RESOLUTION NO. 21-005

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PACIFIC GROVE APPROVING PARTICIPATION IN AND EXTENSION OF THE MONTEREY COUNTY ABANDONED VEHICLE ABATEMENT SERVICE AUTHORITY

FINDINGS

1. In 1990, California Vehicle Code Section 22710 was approved to authorize the establishment of a county service authority for the abandoned vehicle abatement and the imposition of a one-dollar ($1.00) vehicle registration fee, if the board of supervisors and a majority of the incorporated cities within the county have adopted resolutions providing for the establishment of the authority and the imposition of the fee.

2. On September 4, 1991, City Council approved a resolution authorizing the establishment of the Monterey County Abandoned Vehicle Abatement Service Authority, thereby making funds available to the City for abatement activities through the imposition of a one dollar ($1.00) per vehicle annual registration fee for all vehicles registered in Monterey County.

3. On October 5, 2011, City Council approved a resolution authorizing a 10-year extension.

4. The City of Pacific Grove Municipal Code 9.40 recognizes that abandoned, wrecked, dismantled or inoperative vehicles are a public nuisance and provides an avenue for abatement. The code has helped to rid blight and keep city streets clear of abandoned, disabled, inoperable, dangerous or damaged vehicles.

5. California Vehicle Code section 9250.7(g) authorizes the vehicle abatement registration fee to be imposed by a service authority only for a period of 10 years from the date that the collection of the fee commenced, provided the fee is extended in 10-year increments by adopting extension resolutions.

6. The City of Pacific Grove is due to pass a resolution to continue participation in the Monterey County Abandoned Vehicle Abatement Service Authority.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PACIFIC GROVE:

1. The Council determines that each of the Findings set forth above is true and correct, and by this reference incorporates those Findings as an integral part of this Resolution.

2. The City Council of the City of Pacific Grove hereby declares that it approves the extension for the additional period of ten years for collection by the California Department of Motor Vehicles for distribution to the Monterey County Abandoned Vehicle Abatement Service Authority, as authorized by California Vehicle Code 22710.
3. The City Council of the City of Pacific Grove hereby declares that it approves the extension for an additional period of ten years the participation in and extension of the Monterey County Abandoned Vehicle Abatement Service Authority.

4. This Resolution shall become effective immediately following passage and adoption thereof.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PACIFIC GROVE this 21st day of April 2021, by the following vote:

AYES: Mayor Peake, Councilmembers Amelio, Coletti, McAdams, Poduri, and Tomlinson.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.

PASSED AND ADOPTED

AYES: Mayor Peake, Councilmembers Amelio, Coletti, McAdams, Poduri, and Tomlinson.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.

PASSED AND ADOPTED

AYES: Mayor Peake, Councilmembers Amelio, Coletti, McAdams, Poduri, and Tomlinson.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.