

**RESOLUTION NO. 6444**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDENA, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING THE ENGINEER'S REPORT FOR THE GARDENA ARTESIA BOULEVARD LANDSCAPING ASSESSMENT DISTRICT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021, DECLARING ITS INTENTION TO LEVY AND COLLECT ASSESSMENTS UNDER THE GARDENA ARTESIA BOULEVARD LANDSCAPING ASSESSMENT DISTRICT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021, AND SETTING A TIME AND PLACE FOR HEARING PROTESTS IN RELATION THERETO (PUBLIC HEARING: June 9, 2020)

WHEREAS, the City of Gardena, California, previously established the Gardena Artesia Boulevard Landscaping Assessment District; and

WHEREAS, on March 10, 2020, the City Council of the City of Gardena, California, adopted Resolution No. 6435 that requires City Council to direct the City Manager to order Engineering Staff to prepare and file a report according to the provisions of the "Landscaping and Lighting Act of 1972" of the State of California Streets and Highways Code, Division 15, Part 2, for assessments to be levied upon and collected through the Gardena Artesia Boulevard Landscaping Assessment District for fiscal year 2020-2021; and

WHEREAS, the Engineer's Report bearing the date of May 12, 2020, was prepared and was filed in the office of the City Clerk; and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk has presented the Engineer's Report to the City Council, and said Council has examined and considered the Engineer's Report and is satisfied with all the items contained in Engineer's Report; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Gardena, California, proposes to levy and collect annual assessments according to the "Landscaping and Lighting Act of 1972" of the State of California Streets and Highways Code, Division 15, Part 2, for Fiscal Year 2020-2021;

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NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDENA, CALIFORNIA, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That the Engineer's Report bearing the date of May 12, 2020, was prepared and filed with the City Clerk in conformity with the provisions of the State of California Streets and Highways Code, Division 15, Part 2, Landscaping and Lighting Act of 1972. The Engineer's Report contains the plans and specifications for the maintenance of the improvements, an estimate of the costs of the maintenance and servicing, a diagram for the assessment district and an assessment of the estimated costs of the maintenance and servicing of the improvements.

SECTION 2. The City Council approves the Engineer's Report as filed and sets a public hearing for Tuesday, June 9, 2020, at 7:30 p.m., in the Gardena City Council Chambers, 1700 West 162nd Street, in the City of Gardena, California, to consider the levy and collection of the assessment for the Gardena Artesia Boulevard Landscaping Assessment District for Fiscal Year 2020-2021.

SECTION 3. The City Clerk or designee is authorized and directed to give notice of the hearing in time, form, and manner as required by the California Streets and Highways Code, Division 15, Part 2, Landscaping and Lighting Act of 1972.

SECTION 4. That the City Council declares its intention to levy upon and collect assessments at the same rate as previously established through the Gardena Artesia Boulevard Landscaping Assessment District for Fiscal Year 2020-2021, except that no assessments shall be imposed upon property owned by the state or federal government or any local agency.

SECTION 5. That the boundaries of the Gardena Artesia Boulevard Landscaping Assessment District are as shown and described in the attached map and incorporated by reference.

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SECTION 6. That the purposes of the District are those provided for in the Engineer's Report on file with the City Clerk.

SECTION 7. That this resolution shall take effect immediately.

SECTION 8. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution; shall enter the resolution among the original resolutions of the City; and shall make a record of the passage and adoption in the records of the proceedings of the City Council of the City in the minutes of the meeting at which the resolution was passed and adopted.

Passed, approved, and adopted this 12th day of May, 2020.



TASHA CERDA, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
for MINA SEMENZA, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
CARMEN VASQUEZ, City Attorney

STATE OF CALIFORNIA                    )  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES            ) SS:  
CITY OF GARDENA                        )

I, **MINA SEMENZA**, City Clerk of the City of Gardena, do hereby certify that the whole number of members of the City Council of said City is five; that the foregoing Resolution, being **Resolution No. 6444** duly passed and adopted by the City Council of said City of Gardena, approved and signed by the Mayor of said City, and attested by the City Clerk, all at a regular meeting of said City Council held on the **12<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2020**, and that the same was so passed and adopted by the following roll call vote:

AYES:     COUNCIL MEMBER TANAKA, MAYOR PRO TEM HENDERSON, COUNCIL  
          MEMBERS KASKANIAN AND FRANCIS, AND MAYOR CERDA

NOES:     NONE

ABSENT:  NONE

*for* Becky Romero  
City Clerk of the City of Gardena, California

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