



RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SUNNYVALE TO ACCEPT SIX GRANT AWARDS FROM THE CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION’S CALIFORNIA ADVANCED SERVICES FUND FOR DIGITAL INCLUSION AND LITERACY TRAINING AND AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE REQUIRED GRANT DOCUMENTS FOR EACH GRANT AWARD

WHEREAS, the California Public Utilities Commission (“CPUC”) established the California Advanced Services Fund (“CASF”) for the purposes of supporting broadband adoption programs in communities with low broadband access; and

WHEREAS, CASF grants may be used to support projects in two areas: 1) digital inclusion projects that provide digital literacy training and public education to communities with limited broadband adoption, and 2) broadband access projects that provide publicly available or after-school broadband access that may include free broadband access in community training rooms or other public spaces; and

WHEREAS, in 2018, the City of Sunnyvale (“City”) and the Sunnyvale School District (“SSD”) entered into an agreement to jointly fund a grant writer position to pursue funding in support of the Columbia Neighborhood Center (“CNC”) service area, which is recognized as one of the City’s most diverse and economically-challenged communities; and

WHEREAS, the City’s grant writer identified six schools in the SSD (Bishop Elementary, Columbia Middle, Ellis Elementary, Lakewood Elementary, San Miguel Elementary, and Vargas Elementary) as meeting the CASF grant eligibility criteria and completed grant applications for digital inclusion and literacy training; in December 2018, the City received notification that all six grant applications had been approved for funding, for a total grant amount of \$313,446; and

WHEREAS, the City Council wishes to accept the six grant awards for a total of \$313,446, and delegate authorization to the City Manager to execute any required grant documents for each award.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SUNNYVALE THAT:

1. The City accepts the six grant awards as shown below and hereby authorizes the City Manager, or his designee to execute any grant documents required for each award; and

CPUC Grant Funding Breakdown by School

Bishop School	\$58,033
Columbia Middle School	\$58,033
San Miguel School	\$58,033
Vargas School	\$58,033
Ellis School	\$40,657
Lakewood School	\$40,657
Total:	\$313,446

2. The City Council finds, pursuant to Title 14 of the California Code of Regulations, Section 15378(b)(4) that this resolution is exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) in that it is a fiscal activity and not a Project which has the potential for causing a significant effect on the environment.

Adopted by the City Council at a regular meeting held on _____, by the following vote:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSTAIN:
ABSENT:
RECUSAL:

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

City Clerk
(SEAL)

Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney