RESOLUTION NO.

Resolution Of The City Council Of The City Of Emeryville Authorizing The Mayor Of Emeryville To Sign A Letter Of Support For The 2016 Cal Youth Soccer Grant Application For Gilman Sports Fields

WHEREAS, in 2003, due to a shortage of playing fields, five East Bay cities, Albany, Berkeley, El Cerrito, Emeryville, and Richmond worked together to seek funding as a regional group to develop new sports fields; and

WHEREAS, on November 18, 2003 the City of Emeryville entered into a Joint Exercise of Powers Agreement (JPA) to support and provide funding to maintain the Gilman Street Playing Fields; and

WHEREAS, In 2004 a second agreement was adopted and in 2006 a third agreement was adopted that enabled the City of Berkeley to enter into a 25 year lease with the East Bay Regional Park District and committed the City to contribute fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000) per year for twenty five (25) years; and

WHEREAS, the City of Emeryville is committed to improving the health and wellness of the community though sports for youth and adults, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Emeryville hereby authorizes the Major of Emeryville to sign a letter of support for the 2016 Cal Youth Soccer Grant application for one new youth soccer field and restroom at Gilman Fields.

ADOPTED, by the City Council of the City of Emeryville at a regular meeting held Tuesday, October 18, 2016.

NAYES: ABSTAIN: ABSENT:	
ABOLIVI.	
	MAYOR
ATTEST:	APPROVED AS TO FORM:
	Michael Lying
CITY CLERK	CITY ATTORNEY

AYES: