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RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHULA VISTA APPROPRIATING A \$100,000 SMART GROWTH INCENTIVE PROGRAM PLANNING GRANT TO THE TRANSNET FUND FOR DEVELOPMENT OF THE HEALTHY CHULA VISTA INITIATIVE

WHEREAS, jurisdictions are becoming increasingly aware that cities play a critical role in supporting the health and well-being of their communities; and

WHEREAS, factors contributing to a community's health can include walkable neighborhoods, quality parks and open space areas, efficient transportation, and safe, clean environments; and

WHEREAS, the Chula Vista Strategic Plan in 2013 specifically highlights supporting an environment that fosters health and wellness, protecting natural resources and promoting sustainability, and providing parks and recreational opportunities; and

WHEREAS, the City Council in January 2013 approved submittal of a grant application to the San Diego Association of Governments' (SANDAG) TRANSNET Smart Growth Incentive Program to develop a more comprehensive healthy communities plan and to begin integrating healthy community concepts into planning and design documents; and

WHEREAS, the City of Chula Vista was recently awarded a two-year, \$100,000 grant by SANDAG to draft a "Healthy Chula Vista" Action Plan, amend the General Plan, Subdivision Manual, Design Standards Manual, and other implementing documents to align with the new Action Plan, and create design schematics for two "Healthy Corridor" pilot areas on H Street (between 5 freeway & Third Avenue) and Broadway (between C & J Streets); and

WHEREAS, an internal multi-departmental team and community stakeholders will be frequently engaged to provide guidance on the Healthy Chula Vista initiative's development and implementation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista, that it amends the Transportation Sales Tax Fund's (TransNet) fiscal year 2013-14 budget by appropriating \$85,000 to the Other Expense category and \$15,000 to the Supplies and Services category to be offset by a SANDAG Smart Growth Incentive Program grant to implement healthy communities planning tasks.

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