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Date: February 13, 2020

To: COMMISSIONERS AND INTERESTED PERSONS

From: STAFF

Subject: Request to Waive Time Limit for City of San Diego LCP Amendment No. LCP-6-SAN-19-0142-2 (Fiesta Island Update) for the Commission Meeting of March 11-13, 2020

On January 10, 2020, the City of San Diego Local Coastal Program (LCP) Amendment No. LCP-SAN-19-0142-2 was filed in the San Diego District office. The amendment involves updating the certified Mission Bay Park Master Plan (LUP) to update the land uses on the Fiesta Island portion of the park. Mission Bay Park is an area of deferred certification in the City, but the proposed amendment will affect the certified Land Use Plan (LUP) for the park.

Pursuant to Section 30512 of the Coastal Act, the Commission must act on land use plan amendments within 90 working days of complete submittal or filing. Based on the above-cited time limits, the proposed LCP amendment must be scheduled for review by the Commission at the April 15-16, 2020 meeting. However, Section 30517 of the Coastal Act and Section 13535(c) of the California Code of Regulations state that the Commission may extend for good cause any applicable time limits for a period not to exceed one year.

Commission staff is requesting the time extension due to insufficient staff time to adequately review the amendment and prepare a recommendation. In addition, the City has been consulted and has indicated the request for postponement is acceptable. Staff recommends the Commission extend the 90-day time limit for one year.

PROCEDURE

MOTION:

I move that the Commission extend the 90-day time limit to act on the City of San Diego's LCP Amendment No. LCP-6-SAN-19-0142-2 for one year.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends a YES vote. An affirmative vote of the majority of the Commissioners present is needed to pass the motion.