

HAYWARD CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 16-

Introduced by Council Member _____

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF EFFORTS TO DISSOLVE EDEN HEALTHCARE DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the Eden Healthcare District, formerly known as the Eden Township Healthcare District, was formed in 1948 for the purpose of building and operating a hospital to serve the residents of the City of Hayward, the City of San Leandro, and the communities of San Lorenzo, Ashland, Cherryland, Fairview, and Castro Valley; and,

WHEREAS, the District no longer owns or operates a hospital or provides any direct healthcare services to the residents of its jurisdiction; and,

WHEREAS, the large majority of Eden Healthcare District's operating budget is allocated to real estate, administration, legal, and consulting fees; and,

WHEREAS, the impact of the District's activities on the health of its residents are minimal, if they exist at all; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council urges LAFCo to carry out any and all proceedings that would be necessary to dissolve Eden Health District; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Hayward and its City Council is committed to its ongoing partnership with the City of San Leandro and its City Council to achieve the above-outlined goals; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council supports efforts to ensure that the Cities of San Leandro and Hayward are provided with representation on any committees or boards charged with the distribution of any financial proceeds or assets that could be derived from dissolution of the District after payment of outstanding debts, and that such proceeds would benefit both San Leandro Hospital and Saint Rose Hospital, both of which are located within the geographic boundaries of Eden Health District.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Hayward hereby supports the dissolution of the Eden Healthcare District.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Hayward City Council authorizes the Mayor, the City Manager, and the City's legislative advocates to work with the City's partners at the City of San Leandro, throughout Alameda County and at the State level to pursue all

legislative, administrative, or procedural avenues that may be necessary to achieve the goals outlined above.

IN COUNCIL, HAYWARD, CALIFORNIA _____, 2016

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS:
 MAYOR:

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS:

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS:

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS:

ATTEST: _____
 City Clerk of the City of Hayward

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney of the City of Hayward