HAYWARD CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 19-

Introduced by	y Council	Member	

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN LETTERS OF SUPPORT FOR ASSEMBLY BILL 1080 AND SENATE BILL 54, BOTH KNOWN AS THE CALIFORNIA CIRCULAR ECOMOMY AND PLASTIC POLLUTION REDUCTION ACT

WHEREAS, in 1990, the Alameda County Recycling Board established the goal of at least 75% diversion of all discarded materials in Alameda County by 2010; and

WHEREAS, in 2007, Council adopted a goal of diverting at least 75% of waste from the landfill by 2010; and

WHEREAS, in late 2017, China, the market to which most recycling processors in the western United States sent mixed paper and certain plastics, ceased to accept most shipments causing local processors of mixed paper and mixed plastic to struggle to meet the new contamination limits and recycle material; and

WHEREAS, AB 1080 and SB 54 would set state goals to reduce waste from single-use packaging and products and ensure the remaining items are effectively recycled and establish a comprehensive framework to address pollution in California, which can help Hayward reduce litter; and

WHEREAS, these two companion bills would instruct CalRecycle to develop incentives and policies to encourage in-state manufacturing using recycled material generated in California, which can help Hayward meet its diversion goals; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council, hereby authorizes the Mayor to sign letters of support for recycling bills SB 54 and AB 1080.

IN COUNCIL, HAYWARD, CALIFORNIA	, 2019
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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 A	S TO FORM:
City Attornoy	of the City of Hayward
City Attorney	of the City of Hayward