

CITY OF FRESNO

Offices of Mayor Lee Brand and Councilmember Paul Caprioglio

WHEREAS, Detective Danny Kim began his journey with the Fresno Police Department when he was hired as a cadet in 1998; and

WHEREAS, after graduating from the Police Academy and becoming a sworn officer in 1999, Danny Kim spent the first few years of his career as a Southeast Fresno Patrol Officer; and

WHEREAS, Detective Kim became a member of the Southeast District Crime Suppression Team and spent four years focusing on gangs and narcotics with his team. During this time, he participated in numerous search warrant operations and made multiple arrests of gang members; and

WHEREAS, he was later assigned to the Northeast District, where he eventually served the same role on their Crime Suppression Team. Danny was once again pivotal in authoring and conducting multiple narcotics search warrants; and

WHEREAS, in 2013, his experience helped him become a Detective with the Northeast District Investigations Unit where he eventually became the District's Burglary Detective. Detective Kim proved invaluable as he solved numerous burglary cases, which resulted in stolen property being returned to the victims, and the prosecution of the individuals responsible for these crimes; and

WHEREAS, aside from being a valuable asset to our Fresno Police Department, Detective Kim has also made a significant difference in his home country of Cambodia, where his philanthropic work has brought clean drinking water to impoverished, rural villages; and

WHEREAS, Detective Kim currently serves as the Northeast District Problem Oriented Policing Detective, where he is extremely effective at developing strategies to reduce police calls for service at problem locations and has served the constituents of District Four and the City of Fresno above and beyond the call of duty; and

WHEREAS, on Thursday, May 24, 2018 Detective Kim will be honored as a recipient of the **2018 Fresno Exchange Club's Top Cop** award and we thank him for his dedication to serving the residents of the City of Fresno.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that we, Mayor Lee Brand and the Fresno City Councilmembers, do hereby proclaim Thursday, May 17, 2018 to be:

“Danny Kim 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 17th day of May 2018.

LEE BRAND, Honorable Mayor

ESMERALDA SORIA, Council President

STEVE BRANDAU, Councilmember District 2

OLIVER BAINES III, Councilmember District 3

PAUL CAPRIOGLIO, Councilmember District 4

LUIS CHAVEZ, Councilmember District 5

GARRY BREDEFELD, Councilmember District 6

CLINT OLIVIER, Councilmember District 7