

MEETING DATE: 11/13/06

AGENDA ITEM: Consideration of Adoption of a Resolution Authorizing the
Application for a Whale Tail Competitive Grant Program.

ATTACHMENTS

		<u>Pages</u>
1	Resolution	1-2

1
2
3 **RESOLUTION NO.**

4 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
5 CULVER CITY, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING THE
6 APPLICATION FOR A WHALE TAIL COMPETITIVE
7 GRANTS PROGRAM.

8
9 WHEREAS, the California Coastal Commission have enacted the Whale Tail
10 Competitive Grants Program which provides funds from sales of the Whale Tail License
11 Plate. The grants support programs that teach California's children and the general public
12 to value and take action to improve the health of the state's marine and coastal resources.
13 This grants program focuses on reaching communities that are currently poorly served in
14 terms of marine and coastal education; and

15 WHEREAS, The California Coastal Commission is a state regulatory and planning
16 agency that operates under the 1976 Coastal Act to manage the conservation and
17 development of coastal resources in California; and

18 WHEREAS The Commission's Public Education Program works to increase public
19 knowledge of coastal and marine resources and to engage the public in coastal protection
20 and restoration activities and has been delegated the responsibility for the administration of
21 the program within the state, setting up necessary procedures governing application under
22 the program; and

23
24 WHEREAS, said procedures established by the California Coastal Commission
25 require the applicant to certify by resolution the approval of the application before
26 submission of said application to the state; and

1
2 WHEREAS, it is beneficial for the City Culver City to file an application; to receive
3 funding to promote the *Adopt A Creek* program.

4 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Culver
5 City, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE as follows:
6

7 1. Approves the filing of an application for the California Coastal
8 Commission Whale Tail Competitive Grants program under the Coastal Commissions'
9 Public Education Program for state grant assistance for the project specified above; and

10 2. Authorizes the submittal of an application on behalf of the City of
11 Culver City to the California Coastal Commission Whale Tail Competitive Grant for Fiscal
12 Year 2006/2007; and

13 3. Appoints the Chief Administrative Officer and/or his or her designee as
14 agent of the City of Culver City to conduct all negotiations, execute and submit all
15 documents including, but not limited to application, agreements, amendments, payment
16 requests and so on, which may be necessary for the completion of the aforementioned
17 project; and

18 4. That the City of Culver City will serve as the grant administrator.

19
20 APPROVED and ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2006.

21
22 _____
23 Gary Silbiger, MAYOR
24 City of Culver City, California

25 ATTEST:

26 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

27 _____
28 CHRISTOPHER ARMENTA,
City Clerk

CAROL A. SCHWAB,
City Attorney

2