CWK 01/26/2023 Item No. XX

THIS IS A DRAFT AND WILL BE REPLACED WITH THE FINAL UPON COUNCIL APPROVAL

ORDINANCE

APPROVING THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO'S FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM FOR THE 118TH U.S. CONGRESS.

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WHEREAS, development of the City's Federal Legislative Program began in July 2022 with the collaboration of City departments and our Federal consultant team; and

WHEREAS, the proposed Program priorities, drawn from the City of San Antonio's strategic plans previously adopted by the City Council, is designed to be strategic and impactful, align with the priorities of the San Antonio community, and help advance a resilient and sustainable city infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, for the 118th U.S. Congress, which convened on January 10, 2023, the City's Federal priorities consist of seven pillars, which include Infrastructure, Resiliency & Transportation, Housing, Workforce and Training, Public Health and Human Services, Economic and Community Development, Military Protection, and Public Safety; and

WHEREAS, on November 28, 2022, the City Council Intergovernmental Relations Committee voted to forward the Program to the full City Council at a B Session which was held on January 11, 2023; and

WHEREAS, it is now necessary for the full City Council to approve the City of San Antonio's Federal Legislative Program for the 118th U.S. Congress; **NOW, THEREFORE**:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The City of San Antonio's Federal Legislative Program for the 118th U.S. Congress is authorized and approved. A copy of the Program is attached to this Ordinance as **Exhibit I**.

SECTION 2. The Ordinance is effective immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes; otherwise, it is effective 10 days after passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 26th day of January 2023.

	M A Y O R Ron Nirenberg
ATTEST:	APPROVED AS TO FORM:
Debbie Racca-Sittre, City Clerk	Andrew Segovia, City Attorney