RESOLUTION NO. 2015-188

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROHNERT PARK SUPPORTING A GRANT APPLICATION FROM THE CHILD PARENT INSTITUTE TO INITIATE THE RAISING SUCCESSFUL KIDS PROGRAM IN THE COTATI-ROHNERT PARK UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

WHEREAS; the Portrait of Sonoma report issued by the Sonoma County Department of Health Services found that some areas in Rohnert Park, particularly the A and B sections, have a significantly lower ranking on the Human Development Index than other parts of the City and Sonoma County; and

WHEREAS, many Rohnert Park families face significant socio-economic stresses that can be addressed with programs such as Raising Successful Kids that serves at-risk families with parent education and coaching, and supports families facing overwhelming life challenges with resource assistance using a case management model; and

WHEREAS many Rohnert Park students requiring special academic support also have social/emotional needs and would greatly benefit from mental health counseling; and

WHEREAS, the Child Parent Institute can offer the Raising Successful Kids program in collaboration with local schools in the Rohnert Park-Cotati area with funding support; and Sonoma County through the Community Development Commission has funds available on a competitive basis which could provide the needed funding support

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Rohnert Park that it does hereby endorse and support an application by the Child Parent Institute for funding support from Sonoma County and the County's Community Development Commission for the Raising Successful Kids Program.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Manager is hereby authorized and directed to execute documents pertaining to same for and on behalf of the City of Rohnert Park.

DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED this 8th day of December, 2015.

Amy Ahanotu, Mayor

ATTEST:

JoAnne M. Buergler, City Clerk

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