

RESOLUTION NO. R2018.13

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPE, ARIZONA AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ADOPT THE VISION ZERO FRAMEWORK ON BEHALF OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, Tempe aspires to reduce the number of fatal and serious injury crashes on its streets to zero;

WHEREAS, Vision Zero is a traffic safety policy that takes an ethical approach toward achieving safety for all road users;

WHEREAS, in the past six years more than 60 people have lost their lives and more than 400 people were seriously injured on Tempe streets;

WHEREAS, traffic related deaths and serious injuries are preventable;

WHEREAS, the severity of motor vehicle related crashes can be reduced;

WHEREAS, transportation safety is everybody's responsibility;

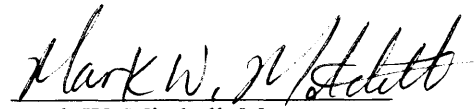
WHEREAS, City departments including Public Works, Police and Fire Medical & Rescue are actively employing programs to improve safety and response time; and

WHEREAS, Vision Zero builds upon those existing programs with new strategies to help meet the Council's adopted performance measure to achieve a reduction in the number of fatal and serious injury crashes to zero.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPE, ARIZONA as follows:

That the Mayor is authorized to sign a commitment to the Vision Zero framework on behalf of the City Council.

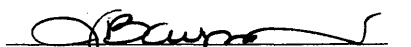
PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPE, ARIZONA, this 8th day of February, 2018.


Mark W. Mitchell, Mayor

ATTEST:


Brigitta M. Kuiper, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Judith R. Baumann, City Attorney