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TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Councilman Clayton Perry, District 10

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Attorney; John Peterek, Assistant to the City Manager; Christopher Callanen,

Assistant to City Council

SUBJECT: Welcome to San Antonio and Military City, U.S.A. signs

DATE: Thursday, September 06, 2018

Issue Proposed for Consideration

I ask for your support for the inclusion of the following item on the agenda of the earliest available meeting of the Governance Committee: I respectfully request that TCI coordinate with all appropriate entities to place signs welcoming people to San Antonio - Military City, U.S.A. at major entrance points on roadways in San Antonio as well as at the airport.

Brief Background

There are no signs welcoming people to San Antonio on major thoroughfares, and San Antonio is officially trademarked as Military City, U.S.A. The intent of this CCR is to honor our history with the military spanning more than three centuries and to welcome people to our city. Almost every military personnel has a connection to Joint Base San Antonio (JBSA). Every medic in the DoD is trained at JBSA; every airman in the Air Force completes basic military training in San Antonio; Lackland Air force Base hosts the Air Force Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance Agency; and Fort Sam Houston has the Department of Defense's largest hospital and only level one trauma center in the country. More than 250,000 retirees, including approximately 425 retired general officers call the San Antonio home.

Based on the extensive history between the military and our city, it is fitting that we recognize and honor our trademarked slogan, Military City, U.S.A. and welcome all visitors and residents to our city through appropriately placed signage across San Antonio.

Submitted for Council consideration by:

Councilman Clayton Perry, District 10

Supporting Councilmembers' Signatures (4 only)

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