

COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: David W. Rowlands, City Manager

DATE: May 5, 2026

SUBJECT: Proclamation Proclaiming May 17, 2026, as the “80th Anniversary of Life Way Fellowship”.

The City Council will present a proclamation proclaiming May 17, 2026, as the “80th Anniversary of Life Way Fellowship” in the City of Santa Maria.

BACKGROUND:

Life Way Fellowship, originally founded as Santa Maria Southern Baptist Church on May 17, 1946, has served the community for 80 years through faith, worship, and outreach. This milestone reflects both the church’s lasting impact and continued commitment to its mission. The City of Santa Maria proclaims May 17, 2026, as the “80th Anniversary of Life Way Fellowship,” honoring its legacy and looking ahead with hope.

Proclamation Requested by: Pastor Daniel Cassels – Life Way Fellowship

Attachment(s): Proclamation