RESOLUTION NO. 20150129-004

WHEREAS, the Firefighters', Police Officers' and Emergency Medical Services Personnel Civil Service Commission has been established to ensure general compliance with applicable provisions of Chapter 143 of the Texas Local Government Code, the local Civil Service Rules established by the Commission, and any current agreements between the City of Austin and associations representing firefighters, police officers and emergency medical services personnel. The Commission may take action on matters related to promotion, appeals of promotional exams, suspension and termination as well as other matters regarding firefighters and police officers and emergency medical services personnel in accordance with the above-mentioned statutes, rules, and agreements; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 143.006 of the State of Texas Local Government Code provides that the City Manager will appoint three Commissioners for staggered terms. The appointment must be confirmed by the City Council; and

WHEREAS, if a vacancy occurs, the City Manager shall appoint a person to serve for the remainder of the unexpired term in the same manner as the original appointment.

WHEREAS, Commissioner Stephen Edmonds resigned from the Firefighters', Police Officers' and Emergency Medical Services Personnel's Civil Service Commission on January 15, 2015. His unexpired term ends on October 31, 2015; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager appointed Eyna Canales-Zarate to fill the vacancy on the Commission created by Commissioner Edmonds' resignation. Ms. Canales-Zarate was appointed to serve the unexpired term ending October 31, 2015. Ms. Canales-Zarate meets the statutory prerequisites for appointment to this position; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

The City Council confirms the City Manager's appointment of Eyna Canales-Zarate to the Fire Fighter's, Police Officers' and Emergency Medical Services Personnel's Civil Service Commission for the unexpired term ending on October 31, 2015.

ADOPTED: January 29, 2015

ATTEST: OA

Jannette S. Goodall
City Clerk