RESOLUTION NO. 2019-001

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELK GROVE FINDING THE ELK GROVE FLORIN ROAD AT ELK GROVE PARK SIDEWALK INFILL PROJECT (WAC026) EXEMPT FROM THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT AND APPROVING THE PROJECT

WHEREAS, the Elk Grove Florin Road at Elk Grove Park Sidewalk Infill Project (WAC026) (Project) includes construction of approximately 1,100 feet of concrete sidewalk, curb and gutter, drainage improvements, ADA ramps, minor pavement widening, street lights, pedestrian crossings, new path connections within Elk Grove Park to the existing path, utility relocations, and other related improvements, on Elk Grove Florin Road from Carmel Valley Way to Valley Oak Lane; and

WHEREAS, construction activities and improvements will include sidewalk, curb and gutter, ADA ramps, minor pavement widening, drainage improvements, street lighting, flashing and utility relocations to remove a barrier to accessibility by constructing a new section of sidewalk and improving other sections of existing sidewalk; and

WHEREAS, the Project is a project under the California Environmental Quality Act (Section 21000 et seq. of the Public Resources Code, hereinafter referred to as CEQA), which requires that cities consider the environmental consequences of their actions before approving a project; and

WHEREAS, Section 15332 (Class 32: In-Fill Development Projects) of the State CEQA Guidelines (Chapter 3 of Division 6 of Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations) provides an exemption from CEQA for projects which are consistent with applicable general plan designations, policies, and zonings; occur within city limits and consists of no more than five acres; would not result in any significant effects relating to traffic, noise, air quality, or water quality; and which can be adequately served by all required utilities and public services; and

WHEREAS, the Project would fill in gaps within the existing network of pedestrian facilities, providing more accessibility that is both safer and ADA compliant, and as this in-fill development is consistent with the City's general plan designation and general plan polices regarding pedestrian paths and accessibility, occurs within the City limits, is under five acres in size and is substantially surrounded by urban use, and would not result in any significant effects relating to traffic, noise, air quality, water quality, or endangered, rare or threatened species, the Project is exempt under CEQA Categorical Exemption 15332 (Class 32: In-Fill Development Projects); and

WHEREAS, the Project is included in the approved Capital Improvement Program Five Year Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove hereby finds the Project exempt from CEQA pursuant to Section 15332 of the State CEQA Guidelines and approves the Project.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove this 9th day of January 2019

STEVE LY, MAYOR of the CITY OF ELK GROVE

ATTEST:

IASON LINDGREN CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

JØNATHAN P. HOBBS, CITY ATTORNEY

CERTIFICATION ELK GROVE CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2019-001

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)	
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO	j	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 January 9, 2019 by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCILMEMBERS: Ly, Detrick, Suen

NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSTAIN: COUNCILMEMBERS: Hume

ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS: Nguyen

Jason Lindgren, City Clerk City of Elk Grove, California