

**RESOLUTION 2020-###**

**RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN PABLO AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A LEGAL SERVICES AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND MURPHY & ASSOCIATES REGARDING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES FOR UP TO \$50,000**

WHEREAS, Nicole Murphy with Murphy & Associates has been providing legal services to the City and former Redevelopment Agency since 1998 and is very familiar and knowledgeable about economic development; the operations and projects of the former Redevelopment Agency; the ongoing redevelopment dissolution process mandated by the State, including the Long-Range Property Management Plan and financial reporting on the ROPS forms submitted to the California Department of Finance; housing projects; and previous bond financings;

WHEREAS, the contract amount of \$50,000 authorized under the previous agreement with Murphy & Associates dated July 1, 2016, has been nearly exhausted, and the City wishes to enter into a new *one-year* agreement with Murphy & Associates for continued services;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of San Pablo hereby authorizes the City Manager to execute the agreement with Murphy & Associates for legal services related to economic development in an amount not to exceed Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000), which is attached as an exhibit to this resolution as set forth below:

Action	From: General Fund	Account	Amount
Approve	Community & Econ Development	100-1320-44000	\$15,000
Approve	City Attorney Professional Services	100-1210-43600	\$20,000
Approve	City Manager's Contingency Account	100-1310-44444	\$15,000
Total			\$50,000

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

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ADOPTED this 8<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2020, by the following votes:

AYES: COUNCILMEMBERS:  
NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS:  
ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS:  
ABSTAIN: COUNCILMEMBERS:

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

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LaTanya Fisher, Acting Deputy City Clerk

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Arturo M. Cruz, Mayor