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**Regular Council Meeting**  
**September 29, 2022**

**FRESNO CITY COUNCIL**



**Supplemental Packet**

**ITEM(S)**

**1-T (ID 22-1496)**

Actions pertaining to solar projects proposed at PARCS and Public Safety sites including Mosqueda Community Center, Roeding Park, Ted C. Wills Community Center, Inspiration Park, Mary Ella Brown Community Center, Fire Department Headquarters, and Police Regional Training Center (Council Districts 1, 3, 5):

**1-LL (ID 22-1372)**

Actions pertaining to solar projects proposed at Department of Transportation/Fresno Area Express (FAX) sites including the FAX Employee Parking Lot and Bus Yard

**Contents of Supplement:**

Letter of Support from International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (IBEW) Local 100

**Item(s)**

**Supplemental Information:**

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# International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Local 100

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September 26, 2022

Esmeralda Soria  
Council District 1

RE: Solar Agenda Items at September 29<sup>th</sup> City Council Meeting

Dear Council Member Soria,

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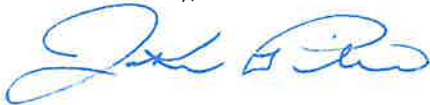
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Sincerely,



Ronny Jungk  
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Business Manager/Financial Secretary

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Mike Karbassi  
Council District 2

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Dear Council Member Karbassi,

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Miguel Arias  
Council District 3

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Tyler Maxwell  
Council District 4

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Luis Chavez  
Council District 5

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Garry Bredefeld  
Council District 6

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Nelson Esparza  
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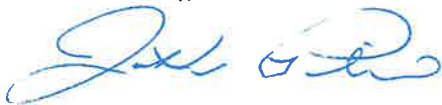
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