

CITY OF FRESNO

Office of Councilmember Esmeralda Soria

“Don Savory”

WHEREAS, Don Savory has been a dedicated and proud Ironworker since November of 1994. Don has since worked in 14 California Counties as a full time welder, servicing Bakersfield, Atwater, Diablo, Canyon, Soledad prison, and eventually back to his roots here in Fresno county; and

WHEREAS, In 1997 he joined the Union, he was elected a number of coveted positions. His first elected position in the union was as Sargent at Arms, then to the Executive Board, and soon after, he was elected as Business Agent in 2002 and 2005. Since 2007, he has been elected Business Manager, he is the second-longest tenured Business Manager in the history of Local 155; and

WHEREAS, Over the years, Don has been appointed to serve on 21 boards and commissions on behalf of the Ironworkers Local 155, serving as a voice to the welding community and the working families of the Central Valley. He has helped create thousands of union jobs in the Central Valley through tough negotiation and diplomatic skills, his contributions to our workforce are deeply valued.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Fresno Mayor and City Council does hereby proclaim April 26th, 2019 to be:

“Don Savory Day”

in the City of Fresno

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands and affixed the seal of the City of Fresno, California, this 26th day of April 2019.

ESMERALDA SORIA, Councilmember, District 1

LEE BRAND, Honorable Mayor

PAUL CAPRIOGLIO, Council President, District 4

MIGUEL ARIAS, Council Vice-President, District 3

LUIS CHAVEZ, Councilmember, District 5

GARRY BREDEFELD, Councilmember, District 6

NELSON ESPARZA, Councilmember, District 7