

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
FRESNO, CALIFORNIA, TO DESIGNATE THE PROPERTY
LOCATED AT 914 F STREET TO THE LOCAL REGISTER
OF HISTORIC RESOURCES

WHEREAS, the property located at 914 F Street, Fresno, California, Assessor's Parcel Number 467-071-11, is historically significant due to its association with the early development of Chinatown and the Japanese American community; and

WHEREAS, the property was constructed around 1900 and has since served multiple commercial purposes, including its function as the Sunrise Café, operated by the Nakamoto Family until their internment during World War II; and

WHEREAS, the property reflects important patterns in Fresno's social and economic history, particularly relating to Japanese American immigration, the development of business in Chinatown, and the impact of World War II on the local community; and

WHEREAS, the property maintains sufficient integrity in its location, setting, and association to convey its historic significance; and

WHEREAS, the property owner supports the designation of the property located at 914 F Street to Fresno's Local Register of Historic Resources; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fresno Historic Preservation Commission, at a duly noticed public hearing held on August 26, 2024, heard testimony on the subject property; and

WHEREAS, based on that testimony, and preservation of facts relating to the criteria for designation as a local historic resource, as set forth in the Fresno Municipal

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Date Adopted:

Date Approved:

Effective Date:

City Attorney Approval:

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Code Section 12-1607, made the following findings:

That the property located at 914 F Street meets the criteria (i) and (iv) for historic resource designation under the Fresno Municipal Code Sec. 12-1607(a)(1).; and should be recommended to the Fresno City Council for adoption as a Local Registered Historic Resource; and in accordance with Fresno Municipal Code, Section 12-1601 et seq. this hearing was duly noticed for Council action upon the designation recommended by the Commission; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the property at 914 F Street meets criteria (i) and (iv) for historic resource designation under the Fresno Municipal Code Sec. 12-1607(a)(1).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Fresno as follows:

1. The property located at 914 F Street is designated a Historic Resource, and will be added to the Local Register of Historic Resources.
2. This resolution shall be effective upon final approval.

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF FRESNO) ss.
CITY OF FRESNO)

I, TODD STERMER, City Clerk of the City of Fresno, certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the City of Fresno, at a regular meeting held on the _____ day of _____ 2024.

AYES :
NOES :
ABSENT :
ABSTAIN :

TODD STERMER, CMC
City Clerk

By: _____ Date
Deputy

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
ANDREW JANZ
City Attorney

By: _____ Date
DARCY BROWN
Deputy City Attorney