RESOLUTION NO. NS-29,343

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA CRUZ ADOPTING THE BUSINESS LICENSE REGISTRATION FEE ANDSTATE MANDATED ACCESSIBILITY COMPLIANCE FEE FOR NEW AND RENEWAL BUSINESS LICENSE APPLICATIONS

WHEREAS, the City Council has adopted various fees relating to the work of departments including the April 2017 and August 2017 adoption of updated fees and the Phase One Master Fee schedule; and

WHEREAS, the State of California Government Code Section 4467 and recently signed new legislation (Assembly Bill 1379) requires that any applicant and renewal for a local business license pay an additional \$4 fee to facilitate accessibility compliance and increase certified access specialist services; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has directed, consistent with current California State Law, to set fees at the rate for full cost recovery of providing a service; and

WHEREAS, a Business License Registration Fee is proposed for appropriate cost recovery for the processing of new business license applications at \$24, and \$8 for the processing of renewal business license applications.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council determines that the proposed new Business License Administrative fees do not exceed the actual costs of providing the service and hereby amends to include within the Master Fee Schedule these Business License Registration and Renewal administrative fees.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9th day of January, 2018, by the following vote:

AYES:

Councilmembers Krohn, Mathews, Chase, Brown, Noroyan; Vice Mayor

Watkins; Mayor Terrazas.

NOES:

None.

ABSENT:

None.

DISQUALIFIED:

None.

APPROVED:

David Terrazas, Mayor

ATTEST:

Bonnie Bush, Interim City Clerk Administrator