

Resolution of Commendation

Miguel Pulido

WHEREAS, Miguel Pulido has served twenty-seven distinguished years as a member of the Orange County Transportation Authority Board of Directors, and by serving on multiple committees and through his leadership, he has contributed significantly to long-term transportation planning for Orange County; and

WHEREAS, Miguel Pulido was instrumental in advancing Measure M1 and M2 with the distribution of more than \$250 million in funds to local agencies in Orange County aimed at increasing mobility, as well as pioneering efforts to ensure public health and sustainability resulting in the addition of the clean bus fleet; and

WHEREAS, Miguel Pulido contributed greatly to the reorganization of the Orange County bus system through "OC Bus 360°" helping to consolidate bus service thereby keeping the service financially viable; and

WHEREAS, through Miguel Pulido's involvement, more than \$1 million in "OCGo" funds were allocated to make improvements to 35 of Orange County's busiest bus stops; and

WHEREAS, Miguel Pulido's dedication to the expansion of the Interstate 405 Corridor Cities, OC Bridges grade separation program, improvements to the SR-57 and SR-91 freeways, the College Pass Program, and bike and pedestrian planning for advancing the OC Loop clearly defined his commitment to keep Orange County moving; and

WHEREAS, Miguel Pulido exercised forward thinking as a staunch supporter of the zero emission OC Streetcar that will run on a four mile route connecting downtown Santa Ana to Harbor Boulevard in Garden Grove; and

WHEREAS, Miguel Pulido demonstrated regional leadership by proactively convening Orange County Mayors to spread public health messaging related to the COVID-19 pandemic while championing transit employees and passenger safety.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Garden Grove City Council hereby wishes Miguel Pulido great success in all of his future endeavors, commends and congratulates him for his exceptional dedication and service for advancing transportation and leaving a legacy of mobility improvements throughout Orange County.

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