

# CITY OF FRESNO

## *Office of Councilmember Esmeralda Soria*

*Is hereby presented to:*

## *Paige Alexis Morales*

**WHEREAS,** *The City of Fresno is proud to honor Paige Alexis Morales, a 14 year old wrestler attending Aspen Valley Preparatory Academy, whose impressive wrestling skills have been recognized on an international level; and*

**WHEREAS,** *In the year 2019, Paige has earned 1<sup>st</sup> Place in the USA Folkstyle California State Tournament, 1<sup>st</sup> place in the 101 Girls Division at the RMN Worlds Wrestling Tournament, 1<sup>st</sup> place in the Girls Division and 6<sup>th</sup> in the Boys Division at the USA Freestyle California State Tournament; and*

**WHEREAS,** *In May 2019, Paige traveled to Irving, Texas to compete in a National Tournament where she was among the youngest to compete. With ease, she swept all of her opponents taking 1<sup>st</sup> place and gaining the attention of the Team USA Olympic Committee scouts. She was even invited to begin practicing at the Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Her most recent achievement occurred in June 2019 when she traveled across the world to Budapest, Hungary to compete in the United World Wrestling Championship Tournament; and*

**WHEREAS,** *Paige has accomplished all this success with the help of her coaches: Head Coach Damani Buckley, who has been by her side since she first began wrestling, and Coach Cleo Lane, who has worked with Paige for a year now. She has trained at the Red Wave Wrestling Club for three years, with the support of Assistant Coach and Owner, Sergio Montoya.*

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** *that the City of Fresno Mayor and City Council does hereby proclaim July 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019 to be:*

## *“Paige Alexis Morales 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 25<sup>th</sup> day of July 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*