guidelines Section 15061(b)(3) excludes projects from CEQA under the General Rule that CEQA applies only to projects which have the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment. Where it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment, the activity is not subject to CEQA. The proposed Grant Agreement will provide an educational opportunity for local students to learn about environmental resources in the Elk Grove Area area and will not result in any physical changes in the environment. Therefore, the Grant Agreement is exempt from CEQA and no further environmental review is required.

AND, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove hereby authorizes the City Manager to execute a Community Service Grant Agreement with Sacramento Splash, in substantially the form presented, for Fiscal Year 2017-18 in the amount of \$79,200.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove on this 23rd

day of August 2017.

STEVE LY, MAYOR of the CITY OF ELK GROVE

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

JASON LINDGREN, CITY CLERK

JONATHAN P. HOBBS, CHY ATTORNEY

CERTIFICATION ELK GROVE CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2017-202

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)	
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO)	SS
CITY OF ELK GROVE)	

I, Jason Lindgren, City Clerk of the City of Elk Grove, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly introduced, approved, and adopted by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove at a regular meeting of said Council held on August 23, 2017 by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCILMEMBERS: Ly, Detrick, Hume, Nguyen, Suen

NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSTAIN: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

Jason Lindgren, City Clerk City of Elk Grove, California