## **RESOLUTION NO. 7255**

## A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDLANDS AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF AMENDMENT TO AN ENERGY LEADER PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF REDLANDS AND SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON

WHEREAS, Southern California Edison has created an Energy Leader Partnership Program to assist local governments in controlling the recent unprecedented increases in the costs of energy by identifying areas where energy use can be reduced; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redlands budget continues to be affected by the recent rise in the costs of energy and controlling energy costs is a necessary component of budget discipline; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redlands has adopted the U.S. Mayors' Climate Protection Agreement and a Climate Action Program to begin the process of reducing greenhouse gasses; and

WHEREAS, reducing energy use at the local level not only saves the City money, but significantly contributes to the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions; and

WHEREAS, entering into an agreement with Southern California Edison as an Energy Leader Partner will provide the City with invaluable technical assistance and access to no-interest loans for energy efficiency improvements financed from the energy savings;

## NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

<u>Section 1.</u> The City Council of the City of Redlands authorizes the Mayor or any member of the City Council of the City of Redlands to execute, in the name of the City of Redlands, an amendement to the Energy Leader Partnership Agreement dated August 31, 2012, making the City an Energy Leader Partner for the new funding cycle of 2013-2014 Program.

<u>Section 2.</u> The City Council of the City of Redlands authorizes the Quality of Life Department Director in the name of the City of Redlands to execute all necessary documentation, correspondence, and reports for the purposes of administering the City's participation in the Energy Leader Partnership Program for the new funding cycle of 2013-2014 Program.

ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED this 5<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2013.

Pete Aguilar, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sam Irwin, City Clerk

I, Sam Irwin, City Clerk of the City of Redlands, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the City Council at a regular meeting thereof held on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2013 by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers Harrison, Foster, Gardner, Gilbreath; Mayor Aguilar

NOES: None ABSTAIN: None ABSENT: None

Sam Irwin, City Clerk