

AGENDA REPORT

Department: Community Development

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Meeting Date: Tuesday, November 15, 2022
Approved by: Brad Raulston, City Manager

SUBJECT:

Approval of Resolution approving the application for California Coastal Commission Local Coastal Programs (LCP) Local Assistance Grant Program Funds.

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt the Resolution entitled, "Resolution of the City Council of the City of National City, California, Approving the Application for California Coastal Commission LCP Local Assistance Grant Program Funds."

BOARD/COMMISSION/COMMITTEE PRIOR ACTION:

Not Applicable.

EXPLANATION:

The California Coastal Commission has appropriated \$31 million to support its LCP Local Assistance Grant Program. The grant program is intended to provide assistance to local governments responsible for developing and amending Local Coastal Programs. Funds may be used for projects that are designed to assist local governments in assessing impacts and planning for coastal resiliency, including adapting to the impacts of climate change and sea level rise, and which contain an LCP planning component.

As part of the recently adopted grant program updates, the Coastal Commission developed a non-competitive, rolling application process that is separate from the Commission's competitive grant rounds. This rolling application process is designed for targeted projects up to \$100,000 which have a high likelihood of success over a shorter grant term, such as a single feasibility study with targeted LCP changes.

The project includes targeted amendments to the Local Coastal Program (LCP) to incorporate the Port Master Plan Amendment for the National City Balanced Plan, to update General Plan and Zoning Code references, strengthen coastal resilience, and lay the groundwork for a comprehensive LCP update. The attached application package describes the proposal in detail.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

No Fiscal Impact

RELATED CITY COUNCIL 2020-2025 STRATEGIC PLAN GOAL:

Not Applicable

ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW:

This is not a project under CEQA and is therefore not subject to environmental review.CCR15378; PRC 21065.

PUBLIC NOTIFICATION:

Agenda Report posted within 72 hours of meeting date and time in accordance with Brown Act.

ORDINANCE:

Not Applicable

EXHIBITS:

- 1. Resolution
- 2. Grant Application package