

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
FRESNO, CALIFORNIA, CREATING THE FRESNO
TEMPORARY PARKLET PROGRAM FOR EXPANSION OF
RESTAURANT SERVICE AREA DUE TO SOCIAL
DISTANCING GUIDELINES

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, President Trump declared a National
Emergency concerning the Novel Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) outbreak; and

WHEREAS, on March 4, 2020, Governor Newsom declared a State of
Emergency in the State of California related to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the City has declared a State of Emergency related to COVID-19;
and

WHEREAS, restaurants have been limited and unable to operate at full capacity
for an extended period of time, and as a result the restaurants and employees are
experiencing severe economic hardship; and

WHEREAS, the temporary allowance of outdoor dining facilities will help ensure
CDC recommended distances between diners, and provide protections to the public to
reduce spread of the virus; and

WHEREAS, creating a Fresno Temporary Parklet Program will give these
restaurants a way to increase capacity and help to alleviate severe economic hardship.

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

1. The Council hereby creates the Fresno Temporary Parklet Program to
create safe expanded areas in public space for local restaurants to utilize. The Tower

District Marketing Committee shall be given up to \$100,000 to provide safe expanded temporary Parklet areas for Tower District neighborhood restaurants, and other areas designated by Council, to utilize an increased restaurant service area.

2. The Administration is directed to make an appropriation of \$100,000 to fund the Fresno Temporary Parklet Program.

3. The City Manager is hereby directed to return to Council with necessary actions to implement the Fresno Temporary Parklet Program.

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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 _____ 2020.

AYES :
NOES :
ABSENT :
ABSTAIN :

Mayor Approval: _____, 2020
Mayor Approval/No Return: _____, 2020
Mayor Veto: _____, 2020
Council Override Vote: _____, 2020

YVONNE SPENCE, CRM MMC
City Clerk

By: _____
Deputy Date

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
DOUGLAS T. SLOAN
City Attorney

By: _____
Mary Raterman-Doidge Date
Senior Deputy City Attorney