RESOLUTION	NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRESNO, CALIFORNIA, AUTHORIZING STATE CALIFORNIA CANNABIS EQUITY ACT GRANT FUNDING

WHEREAS, the members of the California Legislature have recognized the need for cannabis equity grant funding; and

WHEREAS, funding has been provided to the Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development to provide grant funds to local governments pursuant to AB 97 (Stats. 2019, Ch. 40); and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Fresno has adopted or operates a local equity program for commercial cannabis activity; and

WHEREAS, the Council of the City of Fresno has determined that it will use grant funds from the Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development to assist local equity applicants and licensees through its local equity program for commercial cannabis activity as described in its application for grant funds.

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

The City Manager of the City of Fresno is authorized to execute by 1. electronic signature on behalf of the Council of the City of Fresno the grant agreement with the Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development, including any extensions or amendments thereof and any subsequent grant agreement with the Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development in relation thereto.

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Date Adopted: Date Approved: Effective Date:

City Attorney Approval: WV



2. It is agreed that any liability arising out of the performance of this grant agreement, including civil court actions for damages, shall be the responsibility of the grant recipient and the authorizing agency. The Governor's Office of Business and Economic Development and the State of California disclaim responsibility for any such liability.

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA) COUNTY OF FRESNO) ss. CITY OF FRESNO)	
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	YVONNE SPENCE, MMC CRM City Clerk
	By: Deputy Date
APPROVED AS TO FORM: DOUGLAS T. SLOAN City Attorney	
By: Mary Raterman-Doidge Date Senior Deputy City Attorney	