RESOLUTION NO. 2013-19


WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Bell, California, pursuant to the provisions of Division 15, Part 2, of the Streets and Highways Code of the State of California, has initiated the proceedings for the annual levy of assessments for a landscape and lighting assessment district; and

WHEREAS, an Engineer's Report has been prepared and filed with the City Council; and

WHEREAS, the City Council, at its June 19, 2013 meeting, did approve said Engineer's Report and did adopt a Resolution of Intention to levy and collect assessments for the 2013-2014 fiscal year relating to the above referenced District and gave Notice of the date and time of July 17th, 2013 at 7:00 PM for the Hearing of protests as to the question of levying and collecting assessments; and

WHEREAS, the City Clerk did give Notice of the date and time of said Hearing according to statute; and

WHEREAS, at this time the City Council has heard all testimony and evidence and is desirous of proceeding with said annual levy of assessments.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BELL DOES HEREBY FIND, RESOLVE AND ORDER:

1. That the foregoing Recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein.

2. That no majority protest exists and all protests were overruled and denied.

3. That the City Council hereby confirms, approves, and adopts the description of property subject to levy, estimate of costs and assessments as submitted and orders the annual levy of the assessment for the fiscal year and in the amounts set forth in the Engineer's Report and as referred to in the Resolution of Intention as previously adopted relating to said annual assessment.

4. That the adoption of this Resolution constitutes the levy of the assessment for the fiscal year to cover the costs of administration and servicing of properties within the District.

5. That the maintenance work and improvements contemplated by the Resolution of Intention shall be performed pursuant to law during the fiscal year in accordance with the plans and specifications of the Engineer's Report.
6. The Los Angeles County Tax Assessor shall enter on the County Assessment Roll the amount of the Assessment and said Assessment shall be collected at the same time and in the same manner as the County taxes are collected. After collection by the County, the net amount of the assessment shall be paid to the City Treasurer of the City. The City Treasurer shall deposit all proceeds of such assessments into a Special Fund; and all payments made from such funds shall be for the purpose as set out in the Engineer's Report.

7. That the City Clerk shall transmit or cause to be transmitted to the County of Los Angeles, before August 9, 2013, a certified copy of the assessment roll, together with a certified copy of this Resolution.

8. That the City Clerk shall certify to the passage and adoption of this Resolution and shall cause the same to be processed in the manner required by law.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED this 17th day of July, 2013

By: ______________
Violeta Alvarez, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM

By: ______________
David Alesehir, City Attorney

CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTATION AND ORIGINALITY

I, Janet Martinez, Interim City Clerk of the City of Bell, hereby attest to and certify that the foregoing resolution is the original resolution adopted by the Bell City Council at its regular meeting held on the 17th day of July, 2013, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers Romero, Saleh, Valencia, Mayor Pro Tem Quintana and Mayor Alvarez

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

By: ______________
Janet Martinez, Interim City Clerk