

RESOLUTION NO. CC 2026-__

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA HABRA, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING THE APPLICATION FOR GRANT FUNDS FROM THE COUNTY OF ORANGE OC WASTE & RECYCLING REGIONAL RECYCLING AND EDIBLE FOOD RECOVERY GRANT (RREFR) PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the County of Orange, through OC Waste & Recycling (OCWR), administers the Regional Recycling and Edible Food Recovery Grant (RREFR) Program to support the expansion and enhancement of edible food recovery infrastructure and programs within Orange County; and

WHEREAS, the RREFR Program provides competitive grant funding to assist local jurisdictions and eligible entities in meeting the requirements of California Senate Bill 1383 (SB 1383), which mandates reductions in organic waste disposal and increases in edible food recovery; and

WHEREAS, the City of La Habra is committed to supporting sustainable waste reduction practices, enhancing food recovery systems, and ensuring compliance with SB 1383 regulations; and

WHEREAS, the City of La Habra desires to apply for grant funding to support the Gary Center's food distribution program by improving infrastructure, making safety improvements, and increasing capacity for the food distribution program; and

WHEREAS, OCWR requires a resolution from the governing body authorizing the submittal of a grant application and identifying individuals authorized to execute all grant-related documents; and

WHEREAS, the City of La Habra understands that, if awarded, it will enter into a grant agreement with OC Waste & Recycling and agrees to comply with all program requirements, including reporting, funding conditions, and long-term project sustainability commitments.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA HABRA HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: The City Council of the City of La Habra authorizes the submittal of an application to the County of Orange OC Waste & Recycling Regional Recycling and Edible Food Recovery Grant (RREFR) Program for grant funding.

SECTION 2: The City Manager, Public Works Director, or his/her designee is hereby authorized to act on behalf of the City of La Habra to submit the grant application and to execute all documents necessary to secure grant funds, including but not limited to applications, agreements, amendments, certifications, and payment requests.

SECTION 3: The City of La Habra agrees to comply with all applicable terms, conditions, and assurances of the RREFR Program, including project implementation, reporting, and maintenance of funded assets for the required period.

SECTION 4: The City of La Habra acknowledges the requirement to sustain the project and its outcomes beyond the grant term and commits to identifying and providing necessary resources to ensure continued operation.

SECTION 5: The City of La Habra agrees to provide any required matching funds or ongoing operational funding necessary to support the project, as described in the grant application.

SECTION 6. This resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 15th day of June, 2026.

José Medrano
Mayor

ATTEST:

Rhonda J. Barone, CMC
City Clerk

STATE OF CALIFORNIA }
COUNTY OF ORANGE } SS.
CITY OF LA HABRA }

I, Rhonda J. Barone, CMC, City Clerk for the City of La Habra, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution No. CC 2026-__ introduced and adopted at a meeting of the City Council of the City of La Habra held on the 15th day of June, 2026, by the following roll call vote:

AYES: COUNCILMEMBERS:
NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS:
ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS:
ABSTAIN: COUNCILMEMBERS:

Witness my hand and the official seal of the City of La Habra this 15th day of June, 2026.

Rhonda J. Barone, CMC
City Clerk