

HONORING TONY BOREN

WHEREAS, Tony Boren has been with Fresno Council of Governments for 30 years, proudly serving as Executive Director from 2008 to 2023; and

WHEREAS, Tony obtained his master's degree from California State University, Fresno in City & Regional Planning, starting his planning career and joining Fresno COG in 1993; and

WHEREAS, Tony's career include serving as Fresno COG Executive Director for 15 years, coordinating and implementing the Measure C program's significant transportation projects, leading three cycles from 2014-2022 of the Fresno Council of Governments Regional Transportation Plan/Sustainable Communities Strategy; and

WHEREAS, Tony collaborated with the eight San Joaquin Valley Metropolitan Planning Organizations, and serving as the Chair of the Fresno State Transportation Institute since its inception; and

WHEREAS, Tony implemented many projects and programs that improved air quality, advanced mobility for people and goods, as well as advancing sustainable planning practices for the Fresno region and the entire San Joaquin Valley; and

WHEREAS, Tony is deserving of a well-earned retirement to enjoy his hobbies and his family.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Kerman City Council hereby extends their congratulations to Tony Boren on his retirement, with appreciation for his dedication and service to Fresno County.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Official Seal of the City of Kerman to be affixed on this 13th day of December 2023.

Maria Pacheco Mayor