RESOLUTION NO. 90- 183

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF PASO ROBLES
ENDORSING DESIGNATION OF THE
CENTRAL COAST NATIONAL MARINE SANCTUARY

WHEREAS, the proposed Central Coast National Marine Sanctuary embodies special, nationally significant marine and codependent onshore resources including abundance populations of diverse marine mammals, significant fisheries stocks, major oceanic upwellings, areas of great aesthetic beauty and scientific importance, and a great number of additional working biota features and characteristics that warrant protection under the National Marine Sanctuary Program; and

WHEREAS, Public necessity and resource value justifies the need for a comprehensive and coordinated conservation and management plan for the geographic area within the boundaries of the proposed sanctuary, as a part of the National Marine Sanctuary Program; and

WHEREAS, the need to support, promote, and coordinate scientific research on, and monitoring of, the coastal resources be an integral part of the management plan; and
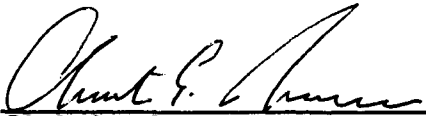
WHEREAS, the pledge for commitment to enhance public awareness, understanding, appreciation, and wise use of the marine environment be outlined in the management plan; and

WHEREAS, to facilitate, to the extent compatible with the primary objective of resource protection, all public and private uses of the resources of the proposed sanctuary marine area not prohibited pursuant to other authorities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Paso Robles hereby endorses designation of the Central Coast National Marine Sanctuary in the waters off the central coast of California, and supports the efforts of citizens, organizations, and the County of San Luis Obispo in reaching this goal.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Paso Robles, this 16th day of October, 1990, on the following vote:

AYES: Russell, Reneau, Picanco, Martin and Iversen
NOES: None
ABSENT: None

Christian E. Iversen, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jerry Bankston, City Clerk

Proposed Central Coast National
Marine Sanctuary
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