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REVISION OF RENT

LESSEE:

Cynthia D. Williams and Nicholas DiBenedetto, Trustee of the Williams-DiBenedetto Trust, dated July 30, 2008.

LAND TYPE AND LOCATION:

Sovereign land in Huntington Harbour, adjacent to 16632 Coral Cay Lane, city of Huntington Beach, Orange County.

AUTHORIZED USE:

The continued use and maintenance of an existing boat dock and access ramp, and the retention of an existing cantilevered deck extending no more than five feet waterward of the bulkhead.

LEASE TERM:

10 years, beginning October 26, 2009.

CONSIDERATION:

This lease provides that Lessor may modify the rent periodically during the lease term. Pursuant to this provision, staff conducted a review of the rent under this lease and recommends that rent be revised from \$1,854 per year to \$2,225 per year, effective October 26, 2014.

OTHER PERTINENT INFORMATION:

- 1. Lessee has the right to use the upland adjacent to the Lease Premises.
- 2. On June 28, 2010, the Commission authorized a General Lease Recreational Use to Cynthia D. Williams and Nicholas DiBenedetto, Trustee of the Williams-DiBenedetto Trust, dated July 30 2008, for the continued use and maintenance of an existing boat dock and access ramp and an existing cantilevered deck extending no more than five feet waterward of the bulkhead; the lease commenced on October 26, 2009, and will expire on October 25, 2019.

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- 3. The lease was authorized by the Commission prior to the enactment of Chapter 585, Statutes of 2011, which replaced the rent-free provision of a prior version of Public Resources Code section 6503.5 with a requirement to charge rent for private recreational piers constructed on state lands. Consequently, no rent is charged under the current lease for the existing boat dock and access ramp. Rent is charged for the cantilevered deck. Staff conducted the rent review called for in the lease and recommends the rent increase for the cantilevered deck.
- 4. Staff recommends that the Commission find that the subject revision of rent does not have a potential for resulting in either a direct or a reasonably foreseeable indirect physical change in the environment, and is, therefore, not a project in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

Authority: Public Resources Code section 21065 and California Code of Regulations, Title 14, sections 15060, subdivision (c)(3), and 15378.

EXHIBIT:

A. Site and Location Map

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

It is recommended that the Commission:

CEQA FINDING:

Find that the subject revision of rent is not subject to the requirements of CEQA pursuant to California Code of Regulations, Title 14, section 15060, subdivision (c)(3), because the subject activity is not a project as defined by Public Resources Code section 21065 and California Code of Regulations, Title 14, section 15378.

AUTHORIZATION:

Approve the revision of rent for Lease No. PRC 5749.1 from \$1,854 per year to \$2,225 per year, effective October 26, 2014.

