

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRESNO, CALIFORNIA, SUPPORTING THE FRESNO HOUSING AUTHORITY MAINTENANCE WORKERS AS A CRITICAL PUBLIC SERVICE TO LOW-INCOME RESIDENTS AND TO CALL ON THE FRESNO HOUSING AUTHORITY BOARDS OF COMMISSIONERS TO CONDEMN ANY PROPOSED LAYOFFS OF MAINTENANCE WORKERS

WHEREAS, the Fresno Housing Authority (FHA) Maintenance Workers perform a critical public service to the low-income communities of Fresno, improve the safety of the housing and save taxpayer money; and

WHEREAS, FHA Maintenance Workers play a critical role by identifying deficiencies, ensuring compliance with housing standards, and protecting the health and safety of Fresno Housing residents; and

WHEREAS, the FHA has proposed laying off Maintenance Workers, which will likely lead to increased repair response times, delay in unit turnovers, maintenance backlogs, and the inability to meet the housing standards that FHA is committed to providing; and

WHEREAS, deferred maintenance can lead to higher repair costs, deteriorating property conditions, and a decline in the quality of life for Fresno Housing residents; and

WHEREAS, the Council recognizes the need to preserve FHA Maintenance Workers to provide critical work to keep residents safe and improve the safety of homes; and

WHEREAS, the Council calls on the FHA Boards of Commissioners, seven (7) of whom were appointed by the City, to condemn FHA's proposed actions of laying off FHA Maintenance Workers.

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

1. The Council recognizes and supports the critical work of FHA Maintenance Workers to provide safe, decent and affordable housing in protecting the health and safety of Fresno Housing residents.

2. The Council calls on the FHA Boards of Commissioners to condemn FHA's proposed actions of laying off FHA Maintenance Workers whose work is considered a critical public service to low-income communities of Fresno, improves the safety of the housing and saves taxpayer money.

3. This resolution shall be effective upon final approval.

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

I, AMY K. ALLER, 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 _____ 2026.

AYES :
NOES :
ABSENT :
ABSTAIN :

AMY K. ALLER
City Clerk

By: _____ Date
Deputy

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
ANDREW JANZ
City Attorney

By: _____ Date
Tricia Herrera
Deputy City Attorney