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Memorandum

To: The Upper Los Angeles River and Tributaries Working Group

Date: January 24, 2019

From: Joseph T. Edmiston, FAICP, Hon. ASLA, Executive Director

Subject: Agenda Item 11: Consideration of resolution adopting goals and objectives for the revitalization plan.

<u>Staff Recommendation</u>: That the Working Group adopt the attached resolution adopting goals and objectives for the revitalization plan.

Legislative Authority: Section 33220 of the Public Resources Code.

Background: The legislation establishing the Upper Los Angeles River and Tributaries (ULART) Working Group, Assembly Bill 466 (AB 466), Chapter 347 of the Statues of 2017, requires a master planning process from which a Revitalization Plan (Plan) is developed. The Working Group previously established two committees to efficiently carry out the planning process. During multiple Working Group and committee meetings from August 2018-December 2018, goals and objectives for the Revitalization Plan and committees were proposed, discussed and amended, guided by the AB 466 legislation and incorporating input from Working Group members and the public.

The proposed goals and objectives for the Revitalization Plan, the Water and Environment Committee, and the People and Recreation Committee, are attached.