

RESOLUTION 2020-132

RESOLUTION OF THE SAN PABLO CITY COUNCIL AMENDING THE FY 2019-21 ADOPTED CITY COUNCIL PRIORITY WORKPLAN UNDER MAJOR POLICY GOAL: FOCUS ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND DIVERSIFICATION TO INCLUDE A SMART CITY 5G STRATEGIC POLICY INITIATIVE FRAMEWORK - SAN PABLO ENVIRONMENT FOR EVERYTHING DIGITAL (S.P.E.E.D.); AND TO ADOPT EXHIBIT A: CITY OF SAN PABLO S.P.E.E.D. STRATEGIC POLICY INITIATIVE

WHEREAS, the following policy goals and priorities are contained in the FY 2019-21 Council Priority Workplan, effective March 1, 2019 as amended most recently on September 8, 2020 as follows:

Major Policy Goal: Focus on Economic Development & Diversification

#400. Diversify Revenue Stream

#408. Municipal Broadband Wireless Project

Major Policy Goal: Improve Public Safety

#501. Strengthen Technological Infrastructure

WHEREAS, San Pablo's access to robust, high-speed Internet and data networks is as vital as streets, sewer, water and utilities infrastructure;

WHEREAS, providing high-speed 5G connectivity enhances a community's education and digital literacy, promotes job training and workforce development, and economic development and diversification potential by attracting new, advanced businesses and providing existing local businesses the technological tools they need to expand and operate;

WHEREAS, existing adopted policies contained in the FY 2019-21 Council Priority Workplan have related to ongoing implementation and use of law enforcement technologies and City-initiated telecommunications projects under consideration or implemented since FY 2011/12;

WHEREAS, at the present time, the City Manager recommends that the City Council amend the FY 2019-21 Council Priority Workplan to accommodate existing and future SMART City 5G strategic policy objectives being explored and supported by the City to date as the noted priorities contained in the FY 2019-21 Council Priority Workplan are outdated, and need to be modified for future City operational applicability and future project planning purposes;

WHEREAS, recently, the City has successfully completed construction of a City-wide public fiber wide area network (WAN) project connecting several City facilities via a fiber optic line. Phase 1 of the project is complete and will link the new City Hall to the old City Hall (to facilitate the transfer of operations), the Police Department Building, Senior Center (1943 Church Lane), San Pablo Community Center (2450 Road 20), traffic signal controller at San Pablo Avenue and Gateway Avenue, and traffic signal controller

at San Pablo Avenue and Church Lane. Davis Park (corner of Folsom Avenue and 17th Street) and the Corporation Yard (1515 Folsom Avenue) may be linked later as additional funding is identified and as a step towards accomplishing a larger Municipal Broadband Project;

WHEREAS, on January 21, 2020, pursuant to Resolution # 2020-011, the City Council established a City Council Ad-Hoc Subcommittee on SMART City Initiative (5G Technology Programs/ Projects);

WHEREAS, on September 23, 2020, the Ad-Hoc Subcommittee met with the City Manager and staff to review a newly proposed DRAFT SMART CITY 5G Strategic Policy Initiative - called *San Pablo Environment for Everything Digital (or S.P.E.E.D.)*; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager outlined the DRAFT S.P.E.E.D. strategic policy framework to integrate future SMART City 5G strategic policy objectives into the current FY 2019-21 Council Priority Workplan, with the overall purpose to facilitate future external and internal Smart Cities 5G collaboration, networks, programs, and projects with appropriate third parties (i.e. private sector, other organizations) to enhance economic development, foster new private investment, and to close the “digital divide” for many low-income residents and small businesses in San Pablo who do not have access to high-speed internet, or Wi-Fi connectivity.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the City Council of the City of San Pablo hereby states as follows:

1. The following policy items adopted in the FY 2019-21 Council Priority Workplan, effective March 1, 2019 as most recently amended on September 8, 2020, are hereby amended and revised (*in italics/underlined*), as follows:

Major Policy Goal: Focus on Economic Development & Diversification

#400. Diversify Revenue Stream **using new 5G emerging technologies**

#408. ~~Municipal Broadband Wireless Project~~ **City-wide Fiber Optic/Wide Area Network Project (Phase I & II)**

#409. **Adopt a Master License Agreement for Small Cell Deployments/ Networks**

#410. **Support Strategic Policy Objectives outlined in San Pablo Environment for Everything Digital (S.P.E.E.D) Policy Framework (2020-2030)**

#410.1 Facilitate future SMART City 5G S.P.E.E.D. Network Projects, Policies and Services

Major Policy Goal: Improve Public Safety

#501. Strengthen Technological Infrastructure to enhance **Law Enforcement, Community Policing, and Training Programs using new 5G emerging technologies**

2. The City Council formally adopts the proposed SMART City 5G Strategic Policy Initiative – called the “*San Pablo Environment for Everything Digital*” (or S.P.E.E.D.) with recommended strategic policy objectives, strategic goals, and future potential funding mechanisms for program implementation over the next ten (10) year period from 2020-2030; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the foregoing recitations are true and correct, and are included herein by reference as findings.

ADOPTED this 19th day of October, 2020, by the following vote:

AYES:	COUNCILMEMBERS:	Kinney, Pineda, Xavier and Cruz
NOES:	COUNCILMEMBERS:	None
ABSENT:	COUNCILMEMBERS:	Pabon-Alvarado
ABSTAIN:	COUNCILMEMBERS:	None

ATTEST:	APPROVED:
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/s/ LaTanya Fisher
LaTanya Fisher, Acting Deputy City Clerk

/s/ Arturo M. Cruz
Arturo M. Cruz, Mayor