

RESOLUTION NO. 8570

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WHITTIER, CALIFORNIA, ESTABLISHING A VOLUNTARY BAN ON THE PURCHASE, SALE, AND USE OF SECOND GENERATION ANTICOAGULANT RODENTICIDES IN WHITTIER

WHEREAS, second generation anticoagulant rodenticides are poisonous bait products available to the public and used to combat infestations of rodents in business and residential properties;

WHEREAS, second generation anticoagulant rodenticides are used as bait, which the rodents ingest, causing lethal internal hemorrhaging; and


WHEREAS, pets and wildlife may also become sick or die from ingesting rodenticides directly or due to secondary exposure after consuming the dead or dying rodents.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WHITTIER, CALIFORNIA, DOES RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The City Council urges businesses in Whittier to no longer use or sell second generation anticoagulant rodenticides, urges all property owners to cease purchasing or using second generation anticoagulant rodenticides on their properties in Whittier, and commits the City of Whittier to not use second generation anticoagulant rodenticides as part of its maintenance program for City-owned parks and facilities.

SECTION 2. The City Clerk-Treasurer shall certify to the passage and adoption hereof.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 13<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2013.

  
BOB HENDERSON, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
KATHRYN A. MARSHALL  
City Clerk-Treasurer

CITY OF WHITTIER            )  
   ) SS  
 STATE OF CALIFORNIA    )

I, Kathryn A. Marshall, City Clerk-Treasurer in and for the City of Whittier, California, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly introduced and adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council of said City held on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2013, by the following roll call vote:

AYES:            J.A. Vinatieri            F. Dutra  
                       C. Warner                R.L. Henderson

NOES:            None

ABSENT:        O. Newcomer

WITNESS my hand and the official seal of the City of Whittier, California, this  
26<sup>th</sup> day of August 2013.

Kathryn A. Marshall  
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 City Clerk-Treasurer