

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHULA VISTA REPEALING COUNCIL POLICIES 840-01 “REGULATION AND PROHIBITION OF SMOKING IN CERTAIN AREAS IN THE CITY OF CHULA VISTA USED BY OR OPEN TO THE PUBLIC”, 840-02 “SMOKING IN NON-PUBLIC AREAS OF CITY BUILDINGS” AND THE ENVIRONMENTAL TOBACCO SMOKE CONTROL DIRECTIVE

WHEREAS, jurisdictions are becoming increasingly aware that cities play a critical role in supporting the health and well-being of their communities; and

WHEREAS, the Healthy Chula Vista Action Plan, adopted January 5, 2016, included strategies to prohibit smoking on city facilities and in affordable housing projects; and

WHEREAS, on December 19, 2017, City Council adopted amendments to Chula Vista Municipal Code Chapter 8.22, Regulations of Smoking in Public Places and Places of Employment (“CVMC Chapter 8.22”), to add e-cigarettes to the definition of smoking, prohibit smoking on all city owned property, and restrict smoking to designated areas in affordable housing projects; and

WHEREAS, the City has previously adopted policies to prohibit and/or regulate smoking including Council Policies Nos. 840-01 and 840-02 and an Environmental Tobacco Smoke Control Directive adopted in 2017, which are now all superseded by CVMC Chapter 8.22; and

WHEREAS, the City has additionally created a Human Resource Policy for smoking prohibitions of employees while on city owned property, in city vehicles, and during their work hours and has further met all meet and confer obligations, as required by the Meyers-Milias Brown Act (“MMBA”).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Chula Vista, that it repeals Council Policy 840-01 (Regulation and Prohibition of Smoking in Certain Areas in the City of Chula Vista Used by or Open to the Public), and 840-02 (Smoking in Non-Public Areas of City Buildings), and the Environmental Tobacco Smoke Control Directive.

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