RESOLUTION NO. 16-13

A RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE FORT ORD REUSE AUTHORITY Certifying the City of Marina Housing Element 2015-2023

THIS RESOLUTION is adopted with reference to the following facts and circumstances:

- A. On June 13, 1997, the Fort Ord Reuse Authority ("FORA") adopted the Final Base Reuse Plan under Government Code Section 67675, et seq.
- B. After FORA adopted the reuse plan, Government Code Section 67675, et seq. requires each county or city within the former Fort Ord to submit to FORA its general plan or amended general plan and zoning ordinances, and to submit project entitlements, and legislative land use decisions that satisfy the statutory requirements.
- C. By Resolution No. 98-1, the Authority Board of FORA adopted policies and procedures implementing the requirements in Government Code 67675, et seq.
- D. The City of Marina ("Marina") is a member of FORA. Marina has land use authority over land situated within the former Fort Ord and subject to FORA's jurisdiction.
- E. After a noticed public meeting on June 21, 2016, Marina adopted the General Plan Amendment for the City of Marina Housing Element ("Housing Element"), affecting lands on the former Fort Ord. Marina also found the Housing Element is consistent with the Fort Ord Base Reuse Plan, FORA's plans and policies and the FORA Act and considered the Fort Ord Base Reuse Plan Environmental Impact Report ("EIR") in their review and deliberations.
- F. On June 21, 2016, Marina recommended that FORA certify the Housing Element as consistent with FORA's Final Base Reuse Plan, certified by the Board on June 13, 1997. Marina submitted to FORA its Housing Element together with the accompanying documentation.
- G. Consistent with the Implementation Agreements between FORA and Marina, on June 24, 2016, Marina provided FORA with a complete copy of the submittal for lands on the former Fort Ord, the resolutions and/or ordinance approving it, a staff report and materials relating to Marina's action, a reference to the environmental documentation and/or CEQA findings, and findings and evidence supporting its determination that the Housing Element is consistent with the Fort Ord Base Reuse Plan and the FORA Act (collectively, "Supporting Material"). Marina requested that FORA certify the Housing Element as being consistent with the Fort Ord Base Reuse Plan for those portions of Marina that lie within the jurisdiction of FORA.
- H. FORA's Executive Officer and the FORA Administrative Committee reviewed Marina's application for consistency evaluation. The Executive Officer submitted a report recommending that the FORA Board find that the Housing Element is consistent with the Fort Ord Base Reuse Plan. The Administrative Committee reviewed the Supporting Material, received additional information, and concurred with the Executive Officer's recommendation. The Executive Officer set the matter for public hearing regarding consistency of the Housing Element before the FORA Board on July 8, 2016.

- I. Master Resolution, Chapter 8, Section 8.01.020(e) reads in part: "(e) In the event the Authority Board refuses to certify the legislative land use decision in whole or in part, the Authority Board's resolution making findings shall include suggested modifications which, if adopted and transmitted to the Authority Board by the affected land use agency, will allow the legislative land use decision to be certified. If such modifications are adopted by the affected land use agency as suggested, and the Executive Officer confirms such modifications have been made, the legislative land use decision shall be deemed certified..."
- J. FORA's review, evaluation, and determination of consistency is based on six criteria identified in section 8.02.010. Evaluation of these six criteria form a basis for the Board's decision to certify or to refuse to certify the legislative land use decision.
- K. The term "consistency" is defined in the General Plan Guidelines adopted by the State Office of Planning and Research as follows: "An action, program, or project is consistent with the general plan if, considering all its aspects, it will further the objectives and policies of the general plan and not obstruct their attainment." This includes compliance with required procedures such as section 8.02.010 of the FORA Master Resolution.
- L. Master Resolution, Chapter 8, Section 8.02.010(a)(1-6) reads: "(a) In the review, evaluation, and determination of consistency regarding legislative land use decisions, the Authority Board shall disapprove any legislative land use decision for which there is substantial evidence supported by the record, that (1) Provides a land use designation that allows more intense land uses than the uses permitted in the Reuse Plan for the affected territory; (2) Provides for a development more dense than the density of use permitted in the Reuse Plan for the affected territory; (3) Is not in substantial conformance with applicable programs specified in the Reuse Plan and Section 8.02.020 of this Master Resolution. (4) Provides uses which conflict or are incompatible with uses permitted or allowed in the Reuse Plan for the affected property or which conflict or are incompatible with open space, recreational, or habitat management areas within the jurisdiction of the Authority; (5) Does not require or otherwise provide for the financing and/or installation, construction, and maintenance of all infrastructure necessary to provide adequate public services to the property covered by the legislative land use decision; and (6) Does not require or otherwise provide for implementation of the Fort Ord Habitat Management Plan."

NOW THEREFORE the Board hereby resolves that:

- 1. The FORA Board acknowledges Marina's recommendations and actions of June 21, 2016 requesting that the FORA Board certify that the Housing Element and the Reuse Plan are consistent.
- 2. The FORA Board has reviewed and considered the Initial Study/Negative Declaration and Marina's environmental documentation, and finds that these documents provide substantial additional information for purposes of FORA's determination that the Housing Element and the Reuse Plan are consistent.
- 3. The FORA Board has considered all the materials submitted with this application for a consistency determination, the recommendations of the Executive Officer and the Administrative Committee, and the oral and written testimony presented at the hearings, all of which are hereby incorporated by reference.

- 4. The FORA Board certifies that the Housing Element is consistent with the Base Reuse Plan. The FORA Board further finds that its legislative decision is based in part upon the substantial evidence submitted and a weighing of the Reuse Plan's emphasis on a resource constrained sustainable reuse that evidences a balance between jobs created and housing provided.
- 5. The Housing Element will, considering all its aspects, further the objectives and policies of the Reuse Plan. The Marina application is hereby determined to satisfy the requirements of Title 7.85 of the Government Code and the Reuse Plan.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Fort Ord Reuse Authority Board of Directors this 8TH day of July, 2016 by the following roll call votes listed by name:

AYES:

EDELEN, HAFFA, GUNTER, KAMPE, MORTON, O'CONNELL,

OGLESBY, PARKER, PENDERGRASS, PHILLIPS, REIMERS, RUBIO

NOES:

NONE

ABSTENTIONS:

NONE

ABSENT:

POTTER

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Michael A. Houlemard, Jr., Clerk

Frank O'Connell, FORA Board Chair