RESOLUTION NO. 2017-091

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELK GROVE APPROVING A REVISED OLD TOWN PLAZA USE POLICY

WHEREAS, the City of Elk Grove purchased property at 9615 Railroad Street in 2012 referred to as the "Old Town Plaza"; and

WHEREAS, the City Council approved an Old Town Use Policy in 2013 that established a process in accordance with City codes and policies and created guidelines for the fair and equitable use of the site by community groups for community events on a temporary basis; and

WHEREAS, the Old Town Plaza has become a cornerstone to revitalization efforts in the City's Old Town District and serves as the site for weekly farmers markets, monthly food truck events and seasonal festivals and events throughout the year; and

WHEREAS, staff proposes changes to the Old Town Plaza Use Policy to address safety issues and administrative oversights identified through the ongoing use and programming of the site for events; and

WHEREAS, revisions to the Old Town Plaza Use Policy will support efforts to maintain the site and create a safe place for its visitors.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Old Town Use Policy adopted in 2013 by Resolution No. 2013-97, is hereby superseded by this Resolution, that Resolution No. 2013-97 is repealed as of the adoption of this Resolution, and that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove adopts and approves the revised Old Town Plaza Use Policy ("Policy") presented with the accompanying staff report; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Manager, or designee, is authorized to grant rights of entry and/or licenses for use of the Old Town Plaza consistent with the Policy; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove hereby grants the City Manager the authority to make changes to the Policy, in the City Manager's reasonable discretion, in order to improve safety, facility maintenance or otherwise promote the effective management of the Plaza, without returning the Policy to Council for further approval, provided that the City Manager advises the City Council of the change within a reasonable time of making the change.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove this 26th day of April 2017

STEVE LY, MAYOR of the CITY OF ELK GROVE

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

JASON LINDGREN, CITY CLERK

JONATHAN P. HOBBS, CITY ATTORNEY

CERTIFICATION ELK GROVE CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2017-091

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 April 26, 2017 by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCILMEMBERS: Ly, Detrick, Hume, Suen

NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSTAIN: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS: Nguyen

Jason Lindgren, City Clerk City of Elk Grove, California