RESOLUTION NO. 11379

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT TO IMPLEMENT A FLASHING YELLOW ARROWS TRIAL PROJECT

WHEREAS, the use of a protected/permitted left turn operation with a four-section signal head containing a flashing yellow arrow (FYA) is being increasingly utilized throughout the United States, including California; and

WHEREAS, the four-section signal head containing a flashing yellow arrow indicator is an approved Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) traffic control device and is identified in the California Department of Motor Vehicles (CA DMV) Drivers Handbook Section 7: Laws and Rules of the Road, Subsection Traffic; and

WHEREAS, the City of Folsom desires to build on the expanded use of FYA indicators throughout the Sacramento region to improve traffic flow, reduce emissions, and improve drivers' experiences; and

WHEREAS, the City of Folsom desires to obtain authority to install FYA indicators as part of a pilot project; and

WHEREAS, the City of Folsom has developed certain criteria for determining which locations are candidates for installation of FYA indicators; and

WHEREAS, the City of Folsom will develop informative materials to be used in public outreach and educational efforts regarding FYA indicators; and

WHEREAS, the cost of this project will be accommodated within the department's existing annual operating budget; and

WHEREAS, the trial project results will be reported back to the City Council for further discussion.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Folsom authorizes the Public Works Department to implement a Flashing Yellow Arrow Trial Project.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 13th day of May 2025, by the following roll-call vote:

AYES:Councilmember(s):NOES:Councilmember(s):ABSENT:Councilmember(s):ABSTAIN:Councilmember(s):

ATTEST:

Sarah Aquino, MAYOR

Christa Freemantle, CITY CLERK