

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF SANTA CLARA,  
CALIFORNIA AUTHORIZING THE USE OF CITY WATER  
FORCES PURSUANT TO CHARTER SECTION 1310**

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF SANTA CLARA AS FOLLOWS:**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Santa Clara's Charter section 1310 requires all contracts involving an expenditure of over \$1,000 for public works to be let to the lowest responsible bidder;

**WHEREAS**, Charter section 1310 permits the City to use its own employees if the City Council determines that the public works may be done better or more economically by the City's own employees, and, upon such determination, the City may proceed to have the public works done without further observance of Charter section 1310;

**WHEREAS**, the City's Water Utility desires to perform certain public works, including the installation of water services, as set forth in the Report to Council dated August 21, 2018, by its own employees; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City's Water and Sewer Utilities has in-house knowledge and trained personnel operating and maintaining the water systems and infrastructure that can be leveraged to complete the limited size and scope of this work more economically than by outside contractors.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF SANTA CLARA AS FOLLOWS:**

1. The City Council of the City of Santa Clara does hereby declare and determine that the public works set forth in the August 21, 2018 Report to Council, attached hereto and incorporated by this reference, may be performed better or more economically by the City with its own employees.
2. Effective date. This resolution shall become effective immediately.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THE FOREGOING TO BE A TRUE COPY OF A RESOLUTION PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY OF SANTA CLARA, CALIFORNIA, AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF HELD ON THE \_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, 2018, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: COUNCILORS:

NOES: COUNCILORS:

ABSENT: COUNCILORS:

ABSTAINED: COUNCILORS:

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_

JENNIFER YAMAGUMA  
ACTING CITY CLERK  
CITY OF SANTA CLARA

Attachments incorporated by reference: August 21, 2018 Report to Council.