RESOLUTION NO. 2024-____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PALM DESERT, CALIFORNIA, APPROVING AN ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY REGARDING THE USE OF SERVICE ANIMALS

WHEREAS, the City of Palm Desert (City) adheres to the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) by ensuring equitable access for individuals with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, the City is responsible for appropriately supporting individuals with disabilities who use service animals in City-owned and managed properties, facilities, and events; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to formalize its policy for service animals; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has been presented with a draft policy in the form attached to this Resolution as "Administrative Policy ADA-002" and by this reference incorporated herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Palm Desert, California, as follows:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> The foregoing Recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by this reference.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> The City Manager is hereby authorized to establish and periodically review and update Administrative Policy ADA-002.

<u>SECTION 3.</u> The attached Administrative Policy ADA-002 shall be added to the City's Administrative Procedures.

ADOPTED ON AUGUST 22, 2024.

KARINA QUINTANILLA MAYOR

ATTEST:

ANTHONY J. MEJIA CITY CLERK I, Anthony J. Mejia, City Clerk of the City of Palm Desert, hereby certify that Resolution No. 2024-___ is a full, true, and correct copy, and was duly adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Palm Desert on ______, by the following vote:

AYES: NOES: ABSENT: ABSTAIN: RECUSED:

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the

City of Palm Desert, California, on _____.

ANTHONY J. MEJIA CITY CLERK