

RESOLUTION NO. R00-32

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF PALOS VERDES ESTATES, CALIFORNIA,
ADOPTING THE AUDITOR'S REPORT AND
SETTING THE RATE FOR THE CITY-WIDE
FIRE SUPPRESSION BENEFIT DISTRICT (A.D. NO. 22)
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2000-2001**

The City Council of the City of Palos Verdes Estates hereby resolves as follows:

Section 1. The City Council finds and determined as follows:

a. On April 9, 1996, the City of Palos Verdes Estates (the "City") and the Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County (the "Fire District") entered into Amendment Number One to the Annexation Agreement between the City of Palos Verdes Estates and the Consolidated Fire Protection District of Los Angeles County, extending and modifying the Annexation Agreement as previously approved and obligating the Fire District to provide certain fire protection services and the City to pay for said services therein specified (the "Agreement").

b. On April 23, 1996, the City Council of the City of Palos Verdes Estates adopted Resolution No. R96-19, establishing the renewal of Assessment District No. 22, including the procedures for determining the amounts which may be assessed thereunder to provide a revenue source for the City's obligations under the Agreement.

c. On November 26, 1996, the City Council adopted Resolution R96-49, making findings and reconfirming the establishment of said assessment procedures, and directing the adoption of assessments in each subsequent fiscal year to occur in accordance with the procedures established for Assessment District No. 22, as adopted by Resolution No. R96-19.

d. The Auditor's Report, City-Wide Fire Suppression Benefit Assessment District A.D. No. 22, 1999-2000 Fiscal Year, dated June 27, 2000 (the "Auditor's Report") on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Palos Verdes Estates and incorporated herein by this reference, was prepared in accordance with the requirements of Resolution R96-19 and Resolution R96-49.

Section 2. The Auditor's Report is hereby approved, confirmed, and adopted, and a copy thereof shall remain on file with the City Clerk and shall be available for public inspection.

Section 3. The assessments as set out in the Auditor's Report are approved, confirmed, and adopted for the purpose of funding fire suppression services in the City.

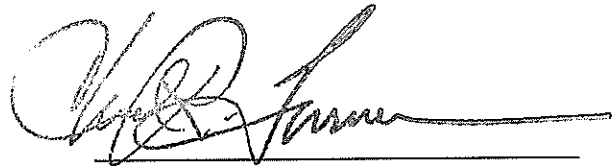
Section 4. The levy and the collection of the assessments shall be made as set out in Resolution R96-19, at the same time and in the same manner as ordinary real property taxes or other assessments on real estate, and shall be subject to the same penalties and interest and to the same procedures under foreclosure and sale in case of delinquency as provided for such real estate taxes or assessments on real property. All laws applicable to the levy, collection, and enforcement of real estate taxes and/or assessments on real property are hereby made applicable to such assessments, except as specified in Resolution R96-49.

Section 5. Any property owner eligible for an exemption from the City's utility user's tax pursuant to Palos Verdes Estates Municipal Code Section 3.16.080 shall also be entitled to an exemption from the payment of any assessment levied pursuant to the provisions of this Resolution. The exemption provided by this section of the Resolution shall be administered pursuant to the provisions of Palos Verdes Estates Municipal Code Section 3.16.080.

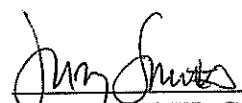
Section 6. The City Manager and the City Clerk are authorized to provide such information and appropriate notices as the County Recorder or other appropriate County official may deem necessary or desirable in order to effectuate the intent and purpose of this Resolution.

Section 7. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 27th day of June, 2000.


CHAD TURNER, Mayor

ATTEST:


JUDY SMITH, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


STEPHANIE SCHER, City Attorney

