

RESOLUTION NO. _____ (N.C.S.)

**A RESOLUTION OF THE SALINAS CITY COUNCIL
APPROVING THE PRIORITIZATION
OF TRAFFIC CALMING PROJECTS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2018-19**

WHEREAS, The City receives numerous requests, complaints and suggestions from residents regarding traffic related issues. Many residential concerns relate to driver behavior in the form of speeding or cut-through traffic on residential streets; and

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted the City's Traffic Calming Policy at its October 6, 2009 meeting (Resolution No. 19764), which outlined a process for consideration of traffic calming request from the community; and

WHEREAS, staff has responded to neighborhood Traffic Calming requests in chronological order. The numerous requests for Traffic Calming Projects have exceeded the City's budgeted resources to respond to and provide traffic calming solutions for all of the neighborhoods currently petitioning for projects; and

WHEREAS, the City Council adopted a resolution approving the prioritization strategy for Traffic Calming requests on its November 7, 2017 meeting (Resolution No. 21291) with the support of the Traffic and Transportation Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Traffic and Transportation Commission at its February 2018 meeting unanimously voted to recommend the Prioritization of Traffic Calming Projects for Fiscal Year 2018-2019 listed within the staff report; and

WHEREAS, Staff has determined that the project is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines (Section 15301, Class 1).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Salinas City Council that the Prioritization of Traffic Calming Projects 2018-2019 is hereby approved; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that City staff is hereby authorized and directed to proceed with implementation to fully effectuate the intent of this Resolution.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 20th day of March 2018, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

APPROVED:

Joe Gunter, Mayor

ATTEST:

Patricia M. Barajas, City Clerk