

Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION OF THE SONOMA COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION,  
ACTING IN ITS CAPACITY AS THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE SONOMA COUNTY  
COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY, AUTHORIZING SUBMITTAL OF A  
BROWNFIELDS ASSESSMENT GRANT APPLICATION TO THE UNITED STATES  
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY FOR THE ROSELAND REDEVELOPMENT  
PROJECT

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WHEREAS, on November 27, 1984, the Board of Supervisors (Board) adopted the Roseland Redevelopment Plan by Ordinance No. 3377 to establish the Roseland Redevelopment Project Area (Project Area); and

WHEREAS, based on past information from the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), the California Department of Toxic Substances Control, and the North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board, a number of brownfields sites are located on properties within the Project Area; and

WHEREAS, cleaning up and reinvesting in these properties encourages private reinvestment, which reduces greenspace sprawl, protects the environment, and reduces blight, which are primary goals of redevelopment; and

WHEREAS, the EPA Brownfields Program is designed to empower states, communities, and other stakeholders to work together in a timely manner to prevent, assess, safely clean up, and sustainably reuse brownfields; and

WHEREAS, the EPA has issued a Request for Proposals for Assessment Grants to provide funds to communities to inventory, characterize, assess, and conduct planning (including cleanup planning) and community involvement related to brownfield sites, under which applications are due by October 16, 2009; and

WHEREAS, the Community Development Commission (Commission) desires to submit an application for an EPA Brownfields Assessment Grant for the Project Area.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Commission, in its capacity as the governing body of the Sonoma County Community Redevelopment Agency:

1. Finds and determines that all of the above recitals are true and correct.
2. Authorizes the Commission's Executive Director to sign and submit a Brownfields Assessment Grant Application to US EPA for the Roseland Redevelopment Project Area and to take any other actions necessary to carry out the purposes expressed in the Resolution.

COMMISSIONERS:

BROWN\_\_\_\_ KERNS\_\_\_\_ ZANE\_\_\_\_ CARRILLO\_\_\_\_ KELLEY\_\_\_\_

AYES:\_\_\_\_ NOES:\_\_\_\_ ABSTAIN:\_\_\_\_ ABSENT:\_\_\_\_

SO ORDERED