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natural heritage of Austin is important to sustaining a healthy and prosperous economy.

(I) The Save Our Springs ordinance was upheld by the Texas Supreme Court as a valid municipal ordinance and continues in effect today.

(J) The City Council and community have worked together to achieve the goals of the Save Our Springs ordinance by, among other efforts, protecting more than 48,090 acres of Water Quality Protection Land by purchase of land and conservation easements and by directing urban development to “desired development” areas of our City.

(K) While much progress has been made to protect Barton Springs and the Barton Springs Edwards Aquifer, celebration, education, and work must continue to ensure that Barton Springs and the Aquifer are protected into the future.

(L) The City of Austin loves to recognize and celebrate what is special and good.

**PART 2.** Council enacts the following:

(A) In recognition of the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the passage of SOS, the City Council hereby proclaims and celebrates Monday, August 8, 2022, as Save Our Springs Day.

(B) The City Council directs the City Manager to organize a swim party at Barton Springs Pool on August 8, 2022, culminating in an official 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Recognition Party to be held between 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m., to invite media, and to include music, oration, and an anniversary cake.

(C) The City Council waives certain entry fees for Barton Springs Pool to support Save Our Springs (SOS) Day on August 8, 2022 as follows:

**Estimated Fees Waived or Reimbursed (Parks and Recreation Department):**

\$ 5,000.00	<u>Barton Springs Pool Entry Fees</u>
\$ 5,000.00	Total Fees Waived

**PART 3.** This ordinance takes effect on \_\_\_\_\_, 2022.

**PASSED AND APPROVED**

\_\_\_\_\_, 2022      § \_\_\_\_\_  
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Steve Adler  
Mayor

**APPROVED:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Anne L. Morgan  
City Attorney

**ATTEST:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Myrna Rios  
City Clerk