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A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO EXTENDING THE ORDINANCE ENACTING A TEMPORARY MORATORIUM ON EVICTIONS DUE TO NON-PAYMENT OF RENT FOR RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL TENANTS AS A RESULT OF THE STATE OF EMERGENCY RELATED TO THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS, COVID-19.

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2020, the San Diego City Council adopted Ordinance
O-21177 (Ordinance) enacting a temporary moratorium on evictions for nonpayment of rent by
residential and commercial tenants in the City of San Diego who are impacted by the novel
coronavirus, COVID-19, as described in the Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, the Ordinance is in effect through May 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, according to Section 1(f) of the Ordinance, the Council may extend the Ordinance by resolution, if conditions at the time warrant an extension; and

WHEREAS, COVID-19 continues to cause, and is expected to continue to cause, serious negative impacts on the local economy and serious financial impacts to residents and businesses, including substantial loss of income due to the loss of compensable work hours or wages, layoffs, and business closures; and

WHEREAS, since adoption of the Ordinance, the Governor, the San Diego County

Public Health Officer, and the Mayor have issued additional orders and directives to respond to
the COVID-19 emergency that continue to curtail certain business operations; and

WHEREAS, on March 27, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order N-37-20 adopting a statewide eviction moratorium that provided residential tenants with protections during the eviction process, including giving tenants more time to respond to a complaint; and

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WHEREAS, there are currently more than 5,000 confirmed cases of COVID-19 within

San Diego County, more than 69,000 in California, and at least 2,800 COVID-19-related deaths

in California, and these statistics have been increasing daily since adoption of the Ordinance; and

WHEREAS, a result of the outbreak and governmental responses, the San Diego region

has seen a significant increase in unemployment and job losses; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of San Diego desires to extend the temporary

moratorium on residential and commercial evictions due to the uncertainty of the public health

projections that require people to remain at home and the significant number of workers who

have suddenly lost jobs, along with the instability in housing and the general economic forecasts

all due to the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of San Diego, that Ordinance

O-21177, adopted March 25, 2020, adopting a temporary moratorium on evictions for residential

and commercial tenants is extended and shall remain in effect through June 30, 2020.

APPROVED: MARA W. ELLIOTT, City Attorney

By

/s/ Heather M. Ferbert

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Deputy City Attorney

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meeting of May 19, 2020	as passed by the Council of the City of San Diego, at the
	ELIZABETH S. MALAND City Clerk
	By /s/ Matthew R. Hilario Deputy City Clerk
Approved: 5/31/2020	KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor
Vetoed:(date)	KEVIN L. FAULCONER, Mayor

Passed by the Council of The Ci	ty of San Dieg	go on <u>MAY</u>	1 9 2020	, by the following vote:
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