RESOLUTION NO. 20-20

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
GOLETA, CALIFORNIA AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 20-18 TO
ADD PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF EVICTION ORDERS

The City Council of the City of Goleta does hereby find, order and resolve as follows:

SECTION 1. Recitals.

A. On March 17, 2020, the City Council adopted Resolution 20-18 which ratified the City Manager’s emergency declaration due to COVID-19 and imposed attendant orders to close restaurants, gyms, movie theaters and the like; to prohibit the use of City play structures and exercise equipment in its parks; and to prohibit residential and commercial evictions based on nonpayment of rent due to loss of income from COVID-19.

B. On March 19, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order 33-20, which ordered all residents to immediately heed current State public health directives to stay home, except as needed to maintain continuity of operations of essential critical infrastructure sectors and additional sectors as the State Public Health Officer may designate as critical to protect health and well-being of all Californians.

SECTION 2. Resolution No. 20-18 is hereby amended to include penalty provisions to the eviction prohibitions as follows:

A. Add a new number 8 to Section 5(B) to read as follows:

“In addition to enforcement remedies available to the City as provided in the Goleta Municipal Code, this Section 5(B) shall be enforceable by way of an administrative citation pursuant to Goleta Municipal Code Chapter 1.02. Pursuant to GMC section 1.02.080 Amount of Administrative Fines, the amount of fine for a violation of this Section 5(B) shall be as follows: $5,000 per occurrence for the first violation; $7,500 per occurrence for the second violation; and $10,000 per occurrence for third violation or subsequent violations committed within one year of the first violation.”

B. Add a new number 6 to Section 5(C) to read as follows:

“In addition to enforcement remedies available to the City as provided in the Goleta Municipal Code, this Section 5(C) shall be enforceable by way of an administrative citation pursuant to Goleta Municipal Code Chapter 1.02. Pursuant to GMC section 1.02.080 Amount of Administrative Fines, the amount of fine for a violation of this Section 5(C) shall be as follows: $5,000 per occurrence for the first violation; $7,500 per occurrence for the second violation; and $10,000 per occurrence for third violation or subsequent violations committed within one year of the first violation.”
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SECTION 3. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this resolution and enter it into the book of original resolutions.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 7th day of April 2020.

PAULA PEROTTE
MAYOR

ATTEST:

DEBORAH S. LOPEZ
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

MICHAEL JENKINS
CITY ATTORNEY
STATE OF CALIFORNIA       
COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA   ss.
CITY OF GOLETA           

I, DEBORAH S. LOPEZ, City Clerk of the City of Goleta, California, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution No. 20-20 was duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Goleta at a regular meeting held on the 7th day of April, 2020 by the following roll call vote of the City Council:

AYES:          MAYOR PEROTTE, MAYOR PRO TEMPORE RICHARDS, COUNCILMEMBERS KASDIN AND KYRIACO

NOES:          COUNCILMEMBER ACEVES

ABSENT:        NONE

ABSTENTIONS:   NONE

(SEAL)

DEBORAH S. LOPEZ
CITY CLERK

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