

## **RESOLUTION NO. R2025-37**

### **A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURNET, TEXAS, ADOPTING CITY COUNCIL PRIORITIES AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**WHEREAS**, the Council is committed to responsible governance, responsive service, continuous improvement, and the community's long-term well-being; and

**WHEREAS**, over the course of a three-month process, the Council held four workshop meetings, collaborated with department heads, and considered input from a community-wide survey to identify and establish key priority areas; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council seeks to adopt a clear set of strategic priorities to guide organizational focus, inform strategic planning, and shape capital improvement budget decisions in alignment with community values.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURNET, TEXAS, AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section One. Findings.** The recitals set out above are hereby approved and incorporated herein for all purposes.

**Section Two. Adoption.** The City Council hereby adopts the following as City Council Strategic Priorities:

Beautification – Fostering Community Pride and Curb Appeal

Focused on improving and maintaining public and private spaces, promoting curb appeal, enforcing code compliance, and encouraging community-led beautification efforts.

Historic Downtown Square – Preserving the Past, Inspiring the Future

Revitalizing the historic square through economic investment, beautification, infrastructure upgrades including parking, and cultural preservation to maintain its role as the heart of the community.

Parks & Recreation – Enhancing Community Wellness and Access to Nature

Expansion and improvement of public parks, trails, recreation programs, community events, and spaces that promote healthy lifestyles and community connection.

Public Safety – Best-in-Class Fire, EMS, and Police Services

Ensure a safe community through exemplary police, fire, and emergency medical services, with a focus on prevention, rapid response, and community trust.

Smart Growth – Balancing Development, Affordability, and Livability

Create policies and strategic master plans to support business growth, essential housing, and neighborhood vitality while preserving Burnet's small-town charm.

Street Improvement – Safe, Reliable, and Well-Maintained Infrastructure  
Focused investment in road repair and replacement, pedestrian and vehicular transportation, and street safety to support residents, visitors, and economic growth.

Water Resource Management – Securing Sustainable and Safe Water for the Future


Investing in infrastructure and policies that protect both water quality and quantity, expanding and diversifying supply, and promoting responsible usage of limited natural resources.

**Section Three. Open Meetings.** It is hereby officially found and determined that the meeting at which this resolution was passed was open to the public and that public notice of the time, place, and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act.

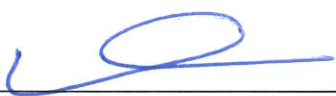
**Section Four. Effective Date.** That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage, and approval as prescribed by law.

**PASSED AND APPROVED** on this the 13th day of <sup>May</sup> ~~July~~ 2025.

**CITY OF BURNET, TEXAS**

  
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Gary Wideman, Mayor

**ATTEST:**

  
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Maria Gonzales, City Secretary

