

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

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF GRANT FUNDING FROM
THE CALIFORNIA ENDOWMENT**

WHEREAS, the City of Salinas is committed to advancing equity in policy and practice for its employees and residents; and

WHEREAS, the City of Salinas is committed to training and development in the Government Alliance on Race Equity; and

WHEREAS, City of Salinas and the City Council seeks to deepen collective shared understanding of structural racism and its role in perpetuating health and other key life inequities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Salinas leadership desires to participate Towards a More Equitable Monterey County to Advance Health and Racial Equity Through Healing-Informed Systems: To build collective capacity of key stakeholders in resident organizing, government, education and philanthropy to realize racially equitable systems change for health and justice in the Salinas Valley and Monterey County; and

WHEREAS, the California Endowment has awarded the City of Salinas with an amount of \$60,000 to the City of Salinas for the commitment to and implementation of healing-informed Governing Alliance for Racial Equity (GARE) Practice across all departments that allows City of Salinas to make substantive progress toward institutional change; and

WHEREAS, Grant funds are to be applied to expenses incurred for the period from November 1, 2019 to October 31, 2021, unless otherwise agreed upon in writing by The Endowment; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Manager be authorized on behalf of the City Council to sign the Grant Agreement with The California Endowment including any amendments thereof.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that grant funds received hereunder shall not be used to supplant expenditures controlled by this body.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Salinas agrees to abide by the terms and conditions of the Grant Agreement as set forth by The California Endowment

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council hereby authorizes the acceptance of funding from the California Endowment to fund programs and training for the City of Salinas.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 17th day of March, 2020 by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

APPROVED:

Joe Gunter, Mayor

ATTEST:

Patricia M. Barajas, City Clerk