

IN THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LIVERMORE, CALIFORNIA

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN APPLICATION TO THE ASSOCIATION OF BAY AREA GOVERNMENTS (ABAG) TO DESIGNATE AREAS WITHIN THE CITY'S SPHERE OF INFLUENCE AS A PRIORITY CONSERVATION AREA FOR URBAN GREENING AND REGIONAL RECREATION

The Association of Bay Area Governments (ABAG) has undertaken a regional conservation planning initiative called the Priority Conservation Area (PCA) Program which supports the vitality of the natural systems, rural economy, and human health throughout the Bay Area Region.

ABAG is requesting nominations from local governments for PCA designations in order to establish a framework for directing regional funding for open space, agricultural, recreational, and conservation goals.

PCAs provide important agricultural, natural resource, scenic, recreational, and ecological value.

Planned projects within the City of Livermore's Sphere of Influence meet the criteria of urban greening and regional recreation and provide community health, recreational, and wildlife benefits.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Livermore authorizes staff to submit an application to ABAG to designate areas within the City of Livermore Sphere of Influence as a Planned Conservation Area.

On motion of Vice Mayor Turner, seconded by Council Member Woerner, the foregoing resolution was passed and adopted on May 11, 2015, by the following vote:

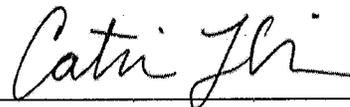
AYES: Council Members Gary, Spedowski, Woerner, Vice Mayor Turner, Mayor Marchand
 NOES: None
 ABSENT: None
 ABSTAIN: None

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Susan Neer
 City Clerk



Catrina Fobian
 Deputy City Attorney

Dated: May 12, 2015