

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
FRESNO, CALIFORNIA, ACCEPTING DISNEYLAND
TICKETS FOR FIREFIGHTERS

WHEREAS, Fresno Municipal Code (FMC) Section 7-105 requires that gifts presented to the City, or a City department or agency, that exceed \$25,000 in the aggregate must be presented to the Council for acceptance or refusal; and


WHEREAS, Disneyland Resorts has offered the Fire Department a total of 618 tickets (two for each firefighter), which have a total value of approximately \$103,206 (this number is subject to minor adjustment as Disney will provide more tickets if needed and if in compliance with applicable laws and Disney terms); and

WHEREAS, the tickets are offered to the firefighters out of gratitude for the Fire Department offering resources and manpower to battle recent California wildfires; and

WHEREAS, public employees may accept gifts where the employees engaged in extraordinary efforts and it is determined that acceptance of the gifts serves the “public purpose” of offering recognition and improving employee morale (see Fair Political Practices Commission (FPPC) Regulation 18944.1).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Fresno as follows:

1. Fresno’s firefighters engaged in extraordinary efforts deserving of the tickets offered by Disneyland Resorts, and acceptance of the tickets serves the “public purpose” of offering employee recognition and improving employee morale.

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2. The Chief of the Fire Department is authorized to accept the tickets and distribute them in accordance with the conditions given by Disneyland, including that each firefighter receive two tickets, one for the firefighter and another for a guest.

3. Firefighters receiving tickets shall be advised that they must report any ticket used or transferred on Form 700 as a gift with a value of \$167 per ticket. (See FPPC Regulation 18946.1.)

4. The Chief of the Fire Department shall be empowered to take all actions, and sign all documents, necessary to effectuate this resolution.

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF FRESNO) ss.
CITY OF FRESNO)

I, YVONNE SPENCE, City Clerk of the City of Fresno, certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the City of Fresno, at a regular meeting held on the _____ day of _____, 2018.

AYES :
NOES :
ABSENT :
ABSTAIN :

YVONNE SPENCE, MMC
City Clerk

By: _____
Deputy Date

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
DOUGLAS T. SLOAN
City Attorney

By: _____
John Hastrup Date
Deputy City Attorney