RESOLUTION NO. PC 02-2018

A RESOLUTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF FORT BRAGG RECOMMENDING THAT THE CITY COUNCIL ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION AND ADOPT THE FORT BRAGG INLAND LAND USE & DEVELOPMENT CODE AMENDMENT 1-18

- WHEREAS, the City of Fort Bragg ("City") adopted an Inland General Plan and certified an Environmental Impact Report Addendum ("EIR Addendum") for the General Plan on December 2, 2012; and
- WHEREAS, the City of Fort Bragg ("City") adopted an Inland Land Use and Development Code and Negative Declaration on March 6, 2014; and
- WHEREAS, the City of Fort Bragg ("City") adopted an Inland Land Use and Development Code and Negative Declaration on May 20, 2017; and
- **WHEREAS**, the adoption of an Inland Land Use and Development Code is necessary to: 1) provide a regulatory framework for implementation of the Inland General Plan; 2) to implement new state planning and land use requirements; and 3) update zoning regulations in accordance with City Council policy direction; and
- WHEREAS, the Community Development Committee held a community workshop to review, discuss and provide direction regarding the proposed change to the Inland Land Use and Development Code to allow bee keeping in all zoning districts and to allow more bee hives with a Minor Use Permit; and
- WHEREAS, a Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared as the CEQA document for the amendment to the Inland Land Use and Development Code, and the City filed a Notice of Determination with the State Secretary of Resources via the State Clearinghouse, and the Negative Declaration was circulated for the required thirty day public review period from April 30, 2017 to May 20, 2018; and
- **WHEREAS**, no comments on the Mitigated Negative Declaration were received during the public review period; and
- **WHEREAS,** based on the Mitigated Negative Declaration, the Planning Commission concurs with the Community Development Director's determination that adoption of the Inland Land Use and Development Code would not have a significant effect on the environment; and
- WHEREAS, the Planning Commission considered the Mitigated Negative Declaration and the Inland Land Use and Development Code at noticed public hearings on May 23, 2018, at which time all interested parties had the opportunity to be heard.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Planning Commission of the City of Fort Bragg does hereby find that the foregoing recitals are true and correct and made a part of this resolution; and the Planning Commission has reviewed and considered the Negative Declaration and the Inland Land Use and Development Code and hereby recommends that the City Council adopt the Negative Declaration and the Inland Land Use and Development Code based on the following findings as required by section 18.94.060(B):

- a. The proposed amendment is consistent with the General Plan and any applicable specific plan; and
- b. The proposed amendment would not be detrimental to the public interest, health, safety, convenience, or welfare of the City.
- c. The proposed amendment is internally consistent with other applicable provisions of the Development Code.

The above and foregoing Resolution was introduced by the Commissioner, seconded by Commissioner, adopted at a regular meeting of the Planning Commission of the City of Fort Bragg held on the 23rd day of May, 2018, by the following vote:	
AYES:	
NOES:	
ABSENT:	
	Teresa Rodriguez, Chair
ATTEST:	
Joanna Gonzales, Administrative Assistant	