

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_ (N.C.S.)**

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE SALINAS FIRE DEPARTMENT LONG-RANGE  
MASTER PLAN**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Salinas recognizes the paramount importance of public safety, emergency response, and community well-being and

**WHEREAS**, the Salinas Fire Department plays a vital role in safeguarding the lives and property of our residents; and

**WHEREAS**, AP Triton LLC, has been engaged to craft the Fire Department Master Plan, ensuring a blend of visionary thinking and expert consultation; and

**WHEREAS**, the Fire Department Master Plan has been subjected to rigorous analysis, public input, and collaborative efforts involving city officials, fire department personnel, community stakeholders, and fire service planning experts; and

**WHEREAS**, the Fire Department Master Plan encapsulates key components, including the enhancement of emergency services, infrastructure upgrades, proactive risk reduction, personnel development, and fostering collaborations with neighboring jurisdictions and agencies; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council has reviewed the plan and acknowledges its potential to align fire department services with the evolving needs of our community; and

**WHEREAS**, the Salinas Fire Department deems it necessary and prudent to officially adopt the Fire Department Master Plan as a guiding document for the future of the department.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Salinas City Council hereby adopts the Fire Department Master Plan developed AP TRITON LLC as a strategic blueprint for enhancing fire prevention, emergency response, public safety education, and organizational efficiency within the Salinas Fire Department.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 26<sup>th</sup> day of September 2023, by the following vote:

**AYES:**

**NOES:**

**ABSENT:**

**ABSTAIN:**

**APPROVED:**

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Kimbley Craig, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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Patricia M. Barajas, City Clerk