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25 **WHEREAS**, Austin Public Health (APH) was the lead department assigned
26 and convened and facilitated a Quality Child Care & Pre-K3 Resolution Working
27 Group (Working Group) as well as coordinated with other City Departments and
28 community stakeholders to gather community wide data and input on policy,
29 practices, and funding priorities to help develop the information responsive to the
30 requests in the City Council Resolution 20170928-057; and

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32 **WHEREAS**, the High Quality Child Care and Pre-K3 Report, in response to
33 Council Resolution No. 20170928-057, provides extensive community data and the
34 Working Group developed a list of items for Council consideration; and

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36 **WHEREAS**, some of the Working Group recommendations have already
37 been implemented either through a council resolution, budget items at time of
38 Budget readings and staff initiated items; and

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40 **WHEREAS**, there are still viable recommendations of the Working Group
41 that must be implemented to address the need for more high quality affordable
42 childcare access for Austin families; **NOW, THEREFORE,**

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

45 The Council directs the City Manager to provide a report that provides a
46 timeline for the remaining recommendations from the High Quality Child Care and

Pre-K3 Report. The report should include any potential barriers that limit the implementation of the policy and recommendation and identify any budgetary actions that may be necessary to support implementation. Any necessary budgetary actions will take place during the budget adoption process.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

The Council further directs the City Manager to implement any policies from the report where a policy can be implemented without Council action.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

The Council directs the City Manager to present the feasibility report for full Council consideration on the above topics by June 9, 2019.

ADOPTED: _____, 2019

ATTEST: _____

Jannette S. Goodall
City Clerk