## RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIVERSIDE, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING THE APPLICATION UNDER PLANNING CASE NUMBER P18-0625 DESIGNATING THE STRUCTURE LOCATED AT 6240 HAWARDEN DRIVE, ASSESSOR'S PARCEL NUMBER 241-140-040, AS A CITY STRUCTURE OF MERIT.

WHEREAS, in Planning Case No. P18-0625, Jason and Nicole DeAnda filed an application to designate the property known as the Walton/Merriman House, located at 6240 Hawarden Drive, in the City of Riverside, California, Assessor's Parcel Number 241-140-040, as more particularly described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto incorporated herein by reference, as a City of Riverside Structure of Merit; and

WHEREAS, on September 19, 2018, the Cultural Heritage Board of the City of Riverside conducted a duly noticed public hearing on said application and recommended the approval of the designation of a City of Riverside Structure of Merit for the Walton/Merriman House; and

WHEREAS, all legal prerequisites to the adoption of this application have been met.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Riverside, California that based on substantial evidence presented to the Cultural Heritage Board during the above-referenced public hearing and thereafter to the City Council, including written and oral staff reports, together with public testimony pursuant to the provisions of Title 20 of the Riverside Municipal Code pertaining to the designation of a historic Structure of Merit, the City Council hereby finds that the Walton/Merriman House, located at 6240 Hawarden Drive, in the City of Riverside, California, Assessor's Parcel Number 241-140-040, as more particularly described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto incorporated herein by reference is a historic Structure of Merit eligible for designation under criteria set forth in the Riverside Municipal Code Sections 20.20.030 and 20.50.010(FF) and based on the following facts and findings:

**FINDINGS:** 

Criterion 6: Reflects significant geographical patterns, including those associated with different eras of settlement and growth, particular transportation modes, or distinctive examples of park or community planning, or cultural landscape.

**FACTS:** 

6240 Hawarden Drive meets Criterion 6 as a Structure of Merit because the Walton/Merriman residence demonstrates this pattern of development through the large addition which converted the modest residence into a large "mansion"

1	suitable for entertaining Riverside's elite, as discussed in Hall's book. Therefore the Walton/Merriman meets Landmark Criterion 1 (is identified with persons
2	events significant in local, state or national history) and Criterion 6 (reflects significant geographical patterns, including those associated with different eras of
3	settlement and growth, particular transportation modes, or distinctive examples of park or community planning, or cultural landscape) because it is associated with
4	prominent Riversiders Walton and Merriman and it demonstrates a historic
5	pattern of development specific to a particular geographical area which was development by, and for prominent individuals associated with Riverside's citrus
6	heritage. Due to the historic-period expansion and later alterations, the Walton/Merriman house no longer retains the high degree of integrity required for
7	City Landmark designation, however it does retain sufficient integrity to convey
8	its significance as a City Structure of Merit.
9	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT pursuant to Title 20 of the Riverside Municipal Code,
10	the City Council hereby approves the above-referenced application and designates the
11	Walton/Merriman House as City Structure of Merit.
12	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the proposed historic Structure of Merit designation is
13	exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to Sections
14	15061(b)(3) and 15308 of the Guidelines for Implementation of the California Environmental
15	Quality Act (Title 14, California Code of Regulations, commencing with Section 15000) as it can be
16	seen with certainty that there is no possibility that the activity will have a significant effect on the
17	environment, and said action is intended to preserve the historic character of the building and site.
18	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the City Clerk of the City of Riverside shall cause a
19	certified copy of this resolution to be recorded in the Office of the County Recorder of Riverside
20	County, California.
21	ADOPTED by the City Council this day of, 2018.
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23	WILLIAM R. BAILEY, III
24	Mayor of the City of Riverside
25	ATTEST:
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27	COLLEEN J. NICOL City Clerk of the City of Riverside
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1	I, Colleen J. Nicol, City Clerk of the City of Riverside, California, hereby certify that the
2	foregoing resolution was duly and regularly adopted at a meeting of the City Council of said City at
3	its meeting held on theday of, 2018, by the following vote, to wit:
4	Ayes:
5	Noes:
6	Absent:
7	Abstain:
8	IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the
9	City of Riverside, California, this day of, 2018.
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11	COLLEEN J. NICOL
12	City Clerk of the City of Riverside
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## EXHIBIT "A" LEGAL DESCRIPTION

Address: 6240 Hawarden Drive

A.P.N.: 241-140-040

That certain real property located in the City of Riverside, County of Riverside, State of California, described as follows:

Parcel 1 of Parcel Map No 36458, as shown by map on file in Book 241, Pages 10 to 13 of Parcel Maps, Records of Riverside County, California.

This description was prepared by me or under my direction in conformance with the requirements of the Land Surveyors Act.

Curtis C. Stephens, L.S. 7519

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