## **RESOLUTION NO. 2021-272**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELK GROVE DISPENSING WITH THE FORMAL REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL PROCEDURES PURSUANT TO ELK GROVE MUNICIPAL CODE SECTION 3.42.140(B)(3) AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A CONTRACT FOR EMPLOYMENT INVESTIGATION SERVICES WITH ELLIS INVESTIGATION LAW CORPORATION FOR A TERM OF TWO YEARS, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$100,000

**WHEREAS**, the City Council recognizes the periodic need to utilize employment investigation services; and

**WHEREAS**, utilizing an outside firm or individual consultant can minimize both the perception of bias and the risk of actual or perceived conflict of interest on the part of an internal investigator; and

**WHEREAS**, the City has been satisfied with the services provided by Ellis Investigation Law Services over the past prior contract terms; and

**WHEREAS**, the City desires to continue to work with this firm; and

**WHEREAS**, for the reasons presented, pursuing a further competitive proposal process is not in the best interest of the City.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove hereby dispenses with the formal request for proposal procedures pursuant to Elk Grove Municipal Code Section 3.42.140(B)(3) and authorizes the City Manager to execute a contract with Ellis Investigation Law Corporation, in substantially the form presented, for employment investigation services with a term of two years in an amount not to exceed \$100,000.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September 2021

BOBBIE SINGH-ALLEN, MAYOR of the CITY OF ELK GROVE

ATTEST:

ASON LINDGREN, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

JÓNATHAN P. HOBBS, CITY ATTORNEY

## CERTIFICATION ELK GROVE CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2021-272

STATE OF CALIFORNIA	)	
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO	)	SS
CITY OF ELK GROVE	)	

I, Jason Lindgren, City Clerk of the City of Elk Grove, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly introduced, approved, and adopted by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove at a regular meeting of said Council held on September 22, 2021 by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCILMEMBERS: Singh-Allen, Nguyen, Hume, Spease, Suen

NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSTAIN: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

Jason Lindgren, City Clerk
City of Elk Grove, California