

CITY OF FRESNO

Office of Councilmember Esmeralda Soria

Is hereby presented in honor of:

The Chicano Latino Youth Leadership Project

WHEREAS, *The Chicano Latino Youth Leadership Project is an organization whose mission is based on developing “California’s Future Leaders” through enhancing youth leadership skills and promoting their involvement in the community as well as their pursuit of higher education; and*

WHEREAS, *This year marks the 20th Anniversary of the San Joaquin Valley Institute which was founded by Chicano Latino Youth Leadership Project alumni who were residents of Fresno; and*

WHEREAS, *The San Joaquin Valley Institute offers an insightful program that increases youth awareness of local community issues through active civic engagement opportunities and provides informational workshops about university requirements to both students and parents; and*

WHEREAS, *The Chicano Latino Youth Leadership Project has worked in collaboration with the California Latino Legislative Caucus, the UC and CSU systems, the California Community Colleges system, the Association of Independent California Colleges & Universities, along with over 50 private foundations and organizations; and*

WHEREAS, *The City of Fresno recognizes the invaluable experience provided by the San Joaquin Valley Institute and its impact in the personal and professional achievements of our local youth.*

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, *that the City of Fresno Mayor and City Council does hereby proclaim June 27th, 2019 as:*

“San Joaquin Valley Institute 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 27th day of June 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