

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**Resolution Of The City Council Of The City Of Emeryville Adopting A Policy For Teleconferencing During Council Meetings Pursuant To Government Code Section 54953 And Amending The City Council Rules Of Procedure To Incorporate The Policy**

**WHEREAS**, the City Council has established Rules of Procedure, pursuant to Government Code Section 36813, for the conduct of its meetings; and

**WHEREAS**, California Government Code Section 54953(b)(4) of the Brown Act defines a "teleconference" as "a meeting of individuals in different locations, connected by electronic means, through either audio or video, or both"; and

**WHEREAS**, California Government Code Section 54953 of the Brown Act permits a legislative body to elect to use teleconferencing in connection with attendance at its meetings; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council desires to amend the City Council Rules of Procedure to add a policy to allow teleconference participation in City Council meetings pursuant to Government Code Section 54953; now, therefore be it

**RESOLVED**, that the City Council of the City of Emeryville hereby amends and adopts the City Council Rules of Procedure in the form attached hereto as *Exhibit A*.

**ADOPTED**, by the City Council of the City of Emeryville at a special meeting held Tuesday, June 13, 2017, by the following vote:

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

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MAYOR

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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CITY CLERK

  
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CITY ATTORNEY