

THE CITY OF



PLEASANTON®

*Commends*

**Council on American-Islamic Relations  
San Francisco Bay Area**

**WHEREAS**, Council on American-Islamic Relations (CAIR-SFBA) celebrates twenty-five years of serving as the largest Muslim grassroots civil liberties and advocacy organization in the San Francisco Bay Area; and

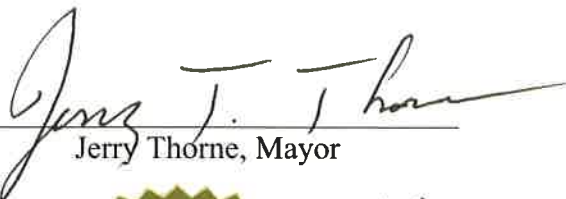
**WHEREAS**, CAIR-SFBA has successfully assisted with casework, over 500 cases in 2018 alone, relating to immigration, employment discrimination, school bullying; and

**WHEREAS**, The impact of CAIR-SFBA's civic and community engagement has reached milestones this year through partnering with an unprecedented number of local governments, like the City of Pleasanton, to introduce proclamations in recognition of Muslim Appreciation and Awareness Month; and

**WHEREAS**, Through youth empowerment CAIR-SFBA for the last fifteen years has annually hosted a Muslim Youth Leadership Program at the State Capitol to encourage and promote leadership development and public speaking skills; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Pleasanton City Council hereby commends Council on American-Islamic Relations, San Francisco Bay Area office on 25 years of serving the residents of Pleasanton and entire Bay Area community.

**DATED** this 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2019

  
Jerry Thorne, Mayor

  
Karla Brown, Vice Mayor

  
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Julie Testa, Councilmember