## A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY COUNCIL'S ADOPTION OF THE DRAFT PUBLIC ART MASTER PLAN

**WHEREAS,** in May 2017, the City Council adopted an Ordinance establishing a Public Art Program which created a Municipal Art Fund to fund the maintenance and procurement of public art; and

**WHEREAS,** a Public Art Commission was formed through the adoption of the Public Art Ordinance with one of the primary activities being the preparation of a Public Art Plan which will describe the funding sources, budgets and descriptions of proposed and ongoing public art projects and establishes budgets and descriptions for new public art projects; and

**WHEREAS**, in October 2018, the City Council authorized the City Manager to enter in to a professional services agreement with RRM Design for the development of a Public Art Master Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, RRM Design conducted a thorough review of existing public art and future opportunities within the City; and

**WHEREAS,** over 700 residents were engaged through a robust and equitable outreach effort to include an on-line and paper survey, bus tour of existing art/opportunity sites, three (3) community forums, twelve (12) pop-up engagement opportunities and twelve (12) stakeholder discussions; and

**WHEREAS,** the data received through the community outreach was used to develop goals, curatorial framework, key project recommendations, and implementation strategies; and

**WHEREAS**, on January 31, 2020, the Library & Community Services Commission endorsed the current draft of the Public Art Master Plan and recommended that the document be presented to and accepted by the Salinas City Council.; and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SALINAS CITY COUNCIL** that the draft Public Art Master Plan is hereby adopted.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 11<sup>th</sup> day of February, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

APPROVED:

Joe Gunter, Mayor

ATTEST:

Patricia M. Barajas, City Clerk