## **RESOLUTION NO. 2017-47**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STANTON, CALIFORNIA ADOPTING A MAP OF FOUR CITY COUNCIL DISTRICTS FOR A BY-DISTRICT ELECTORAL SYSTEM

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Stanton ("the City") adopted its Ordinance No. 1073 adding Sections 2.04.080, 2.04.090, 2.04.100, and 2.04.110 to Chapter 2.04 of Title 2 of the Stanton Municipal Code establishing four City Council districts for a bydistrict electoral system, where each City Council Member must reside within the designated district boundary and be elected only by the voters in that district and the office of Mayor shall be directly elected; and

WHEREAS, Stanton Municipal Code §2.04.080 provides that the boundary map by which City Council Members shall be elected shall be adopted by resolution; and

WHEREAS, the City Council solicited, received, and evaluated a total of 7 proposed boundary maps submitted by the community and the City's demographics consultant, and each map and its demographic data was made available in a link to the City's website; and

WHEREAS, the City Council evaluated each proposed boundary map in consideration of public testimony and the following established guidelines:

- 1. Each Council district shall contain a nearly equal number of inhabitants; and
- 2. Council district borders shall be drawn in a manner that complies with the Federal Voting Rights Act; and
- 3. No Council district shall be drawn with race as the predominate factor in violation of the principles established by the United States Supreme Court in Shaw v. Reno, 509 U.S. 630 (1993), and its progeny; and
- 4. Council districts shall consist of contiguous territory in as compact form as possible; and
- 5. Council districts shall respect communities of interest as much as possible; and
- 6. Council district borders shall follow visible natural and man-made geographical and topographical features as much as possible; and
- 7. Council districts known to be areas of higher-than-average population growth in the two to five years following this boundary line adjustment may be under populated within the population deviation amounts allowed by law.

WHEREAS, public hearings were held on September 29, 2017, October 11, 2017, October 23, 2017, and November 14, 2017, at which the City Council selected a preferred map for four City Council districts (the "Preferred Map").

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STANTON, CALIFORNIA, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE, DETERMINE, FIND AND ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

**SECTION 1:** The facts set forth in the Recitals of this Resolution are true and correct.

**SECTION 2:** Pursuant to Stanton Municipal §2.04.080, the Preferred Map attached as Exhibit "A" to this resolution is adopted.

**SECTION 3:** The City Clerk is directed to transmit the map to the County of Orange.

**SECTION 4:** The City Manager and City Attorney are directed to take such actions as they deem necessary or appropriate to implement this Resolution, including technical adjustments to the adopted map to ensure its proper implementation, provided that such technical amendments are minor and consistent with the intent of the map and the Stanton Municipal Code.

ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Stanton at a regular meeting held on November 14, 2017 by the following vote, to wit:

CAROL WARREN, MAYOR

ATTEST:

PATRICIA A. WAZOUEZ, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

MATTHEW E. RICHARDSON, CITY ATTORNEY

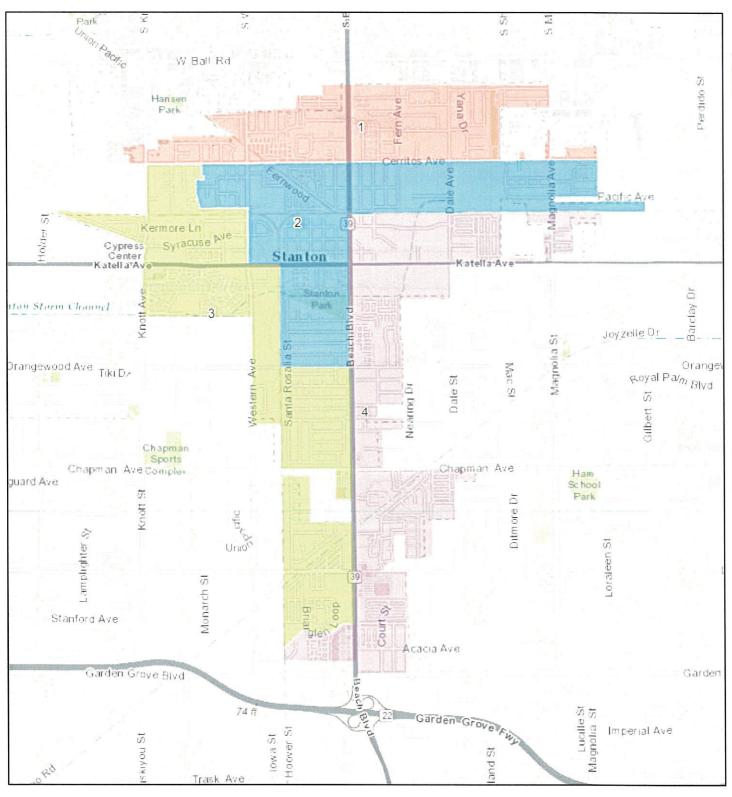
## ATTEST:

I, PATRICIA A. VAZQUEZ, City Clerk of the City of Stanton, California DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution, being Resolution No. 2017-47 has been duly signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk, all at a regular meeting of the Stanton City Council, held on November 14, 2017, and that the same was adopted, signed and approved by the following vote to wit:

AYES:	Donahue, Ethans, Ramirez, Shawver, Warren
NOES:	None
ABSENT:	None
ABSTAIN:	None

PATRICIA A VAZQUEZ, CITY CLERK

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November 15, 2017

