RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRESNO, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING THE INSTALLATION OF A FRESNO PUBLIC SAFETY MEMORIAL IN FRONT OF CITY HALL, ON THE NORTH LAWN, AND DONATING THE EXISTING FRESNO POLICE DEPARTMENT MEMORIAL TO THE FRESNO POLICE OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION.

WHEREAS, we owe a great debt to those public safety officers who have served our City; and

WHEREAS, the City Council deems it necessary and appropriate to erect a memorial to the public safety officers of the City of Fresno who have lost their lives protecting this City; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to erect a memorial at Fresno City Hall to honor the individuals who lost their lives in the line of duty as police officers and firefighters for the City of Fresno; and

WHEREAS, the Public Safety Memorial will be a beautiful tribute to all of the civil servants from the City of Fresno that made the ultimate sacrifice protecting our City; and

WHEREAS, the Public Safety Memorial will be similar in style to the Fresno Veteran's Memorial; and

WHEREAS, the Fresno Police Department Memorial located on the Mariposa Mall will be donated to the Fresno Police Officers' Association (FPOA) and relocated near the FPOA office in preparation for the Mariposa Mall being reopened to vehicular traffic at some point in the future, as described in the Fulton Corridor Specific Plan.

Date Adopted:
Date Approved:
Effective Date:
City Attorney Approval: _____

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

1. The Council hereby approves the installation of the Fresno Public Safety Memorial monument which is dedicated to the City of Fresno police officers and firefighters who lost their lives in the line of duty while serving the City. The monument shall be placed on the north lawn in front of City Hall in a manner that coordinates with the Veterans Memorial on the south lawn.

2. The project shall be funded in partnership between the City and community stakeholders, with the City contributing $60,000, to be allocated in the FY2020 budget, and private parties contributing all additional amounts necessary to complete construction and installation of the memorial.

3. The existing Fresno Police Department Memorial located on the Mariposa Mall will be donated to the FPOA and may be relocated near the FPOA office.

4. The Council hereby directs staff to take all actions necessary to carry out this resolution.

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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 _____ 2019.

AYES :
NOES :
ABSENT :
ABSTAIN :

Mayor Approval: _____, 2019
Mayor Approval/No Return: _____, 2019
Mayor Veto: _____, 2019
Council Override Vote: _____, 2019

YVONNE SPENCE, MMC CRM
City Clerk

By: _____
Deputy Date

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
DOUGLAS T. SLOAN
City Attorney

By: _____
Laurie Avedisian-Favini Date
Assistant City Attorney