RESOLUTION NO. 2024-27

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE AGREEMENTS FOR COUNTYWIDE HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION PROGRAM AND COUNTYWIDE AB 939 IMPLEMENTATION FEE WITH THE COUNTY OF SANTA CLARA

WHEREAS, On May 11, 2021, the City Council approved a three-year agreement for the City's participation with Santa Clara County for Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Program management. These agreements expire on June 30, 2024; and

WHEREAS, The Countywide HHW Collection program enables residents to conveniently dispose of small quantities of hazardous waste at any of the collection facilities in the County, and at a well-publicized annual event in the City; and

WHEREAS, HHW is an important part of solid waste diversion, and it is illegal to dispose of hazardous waste in sanitary landfills; and

WHEREAS, AB 939 mandates and provides authority for agencies to collect funds for planning and implementation of integrated waste management programs.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Los Altos hereby

- 1. Authorize the City Manager to execute the Agreements for Countywide Household Hazardous Waste Collection Program and Countywide AB 939 Implementation Fee with the County of Santa Clara on behalf of the City.
- 2. Authorizes the City Manager to take such further actions as may be necessary to implement the foregoing agreement.
- 3. Authorizes the City to continue providing funding augmentation for the HHW Program for FY 2024/25 in the amount needed based on participation from City residents per the Agreement, which is estimated based on anticipated participation at \$96,037 for FY 2023/24.
- 4. Find that the City Council's action in approving this resolution is exempt from review under the California Environmental Quality Act ("CEQA") pursuant to CEQA Guidelines Section 15273.

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 14th day of May, 2024 by the following vote:

AYES: Dailey, Fligor, Lee Eng, Meadows, Weinberg

NOES: ABSENT: ABSTAIN:

Jonathan D. Weinberg, MAYOR

Attest:

Melissa Thurman, MMC City Clerk