CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-073

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA OPPOSING PROPOSITION 6 TO REPEAL SENATE BILL 1, THE ROAD REPAIR AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 1 (SB 1), the Road Repair and Accountability Act of 2017 (Chapter 5, Statutes of 2017), was signed into law by the Governor in April 2017 to address transportation funding shortfalls by increasing gas and vehicle fees and taxes, which are projected to generate \$5 billion a year in funding, and

WHEREAS, an initiative referred to as Proposition 6 will be placed on the November 6, 2018 ballot, which, if approved, would amend the State Constitution to require voter approval of the recently-enacted SB 1 as well as any future increases in gas and vehicle taxes; and

WHEREAS, there are more than 6,500 local transportation projects underway throughout the State funded in part, or entirely, with SB 1 funds, that may be in jeopardy if Proposition 6 passes; and

WHEREAS, the City's current SB 1 revenue is helping to augment its paving efforts, including the resurfacing of 16 streets and Ocean Avenue in Fiscal Year 2017-2018, and the Fiscal Year 2018-2019 revenue is programmed to assist in the cost of resurfacing up to 34 street segments; and

WHEREAS, SB 1 funding to the City is anticipated to increase over time as new gas and vehicles taxes are phased in and adjusted for inflation, resulting in a projected \$890,000 in total new revenue to the City over the next ten years to be used toward street maintenance and repair efforts; and

WHEREAS, the passage of Proposition 6 will result in the loss of funding directly to the City for local streets as well as funding for regional transportation projects and public transit that impact the community.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA DOES HEREBY FINDS AND ORDERS THE FOLLOWING:

- 1. Opposes Proposition 6 on the November 6, 2018 ballot to repeal SB1 and transportation funding.
- Authorizes the City to be listed as a member of the Coalitions to Protect Local Transportation Improvements, a diverse coalition of local government, business, labor, transportation, and other organizations throughout the state, in opposing the repeal of SB 1 through Proposition 6.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA this 6th day of August, 2018 by the following roll call vote:

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

SIGNED:

ATTEST:

Steve G. Dallas, Mayor

Thomas A. Graves, MMC City Clerk