RESOLUTION NO. 2020-07
A RESOLUTION OF THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY CHILDREN AND FAMILIES FIRST PROPOSITION 10 COMMISSION:
APPROVAL OF RECEIPT OF QUALITY START LA FUNDS

The Board of Commissioners of Los Angeles County Children and Families First Proposition 10 Commission (“the Commission”) hereby finds and resolves as follows:

Whereas, pursuant to the Fund Balance Policy approved on October 13, 2016, the Commission is required to approve via Resolution the receipt of restricted funds, thus formally acknowledging and reflecting externally imposed constraints placed on the use of these resources; and

Whereas, the Los Angeles County Office of Education (LACOE) awarded First 5 LA funds to further support VIVA Strategy and Communications LLC’s (VIVA) work with the Quality Start LA (QSLA) Funders Circle, Leadership Council, the Child Care Planning Committee, and the Office for the Advancement of Early Care and Education. Additional funds are awarded to develop standard reports and other data visualization products that QSLA Leaders can use in their planning, monitoring and decision making. These funds contribute to First 5 LA’s contract with Limor Consulting, Inc. to engage QSLA Leaders and develop reports that meet their needs and will be useful overtime. These reports, in turn, will increase access to and utilization of administrative data collected and stored in iPinwheel and other sources among QSLA Leaders and allow for a more data-informed approach to QSLA’s work.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. Up-front funding received from LACOE in the amount of $125,000 through June 30, 2021 in support of Quality Counts California (QCC) and Quality Start Los Angeles (QSLA) regional efforts will be considered restricted for fund balance purposes; and

2. The Executive Director, on behalf of First 5 LA, is authorized to accept funding from LACOE if funding for the same purpose continues; and

3. The executed copy of this Resolution shall be retained on file as evidence of the Commission’s actions herein.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 9th DAY OF JULY, 2020, BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: Commissioners ____________________________________________________

NOES: Commissioners ____________________________________________________

ABSTAIN: Commissioners ________________________________________________

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Sheila Kuehl
Chair, First 5 LA

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Kim Belshé
Executive Director