

**RESOLUTION NO. 18-\_\_\_\_\_**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF  
COMMERCE, CALIFORNIA APPROVING THE TRAFFIC CONTROL  
PLAN AND AUTHORIZING TEMPORARY STREET CLOSURES FOR  
THE CITADEL OUTLETS' 2018 BLACK FRIDAY SALES EVENT**

**WHEREAS**, the Citadel Outlets (Citadel), located at 100 Citadel Drive in the city of Commerce, is a 700,000 square-foot mixed-use commercial property, featuring a hotel with four office buildings; and

**WHEREAS**, every year during Thanksgiving weekend, the Citadel conducts its Moonlight Madness or Black Friday sales event; and

**WHEREAS**, this year the event will take place on Thursday, November 22, 2018 through Sunday, November 25, 2018; and

**WHEREAS**, it is estimated that up to 15,000 participants will partake in this sales event as shoppers, sightseers, or transporters (passenger pick-up and drop-off), and given the volume of activity, an organized traffic control plan and safety plan is necessary in order for this event to be as safe as possible; and

**WHEREAS**, a designed and prepared traffic control plan provides for street closures, barricades, lane closures, signage, emergency vehicle lanes, and flaggers for the purpose of safe transport in-and-out of the facility during this event, and a dedicated fire lane is to be established inside the Citadel facility, as well as an emergency lane along Smithway Street on the north side of the Citadel; and

**WHEREAS**, proposed road closures are proposed along Hoefner Avenue between Telegraph Road and Flotilla Street; Flotilla Street between Camfield Avenue and Hoefner Avenue; and Camfield Avenue between Telegraph Road and Flotilla Street and are a "Best Management Practice" consistent with the City's risk management for this event; and

**WHEREAS**, an encroachment permit was issued to the Citadel that included a traffic control plan, which shows traffic control devices needed to provide adequate traffic safety for the event; and

**WHEREAS**, the traffic control plan requires the closure of certain streets to be effective. California Vehicle Code Section 21101 (e), provides that local authorities may, by ordinance or resolution, temporarily close a portion of any street under their jurisdiction for "celebrations, parades, local special events, and other purposes" when necessary for the safety and protection of persons who are to use that portion of the street during the temporary closing.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE  
DOES HEREBY DETERMINE AND RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.** The traffic control plan that provides for street closures, barricades, lane closures, signage, emergency vehicle lanes, and flaggers for the purpose of safe transport in-and-out of the facility during the Citadel's 2018 Black Friday event to be held on Thursday, November 22, 2018 through Sunday, November 25, 2018, is hereby approved.

**Section 2.** The temporary street closures along Hoefner Avenue between Telegraph Road and Flotilla Street; Flotilla Street between Camfield Avenue and Hoefner Avenue; and Camfield Avenue between Telegraph Road and Flotilla Street for the Citadel's 2018 Black Friday event to be held on Thursday, November 22, 2018 through Sunday, November 25, 2018, are hereby approved.

**PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED this 20th day of November, 2018.**

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Hugo Argumedo, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Lena Shumway, City Clerk