## Attachment C Resolution No. 2019-41 (Initiation)

## **RESOLUTION NO. 2019-41**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEWPORT BEACH, CALIFORNIA, INITIATING AMENDMENTS TO TITLE 20 ENTITLED "PLANNING AND ZONING" AND TITLE 21 ENTITLED "LOCAL COASTAL PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION PLAN" OF THE CITY OF NEWPORT BEACH MUNICIPAL CODE RELATED TO MINIMUM LOT SIZE AND DIMENSIONS, OVERLAY ZONING DISTRICTS, PUBLIC HEARING NOTIFICATION, CORRECTIONS TO SETBACK MAPS AND THE TRANSFER OF DEVELOPMENT RIGHTS (PA2019-055)

WHEREAS, Newport Beach Municipal Code ("NBMC") Section 20.66.020 provides that the City Council of the City of Newport Beach ("City Council") may initiate an amendment to the Zoning Code with or without a recommendation from the Planning Commission;

WHEREAS, City Council Policy K-1 entitled "General Plan and Local Coastal Program" requires amendments to the City of Newport Beach certified Local Coastal Program codified in NBMC Title 21 to be initiated by the City Council; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council desires to amend NBMC Title 20 and Title 21 to modify regulations relating to minimum lot size and dimensions, overlay zoning districts, public hearing notification, corrections to setback maps, and the transfer of development rights.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, the City Council of the City of Newport Beach resolves as follows:

**Section 1:** The City Council hereby initiates amendments to NBMC Title 20 "Planning and Zoning" and Title 21 "Local Coastal Program Implementation Plan" to modify regulations relating to minimum lot size and dimensions, overlay zoning districts, public hearing notification, corrections to setback maps, and the transfer of development rights.

**Section 2:** If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this resolution is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity or constitutionality of the remaining portions of this resolution. The City Council hereby declares that it would have passed this resolution and each section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase hereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared invalid or unconstitutional.

**Section 3:** The recitals provided in this resolution are true and correct and are incorporated into the substantive portion of this resolution.

**Section 4:** The City Council finds the adoption of this resolution is exempt from environmental review under the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") pursuant to Section 15262 of the CEQA Guidelines, California Code of Regulations, Title 14, Division 6, Chapter 3, because it involves feasibility or planning studies for possible future actions which the agency, board, or commission has not approved or adopted.

**Section 5:** This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by the City Council, and the City Clerk shall certify the vote adopting this resolution.

**ADOPTED** this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2019.

Diane B. Dixon

Mayor

ATTEST:

Leilani I. Brown

APPROVED AS TO FORM: CITY ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

Aaron C. Harp
City Attorney

SS.

I, Leilani I. Brown, City Clerk of the City of Newport Beach, California, do hereby certify that the whole number of members of the City Council is seven; the foregoing resolution, being Resolution No. 2019-41 was duly introduced before and adopted by the City Council of said City at a regular meeting of said Council held on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2019; and the same was so passed and adopted by the following vote, to wit:

AYES: Council Member Brad Avery, Council Member Joy Brenner, Council Member Duffy

Duffield, Council Member Jeff Herdman, Council Member Kevin Muldoon, Mayor

Diane Dixon

NAYS: None

RECUSED: Mayor Pro Tem Will O'Neill

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the official seal of said City this 24th day of April, 2019.

Leilani I. Brown

City Clerk

Newport Beach, California

