

Resolution No.

# STOCKTON CITY COUNCIL

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## **ADOPT A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AUGMENTED STATE CENSUS FUNDING AND AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT WITH EL CONCILIO TO PERFORM FINAL HARD-TO-COUNT ACTIVITIES FOR THE CITY OF STOCKTON**

The 2020 Census is mandated by Article 1, Section 2 of the United States Constitution; and

Every 10 years, the U.S. Census Bureau counts every resident in the nation. A complete and accurate count of California and the City of Stockton is essential to determine how to allocate Congressional seats, electoral votes, and government program funding to state and local government; and

Completed Census responses determine how billions of dollars in federal funds is distributed to local communities for the next 10 years; and

The California Complete Count Census 2020 (CCC) Office allocated funding for municipalities to conduct education and outreach campaigns to encourage full participation and avoid an undercount; and

The Census response data is used to allocate Congressional and local government seats, including more than 300 federal programs that are essential to Stockton such as Medicaid, education, housing assistance, health care, nutrition for children and families, job programs, including low-income tax credits; and

The City of Stockton is committed to a local campaign that educates, motivates, and encourages participation in the Census among all communities in Stockton; and

The City of Stockton has historically had some of the highest-ranked Hard-to-Count Census tracts in the State of California; and

The City of Stockton aims to meet or exceed the 2010 countywide Census Self Response Rate of 64.4%; now, therefore,

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STOCKTON, AS FOLLOWS:**

1. The City Council accepts augmented State Census Funding, increasing the program amount by \$98,461 to \$422,318.

2. The City Council provides the City Manager with authority to increase the existing agreement with El Concilio by \$97,961 to provide essential support to complete the Census work.

3. The City Council authorizes the appropriation of funding received for the California Complete Count Census 2020 to the Special Purpose Grant Fund Non-Departmental Budget.

4. The City Manager is hereby authorized to take whatever actions are necessary and appropriate to carry out the purpose and intent of this Resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED September 15, 2020.

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MICHAEL D. TUBBS  
Mayor of the City of Stockton

ATTEST:

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ELIZA R. GARZA CMC  
City Clerk of the City of Stockton