

GARDEN GROVE CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARDEN GROVE
DECLARING COMMITMENT TO PARTNER WITH THE U.S. CENSUS BUREAU FOR A
2020 CENSUS

WHEREAS, an accurate census count is vital to our community and residents' well-being by helping planners determine where to locate schools, day care centers, road and public transportation, hospitals and other facilities, and is used to make decisions concerning business growth and housing needs;

WHEREAS, more than \$675 billion per year in federal and state funding is allocated to states and communities based on census data;

WHEREAS, census data ensure fair congressional representation by determining how many seats each state will have in the U.S. House of Representatives as well as the redistricting of state legislatures, county and city councils, and voting districts;

WHEREAS, the 2020 Census creates jobs that stimulate economic growth and increase employment opportunities in our community; and

WHEREAS, the information collected by the census is protected by law and remains confidential for 72 years.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of City of Garden Grove is committed to collaborating with the U.S. Census Bureau to help ensure a full and accurate count in 2020. As a 2020 Census Partner, the City of Garden Grove shall:

1. Support the goals and ideals for the 2020 Census and will disseminate 2020 Census information to encourage residents of our communities to participate.
2. Encourage people in Garden Grove to place an emphasis on the 2020 Census and participate in events and initiatives that will raise overall awareness of the 2020 Census and ensure full and accurate census.
3. Support efforts that help our community complete an accurate count.