

**RESOLUTION NO.**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF SANTA MARIA, CALIFORNIA  
APPROVING CITY COUNCIL GOALS AND OBJECTIVES  
FOR FISCAL YEARS 2026-28**

**WHEREAS**, the City Council considers and approves goals and objectives to provide direction on priorities and alignment of goals with the City’s biennial budget; and

**WHEREAS**, the City engaged the services of Patrick Ibarra of The Mejorando Group to assist the City Council in a goal-setting workshop on February 28, 2026; and

**WHEREAS**, the session addressed roles and expectations, effective governance, recent accomplishments, community and global trends, and establishing City goal and objectives; and

**WHEREAS**, the workshop was very productive with the City Council identifying ten goals, with accompanying objectives and descriptions, that they would like staff to address during the next two-year period.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Santa Maria, California, that consensus is confirmed on the City-wide Goals and Objectives for Fiscal Years 2026-28 as reflected in the Table of Goals and Objectives for Fiscal Years 2026-28 (Exhibit “A”).

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Santa Maria, California, held this 5<sup>th</sup> day of May 2026.

ATTEST:

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Mayor

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Chief Deputy City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

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Department Director

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City Manager

Exhibits:  
A – Table of Goals and Objectives for FY 2026-28