

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-30

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ESCONDIDO, CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF CALIFORNIA LIBRARY LITERACY SERVICES ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE GRANT FUNDS, AND THE EXECUTION, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY, OF GRANT-RELATED DOCUMENTS

WHEREAS, the Escondido Public Library is a current recipient of California Library Literacy Services grant funding; and

WHEREAS, in June 2021 the California Legislature approved one-time California Library Literacy Services funding of \$15 million for English as a Second Language Services. These funds will be allocated over a five-year period and the State Library has awarded Escondido Public Library \$52,000 in Year 1 funding; and

WHEREAS, the City of Escondido desires to strengthen the library's capacity to deliver high-quality English as a Second Language services, help adults develop confidence and skills in their verbal and written communication; and achieve personal goals such as the pursuit of higher education.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Escondido, California:

1. That the above recitations are true.
2. That the City Council authorizes the Deputy City Manager / Director of Communications and Community Services, or her designee, to receive grant funds and execute, on its behalf, grant-related documents necessary for the completion of the aforementioned program.