

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, COMMENDING AND
EXTENDING RECOGNITION TO THE NORMAN AREA
LAND CONSERVANCY, INCORPORATED IN THEIR
20TH ANNIVERSARY YEAR.

- § 1. WHEREAS, the Norman Area Land Conservancy, Inc. (NALC) was incorporated and filed with the Oklahoma Secretary of State on February 17, 2000, by J. Lee Rodgers, Harold L. Heiple, and Lyntha N. Wesner; and
- § 2. WHEREAS, NALC, Inc. is a not-for-profit corporation that enters into private/public partnerships with the City of Norman, U.S. Department of Agriculture Natural Resources Conservation Service, and private land owners in the form of conservation easements to conserve, enhance and protect the rural and urban natural environments in and around the City of Norman; and
- § 3. WHEREAS, the conservation easements in NALC's trust help to further the goals of the City of Norman's Greenway Plan to establish open spaces and a trail system throughout Norman; and
- § 4. WHEREAS, the conservation easements in NALC's trust help protect flood plains and waterways from urban development; and
- § 5. WHEREAS, through its public/private partnerships, NALC has acquired five conservation easements totaling approximately 537 acres within the city limits of Norman and two additional easements in the surrounding area totaling 361 acres; and
- § 6. WHEREAS, the City is grateful for the ongoing partnership with the NALC and the commitment of the Norman related families, Kuhlman, Wards, Hoovers, and Potts, who entered into conservation easements to preserve and protect the important natural features and sensitive environmental areas on their properties within the city limits of Norman; and

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

- § 7. That the Mayor and City Council of the City of Norman commend and recognize Norman Area Land Conservancy, Incorporated, in their 20th Anniversary year.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14th day of July, 2020.

ATTEST:

Mayor

City Clerk

