

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
CHULA VISTA ACCEPTING GRANT FUNDS FROM THE
SAN DIEGO FOUNDATION AGE FRIENDLY COMMUNITIES
MUNICIPAL GRANT TO IMPLEMENT GOALS IN THE
COMMUNICATION & INFORMATION AND HEALTH &
COMMUNITY SECTIONS OF THE AGE-FRIENDLY ACTION
PLAN, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization (“WHO”) launched an international effort, entitled the Age-Friendly Cities and Communities Program, to help cities prepare for rapid population aging and the parallel trend of urbanization and in the United States the American Association of Retired Persons’ (“AARPs”) Age-Friendly Communities Network (the “Network”) is the affiliate to the WHO program; and

WHEREAS, the City Council authorized staff to submit an application to enter the Network on May 10, 2016 by Resolution No. 2016-068 and in July 2016, the City of Chula Vista became the 99th jurisdiction in the United States to enter, committing to a five-year process to evaluate, develop an Action Plan and implement Age-Friendly concepts to encourage the livability of the community for all generations; and

WHEREAS, on July 10, 2018, City Council adopted the first Chula Vista Age-Friendly Action Plan, entitled “Chula Vista: Creating an Age-Friendly City, Age-Friendly Action Plan”; and

WHEREAS, in January 2021, the City of Chula Vista was awarded a grant under the San Diego Foundation “Age Friendly Communities Municipal Grant” in the amount of \$49,850 to accomplish goals within the Communication & Information and Health & Community Sections of the Action Plan; and

WHEREAS, grant funds will build the infrastructure for the new “CV Senior Connect” telephone line, to provide seniors within the City a one-stop location to receive weekly automated information, direct links to resources and connect them to City programs and services, and associated marketing for the service.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista, that it does hereby accept funds in the amount of \$49,850 from the San Diego Foundation “Age Friendly Communities Municipal Grant” and authorizes the appropriation such funds.

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