

# CITY OF FRESNO

*Offices of Mayor and City Council*

# Proclamation

## FRESNO IRRIGATION DISTRICT'S 100<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATION

**WHEREAS,** the Fresno Irrigation District is celebrating its 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary as its “Century of Commitment, Conveyance, and Customer Service” throughout 2020, after its founding in 1920 by far-sighted area landowners and other citizens; and

**WHEREAS,** the Fresno Irrigation District encompasses some 250,000 acres, and supplies the Fresno and Clovis metropolitan region with most of its agricultural and municipal water; and

**WHEREAS,** the Fresno Irrigation District was founded as part of the early efforts that decades later led to the 1954 completion of the Pine Flat Dam on the Kings River, and over the last 100 years has worked tirelessly to help establish Kings River water rights, entitlements and policies; and

**WHEREAS,** the Fresno Irrigation District is a premier irrigation district and has been a Central California leader in developing, organizing, managing, operating, protecting and conveying water supplies for the benefit of its stakeholders, and Fresno residents and businesses; and

**WHEREAS,** the City of Fresno recognizes, and celebrates the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and Centennial Commemoration of the Fresno Irrigation District.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that we, Mayor Jerry Dyer and the Fresno City Council, do hereby proclaim January 28, 2021 to be:

### “FRESNO IRRIGATION DISTRICT 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 28<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2021.

  
JERRY DYER, Mayor

  
NELSON ESPARZA, Council Vice President District 7


  
MIKE KARBASSI, Councilmember District 2

  
TYLER MAXWELL, Councilmember District 4

  
LUIS CHAVEZ, Council President, District 5

  
ESMERALDA SORIA, Councilmember, District 1

  
MIGUEL ARIAS, Councilmember District 3

  
GARRY BREDEFELD, Councilmember District 6