CITY OF ALAMEDA RESOLUTION NO.

APPROVING THE CITY'S PARTICIPATION IN THE INSTITUTE FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT'S BEACON PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the City of Alameda is undertaking policies, programs and activities through its Climate Action and Resiliency Plan to reduce greenhouse gas emissions, save energy, and increase climate resilience; and

WHEREAS, these policies, programs and activities conserve natural resources, save energy and money, and promote sustainable land use and transportation planning in the community; and

WHEREAS, cities and counties statewide are leading by example by adopting innovative sustainability programs and policies, including working with community residents, business groups and others; and

WHEREAS, the City of Alameda wishes to expand these activities, and share its experiences with other communities; and

WHEREAS, the Beacon Program is a voluntary program of the Institute for Local Government, the non-profit research and education affiliate of the California State Association of Counties and the League of California Cities; and

WHEREAS, the Beacon Program recognizes and celebrates achievements of cities and counties that reduce greenhouse gas emissions and save energy; and

WHEREAS, participating in the Beacon Program is an opportunity for the City of Alameda to be recognized for its efforts to promote sustainability, reduce greenhouse gas emissions and save energy.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Alameda hereby:

- 1. Approves participation in the Beacon Program.
- 2. Will work towards achieving the Silver, Gold and/or Platinum Beacon Award levels.

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I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly adopted and passed by the Council of the City of Alameda in regular meeting assembled on the 16th day of June 2020, by the following vote to wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTENTIONS:

IN WITNESS, WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of said City this 17th day of June 2020

Lara Weisiger, City Clerk City of Alameda

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Yibin Shen, City Attorney City of Alameda