STOCKTON CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY ATTORNEY TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT FOR LEGAL SERVICES WITH THE FIRM OF HERUM/CRABTREE/SUNTAG

The need for specialized expertise and/or workload demands of the City Attorney's Office periodically results in a need to hire outside counsel; and

The City of Stockton currently desires to retain Dana Suntag of the law firm of Herum/Crabtree/Suntag to advise the City in civil liability, litigation, and other proceedings as the need arises; and

The law firm of Herum/Crabtree/Suntag possesses the qualifications and personnel needed by the City in handling such proceedings; and

Section 1306 of the City Charter authorizes the City Attorney to retain or employ outside counsel with the approval of the City Council; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STOCKTON, AS FOLLOWS:

- 1. The City Council hereby approves the selection of Herum/Crabtree/Suntag to advise the City in civil liability, litigation, and other proceedings as the need arises.
- 2. The City Attorney is authorized to execute an agreement for legal services with the law firm of Herum/Crabtree/Suntag, in substantially the form as attached as Exhibit "1" and incorporated by this reference.

PASSED, APPROVED, and	ADOPTED <u>June 28, 2016</u> .
ATTEST:	ANTHONY SILVA, Mayor of the City of Stockton
BONNIE PAIGE, City Clerk of the City of Stockton	