

1 RESOLUTION NO.

2 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIVERSIDE,
3 CALIFORNIA, APPROVING A GRANT OF FUNDS FROM THE
4 CALIFORNIA STATE COASTAL CONSERVANCY FOR “ROOTED IN
5 RIVERSIDE,” A PROGRAM PROVIDING INTERPRETATIVE
6 PROGRAMMING OPPORTUNITIES ALONG THE SANTA ANA RIVER
AT FAIRMOUNT PARK AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF
NECESSARY GRANT DOCUMENTS BY THE CITY MANAGER, OR HIS
DESIGNEE.

7 WHEREAS, the Legislature of the State of California has established the State Coastal
8 Conservancy (“Conservancy”) under Division 21 of the California Public Resources Code, and has
9 authorized the Conservancy to award grants to public agencies and nonprofit organizations to
10 implement the provisions of Division 21; and

11 WHEREAS, the Conservancy awards grants for projects that it determines are consistent with
12 Division 21 of the Public Resources Code and with the Conservancy’s Strategic Plan and that best
13 achieve the Conservancy’s statutory objectives, in light of limited funding; and

14 WHEREAS, at it’s February 19, 2026, meeting, the Conservancy adopted a resolution
15 authorizing a grant to the City of Riverside (“Grantee”) to fund cultural interpretative activities tied to
16 the Santa Ana River to be offered at Fairmount Park in a program entitled, “Rooted in Riverside”
17 (“The Project”). The resolution was adopted by the Conservancy, a copy of which is on file with the
18 Grantee and with the Conservancy; and

19 WHEREAS, the City as Grantee values cultural programming tied to the Santa Ana River and
20 believes that it is in its best interests to accept grant funding from the Conservancy and also agrees to
21 abide by programmatic rules set forth in a Conservancy Grant Agreement; and

22 WHEREAS, the Conservancy requires that governing body of the grantee certify through a
23 resolution that it approves the award of Conservancy grant funding and authorizes the execution by a
24 representative of the grantee of a grant agreement on terms and conditions required by the
25 Conservancy Grant Agreement .

26 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Riverside,
27 California, as follows:

28 Section 1: The above recitals are hereby incorporated as if set forth herein in full.

Section 2: The City of Riverside approves the award of funding from the Conservancy for the Project and hereby accepts such funding in the granted amount for the Project as set forth in the Conservancy Grant Agreement

Section 3: The City of Riverside hereby agrees to be bound by all terms and conditions of the Conservancy Grant Agreement required by the Conservancy and as may be necessary to complete the Project.

Section 4: The City Manager, or his designee, are hereby authorized to act as a representative of the City of Riverside to negotiate and execute on behalf of the City of Riverside any and all agreements and instruments necessary to complete the Project , including, without limitation, any extensions or amendments required therein.

ADOPTED by the City Council this _____ day of _____, 2026.

PATRICIA LOCK DAWSON
Mayor of the City of Riverside

Attest:

DONESIA GAUSE
City Clerk of the City of Riverside

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1 I, Donesia Gause, City Clerk of the City of Riverside, California, hereby certify that the
2 foregoing resolution was duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the City Council of said City at
3 its meeting held on the _____ day of _____, 2026, by the following vote, to wit:

4 Ayes:

5 Noes:

6 Absent:

7 Abstain:

8 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the
9 City of Riverside, California, this _____ day of _____, 2026.

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12 DONESIA GAUSE
13 City Clerk of the City of Riverside
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