RESOLUTION NO. 2021-021

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELK GROVE EXPRESSING THE COUNCIL'S SUPPORT FOR A BALANCED RESPONSE BY LOCAL, STATE, AND FEDERAL AUTHORITIES TO THE COVID-19 GLOBAL PANDEMIC THAT PROTECTS THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF OUR COMMUNITIES WHILE RECOGNIZING THE NEED TO MITIGATE THE ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND OTHER HARDSHIPS ON BUSINESSES AND FAMILIES

WHEREAS, the COVID-19 pandemic is a global concern costing lives worldwide in a manner that is yet to be contained or adequately slowed; and

WHEREAS, unprecedented measures have been taken to slow its spread and allow our healthcare infrastructure the capacity to address those most critically affected; and

WHEREAS, the implementation of these measures has created severe hardship within our small business community, especially the service sector economy; and

WHEREAS, the full extent of the long-term psychological and social impacts of these measures on the health and well-being of individuals is not fully known; and

WHEREAS, the Elk Grove City Council and City residents desire a return to normalcy in as safe a manner and as soon as possible; and

WHEREAS, personal responsibility such as social distancing and mask wearing is more sustainable and compassionate than punitive enforcement measures.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove hereby expresses its support for a balanced response by local, state and federal authorities to the COVID-19 global pandemic that protects the health and safety of our communities, while recognizing the need to mitigate the economic, social, and other hardships imposed on businesses and families.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove this 13th day of January 2021

BOBBIE SINGH-ALLEN, MAYOR of the CITY OF ELK GROVE

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

ASON LINDGREN, CITY CLERK

JONATHAN P. HOBBS, CITY ATTORNEY

CERTIFICATION ELK GROVE CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2021-021

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)	
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO)	SS
CITY OF ELK GROVE)	

I, Jason Lindgren, City Clerk of the City of Elk Grove, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly introduced, approved, and adopted by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove at a regular meeting of said Council held on January 13, 2021 by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCILMEMBERS: Singh-Allen, Nguyen, Hume, Spease, Suen

NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSTAIN: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS: None

Jason Lindgren, City Clerk City of Elk Grove, California