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A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, COMMEMORATING THE INAUGURATION OF THE CITY OF NORMAN INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL.

- § 1. WHEREAS, the City of Norman is known as the City of Festivals and the City of Norman welcomes the addition of the first City of Norman International Festival; and
- § 2. WHEREAS, the vibrancy of a community is felt through the diversity of residents, business owners, non-profits, and visitors; and
- § 3. WHEREAS, this event will bring such groups together in the spirit of celebrating cultural differences in a unity-focused approach; and
- § 4. WHEREAS, the City of Norman's Diversity & Equity Office has coordinated this festival; it is a culmination of collaboration, support, and shared responsibility by all city leaders and residents to create a space which celebrates a global community this day and throughout; and
- § 5. WHEREAS, with a partner such as the University of Oklahoma that attracts top students, faculty, and guests of global backgrounds, the City of Norman is proud of its diversity as shared in the recent U.S. Census results showing one in four residents are of diverse origins; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA:

§ 6. THAT the City of Norman, Oklahoma, does hereby announce the Inaugural 2022 City of Norman International Festival to be held on October 23, 2022 at Reaves Park in Norman, Oklahoma..

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 11th day of October, 2022.

ATTEST:	Mayor	
Deputy City Clerk		

