

RESOLUTION NO. 114-2023

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PACIFICA
ACCEPTING A MEASURE K GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$20,000 FROM
THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO AND APPROVING THE MEASURE K
GRANT AGREEMENT TO PROVIDE SUPPORT FOR
THE COASTSIDE NEWS GROUP, INC., THROUGH A ONE-TIME GRANT

WHEREAS, the Coastside News Group, Inc. (CNGI) is the primary source for local news about the San Mateo County coast and serves the approximately 60,000 residents from Pacifica to Pescadero; and

WHEREAS, the Pacifica Tribune newspaper and the Coastside magazine provide essential local news coverage and public information to help keep Pacifica residents informed and engaged on local issues; and

WHEREAS, County District 3 Supervisor Mueller has proposed a one-time grant of \$20,000 from the County to the City to support CNGI operational expenses to allow for a continuance of newsgathering, to strengthen a critical local media institution, and to serve as a foundation to encourage philanthropic pledges so that CNGI may build a diverse and sustainable funding stream and invest in the County's broader information ecosystem;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Pacifica that the City Council accepts a Measure K Grant in the amount of \$20,000 from the County of San Mateo and approves the Measure K Grant Agreement to provide support for the Coastside News Group, Inc., through a one-time grant.

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PASSED AND ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Pacifica, California, held on the 25th day of September, 2023, by the following vote:

AYES, Councilmembers: *Beckmeyer, Bier, Bigstycck, Boles, Vatorlaus.*

NOES, Councilmembers: *n/a*

ABSENT, Councilmembers: *n/a*

ABSTAIN, Councilmembers: *n/a*

Tygarjas Twyrle Bigstycck
Tygarjas Twyrle Bigstycck, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sarah Coffey

Sarah Coffey, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Michelle Kenyon

For Michelle Kenyon, City Attorney