

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_(CM)**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
WATSONVILLE ACCEPTING A \$250,000 CENTRAL COAST  
COMMUNITY ENERGY GRANT FOR AN ELECTRIC REFUSE TRUCK,  
AND APPROPRIATING SUCH FUNDS TO THE SPECIAL GRANTS  
FUND (0260)**

**WHEREAS**, the electrification of the City Fleet has been identified in the City of Watsonville Climate Action and Adaptation Plan approved by Council on October 26, 2021; and

**WHEREAS**, Central Coast Community Energy provides Member Agencies an opportunity to receive funding up to \$250,000 toward the cost of a new medium or heavy-duty vehicle; and

**WHEREAS**, the City was awarded a grant from Central Coast Community Energy for the purchase of an electric-powered refuse hauler heavy duty vehicle.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY  
OF WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA, AS FOLLOWS:**

1. This action is exempt from the requirements of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) in accordance with CEQA Guidelines Section 15378(b)(5), in that adopting a Resolution amending a contract does not meet CEQA's definition of a "project," because the action does not have the potential for resulting in either a direct physical change in the environment or a reasonably foreseeable indirect physical change in the environment and if a "project," is exempt under the "common sense" exception (14 Cal. Code Regs. § 15061(b)(3)) because it can be seen with certainty that there is no possibility that this action may have a significant effect on the environment.

2. That the \$250,000 grant from Central Coast Community Energy is hereby accepted and appropriated to the Special Grants Fund [0260].

3. That the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to execute any agreements and other documents, including amendments, necessary to effectuate receipt of the grant.

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