

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESA, ARIZONA, ACCEPTING A CLIMATE ACTION PLAN FOR MESA WITH ASPIRATIONAL GOALS.

WHEREAS, the City Council established the Healthy Environment Council Strategic Initiative on March 4, 2021.

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to proactively and responsibly protect and conserve Mesa's environment and natural resources.

WHEREAS, the City Council seeks to foster long-term community health benefits of sustainable growth and identify other communitywide environmental opportunities, with guidance in public engagement by the City from the Aspirational Goals of the Climate Action Plan.

WHEREAS, the City Council recognizes that the Aspirational Goals of the Climate Action Plan will inform consideration of actions within City operations to promote resiliency and lessen climate impacts.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MESA, MARICOPA COUNTY, ARIZONA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: That the Climate Action Plan with Aspirational Goals and actions within City operations is hereby accepted and approved.

Section 2: That the various City officers and employees are hereby authorized to take such actions as are appropriate to consider and advance the Aspirational Goals set forth in the Climate Action Plan, including presenting progress updates to the City Council at least annually, provided however, that nothing in this Resolution shall create any cause of action against the City by any person based on the Climate Action Plan, the Aspirational Goals set forth therein, or otherwise.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Mesa, Maricopa County, Arizona, this 21st day of June, 2021.

APPROVED:

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK