

RESOLUTION NO. ##,###-N.S.

EXTEND THE TERM OF THE COMMUNITY WORKFORCE AGREEMENT WITH THE BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL OF ALAMEDA COUNTY TO JANUARY 18, 2015

WHEREAS, on January 18, 2011 the City of Berkeley entered into a Community Workforce Agreement with the Building Trades of Alameda County; and

WHEREAS, the Community Workforce Agreement was implemented in order to promote the efficiency of construction operations performed for and within the City of Berkeley and provide for peaceful settlement of labor disputes without strikes or lockouts; and

WHEREAS, the Community Workforce Agreement was intended to support the efforts of the City to increase training and employment opportunities for workers who reside in Berkeley; and

WHEREAS, the Community Workforce Agreement has applied to sixteen capital projects during the first three years of the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, during the 3-year term of the Community Workforce Agreement nineteen Berkeley residents have worked on local capital projects; and

WHEREAS, the City of Berkeley and the Alameda Building and Construction Trades Council would like to collaborate in order to improve the effectiveness of the Community Workforce Agreement.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Berkeley that the City Manager is authorized to extend the term of the Community Workforce Agreement with the Alameda County Building and Construction Trades Council for one year through January 18, 2015.