

ATTACHMENT #3

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-__

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDIAN WELLS, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING THE LOCAL ROAD SAFETY PLAN (LRSP) AND PLEDGING TO TAKE ACTION TO PROVIDE MOTORIZED, NON-MOTORIZED, AND PEDESTRIAN SAFETY THROUGH EDUCATION, PLANNING, AND ENGINEERING

WHEREAS, the City has seen approximately 466 traffic related collisions from 2018 through 2022 that included 4 pedestrian-related traffic accidents with 2 of them resulting in fatalities and 4 bicyclist-related traffic accidents; and

WHEREAS, the estimated economic losses due to traffic injuries amounted to approximately \$48 million from 2018 through 2022; and

WHEREAS, a Local Road Safety Plan (LRSP) provides a framework for organizing stakeholders to identify, analyze, and prioritize roadway safety improvements on local and rural roads; and

WHEREAS, the objective of the LRSP is to develop safety measures using the four E's of safety; Engineering, Enforcement, Education, and Emergency Response to provide recommended actions, projects, and programs to support increasing safety for all road users and promote multimodalism; and

WHEREAS, fatalities and injuries on our streets are unacceptable when they are preventable; and

WHEREAS, streets and transportation systems have traditionally been designed primarily for maximum vehicular capacity and mobility, rather than the safe accommodation of all modes and users; and

WHEREAS, the City recognizes that the lack of appropriate and complete roadway infrastructure is an equity issue that affects primarily disadvantaged and rural areas within its borders; and

WHEREAS, the City of Indian Wells goals include protecting the safety, health and security of its residents, businesses, employees and visitors; and

WHEREAS, successful traffic safety programs are a result of both a complete government approach (i.e. interdepartmental, coordinated initiatives) and community support of safety goals and action plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, DETERMINED AND ORDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF INDIAN WELLS AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Approves the City of Indian Wells Local Road Safety Plan.

SECTION 2. The City of Indian Wells pledges to take action on the essential elements of traffic safety to achieve zero traffic deaths by 2050, including activities related to education, enforcement, engineering, evaluation, encouragement and equity.

SECTION 6. The City Clerk shall certify the adoption of this Resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Indian Wells, California, at a regular meeting held on this 5th day of September 2024.

**GREG SANDERS
MAYOR**

CERTIFICATION FOR RESOLUTION NO. 2024-____

I, Angelica Avila, City Clerk of the City Council of the City of Indian Wells, California, **DO HEREBY CERTIFY** that the whole number of the members of the City Council is five (5); that the above and foregoing Resolution was duly and regularly passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Indian Wells on the 5th day of September 2024, by the following vote:

AYES:
NOES:

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

**ANGELICA AVILA
CITY CLERK**

**TODD LEISHMAN FOR
BEST BEST & KRIEGER LLP
CITY ATTORNEY**