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AN ORDINANCE

APPROVING THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO'S LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM FOR THE 86TH REGULAR SESSION OF THE TEXAS STATE LEGISLATURE WHICH CONVENES ON JANUARY 08, 2019.

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WHEREAS, prior to the convening of each biennial State legislative session, the City of San Antonio identifies policy priorities that it would like the Texas Legislature to address and in May 2018, the City's Government & Public Affairs Department began working with City departments to identify issues for the upcoming session; and

WHEREAS, the result of this work is the pending State Legislative Program, containing legislative matters categorized into Priorities, Endorsements, Protection of Community Interests and Partnerships; and

WHEREAS, the City Council Intergovernmental Relations Committee considered the Program on September 12, 2018 and the City Council was briefed on the Program in B Session on October 3, 2018; and

WHEREAS, On October 10, 2018, the IGR Committee amended the program to include support for the measures in the *Enhance Firearm Safety* section of the Governor's School & Firearm Safety Action Plan; **NOW THEREFORE:**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The City Council approves the City of San Antonio's State Legislative Program for the 86th Legislative Session. A copy of the proposed Program is attached to this Ordinance as **Exhibit I**.

SECTION 2. Staff is directed to inform the Bexar County Legislative Delegation of the Program and to undertake such steps as are reasonably necessary to obtain passage of the City's various initiatives during the upcoming 86th Legislative Session.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance is effective immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes; otherwise it is effective ten days after its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 15th day of November, 2018.

M A Y O R
Ron Nirenberg

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

Andrew Segovia, City Attorney