RESOLUTION NO. 18-009

ESTABLISHING COUNCIL POLICY 700-4 FOR SIDEWALK DEVELOPMENT

FINDINGS

1. The Pacific Grove General Plan envisions a fully walkable community. To achieve this goal, Program FF of the Transportation Chapter directs the City to identify gaps and deficiencies in the pedestrian system and correct them through the Capital Improvement Plan (CIP).

2. In December of 2017, the City completed a comprehensive sidewalk assessment that identifies existing gaps and deficiencies in the sidewalk network.

3. The City’s sidewalk network has developed haphazardly due to a lack of development direction on both public and private installations of pedestrian infrastructure.

4. Adoption of a Sidewalk Development Policy will help guide public and private development of pedestrian infrastructure by:
   - Differentiating streets where sidewalks are necessary and appropriate from streets where they are not.
   - Recommending infrastructure improvements based on street type and existing conditions.
   - Prioritizing sidewalk installation and maintenance on all Primary Pedestrian Routes
   - Ensuring sidewalks are continuous from block to block with ADA compliant curb ramps
   - Ensuring sidewalks are free of obstructions.

5. This action does not constitute a “Project” as that term is defined under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PACIFIC GROVE:

1. The foregoing Findings are adopted by the City Council as though set forth in full.

2. Council Policy Nos. 700-04 is adopted as attached.

3. This Resolution shall take effect immediately following its adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PACIFIC GROVE this 21st day of March 2018, by the following votes:

AYES: Mayor Kampe, Councilmembers Cuneo, Fischer, Garfield, Huitt, Peake, and Smith.
NOES: None.
ABSENT: None.
APPROVED:

BILL KAMPE, Mayor

ATTEST:

SANDRA KANDELL, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

DAVID C. LAREDO, City Attorney