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Adopted by the affirmative vote of nine members.

Attest:- Joseph E. Connarton, City Clerk.

A true copy;

ATTEST:-

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Councillor Walter Sullivan resolutions on
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*Order adopted
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