RESOLUTION NO. 2013-30

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS AUTHORIZING INSTALLATION OF DOWNTOWN LOS ALTOS DIRECTIONAL SIGNS FOR THE NORTHBOUND AND SOUTHBOUND APPROACHES TO THE EL MONTE EXIT OF INTERSTATE 280

WHEREAS, downtown Los Altos is located off of the El Monte exit of Interstate 280; and

WHEREAS, the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) follows the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) as amended for California; and

WHEREAS, the MUTCD allows incorporated cities to request installation of signs to guide motorists to their downtown; and

WHEREAS, the City of Los Altos requests installation of signs at the northbound and southbound approaches to the El Monte exit of Interstate 280 that read "Downtown Los Altos Next Exit"; and

WHEREAS, the City of Los Altos also requests installation of signs along the El Monte exit ramp of Interstate 280 that read "Downtown Los Altos" adjacent to the El Monte East directional signs; and

WHEREAS, wayfinding signs are already in place that direct travelers from the El Monte off-ramp to downtown; and

WHEREAS, this Resolution is exempt from environmental review pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3) of the State Guidelines implementing the California Environmental Quality Act of 1970, as amended.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Los Altos hereby authorizes the placement of directional signs to downtown Los Altos at the approaches and on the exit ramps of the El Monte exit of Interstate 280 in accordance with the MUTCD guidance for Supplemental Signing for City Civic Center Areas.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Resolution passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Los Altos at a meeting thereof on the 24th day of September, 2013 by the following vote:

AYES: NOES: ABSENT: ABSTAIN:

BRUINS, NONE NONE NONE

BRUINS, CARPENTER, PEPPER, SATTERLEE, FISHPAW

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Attest:

Jon Maginot, CMC, CITY CLERK

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