A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, EXTENDING APPRECIATION TO KATE BIERMAN FOR SERVING AS WARD ONE COUNCILMEMBER IN NORMAN, OKLAHOMA.

- § 1. WHEREAS, the health and well-being of a democratic society depends on the active participation of citizens in the affairs of the government; and
- § 2. WHEREAS, the level of government which is closest to the people is that of City government; and
- § 3. WHEREAS, those individuals who seek to run for public office at the municipal level do so out of deep caring and concern for the future of their community and bring their own unique talents, values, and abilities to the job; and
- § 4. WHEREAS, those individuals who are elected take on the responsibility to establish public policy and to meet the challenge of complex issues and problems to the best of their abilities; and
- § 5. WHEREAS, these public officials assume a demanding task to establish an understanding of the issues and they do so in addition to work and family responsibilities and demands; and
- § 6. WHEREAS, Kate Bierman served on the City Council representing Ward One from July 4, 2017, until May 11, 2021; and
- § 7. WHEREAS, during her tenure she worked on equality for all; was a strong voice for the residents of Ward One; supported more affordable housing; and was an advocate for animals.

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

§ 8. That the Council of the City of Norman, on behalf of the entire citizenry of Norman, commends and extends appreciation to Kate Bierman for her service to this community as Councilmember for Ward One and wish her well in her future endeavors.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 11th day of May, 2021.

ATTEST:	Mayor
City Clerk	

