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RESOLUTION NO. 2017-R 014

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
CULVER CITY, CALIFORNIA, SUPPORTING STATE
SENATE BILL 54, THE CALIFORNIA VALUES ACT.

WHEREAS, the City of Culver City is home to thousands of people of different
races, religions, sexual orientations, and national and ethnic origins; and

WHEREAS, the City values and embraces the diversity of its residents and
businesses, which strengthen our community and makes our economy strong; and

WHEREAS, the City Council’s 2016 Legislative and Policy Platform states
that the City of Culver City “commits to pursuing a policy agenda that affirms civil and
human rights, and ensures that those targeted on the basis of race, religion, sexual
orientation, or immigration status can turn to government without fear of recrimination;” and

WHEREAS, on October 12, 2016, the City Council reaffirmed its policy goals,
and adopted Resolution No. 2016-R099, condemning violence and hate speech, and
expressing solidarity with those targeted for their ethnicity, race, religion or sexual
orientation; and

WHEREAS, among other things, Senate Bill 54, known as the California
Values Act, would prohibit state and local law enforcement agencies and school police
from:

- (1) using resources to investigate, interrogate, detain, detect or arrest persons for immigration enforcement purposes, including but not limited to inquiring into or collecting information about an individual’s immigration status, detaining an individual on the basis of a hold request, and responding to requests for notification or transfer requests;
- (2) providing or responding to requests for nonpublicly available personal information about an individual, including but not limited to information about a person’s release date, home address or work address, for immigration purposes, or

1 (3) giving federal immigration authorities access to interview individuals in
2 agency or department custody for immigration enforcement purposes;

3 (4) performing the functions of an immigration officer; and

4 WHEREAS, Senate Bill 54 would repeal Health and Safety Code §11369,
5 which provides that when there is reason to believe a person arrested for specified
6 controlled substance provisions may not be a citizen of the United States, the arresting
7 agency shall notify the appropriate agency of the United States having charge of
8 deportation matters; and

9 WHEREAS, Senate Bill 54 provides that the California Attorney General shall
10 publish model policies for limiting immigration enforcement to the fullest extent possible
11 consistent with state and federal law at public schools, health facilities operated by the
12 state or a political subdivision of the state, courthouses and shelters, to ensure that they
13 remain safe and accessible to all California residents, regardless of immigration status; and

14 WHEREAS, the City of Culver City supports protecting the safety, well-being
15 and constitutional rights of the people of the State of California, and supports directing the
16 state's limited resources to matters of greatest concern to state and local governments.

17 NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Culver City, California,
18 DOES HEREBY RESOLVE as follows:

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That the City Council of the City of Culver City hereby supports Senate Bill 54, the California Values Act.

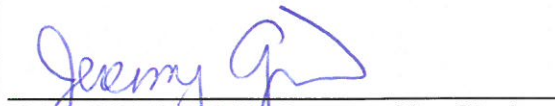
APPROVED AND ADOPTED on the 27 day of February, 2017.



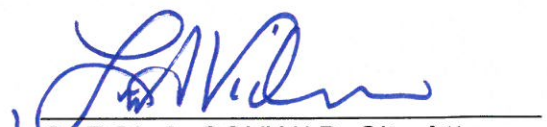
JIM B. CLARKE, Mayor
City of Culver City, California

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



JEREMY GREEN, Deputy City Clerk



CAROL A. SCHWAB, City Attorney

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