

RESOLUTION NO. 20-058

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARSON,  
CALIFORNIA RECOGNIZING APRIL 19-25, 2020 AS "NATIONAL  
LIBRARY WEEK"

WHEREAS, libraries are not just about what they have for people, but what they do for and with people; and

WHEREAS, libraries of all types are at the heart of cities, towns, schools, and campuses; and

WHEREAS, libraries have long served as trusted and treasured institutions where people of all backgrounds can be together and connect; and

WHEREAS, libraries and librarians build strong communities through transformative services, programs and expertise; and

WHEREAS, libraries, which promote the free exchange of information and ideas for all, are cornerstones of democracy; and

WHEREAS, libraries promote civic engagement by keeping people informed and aware of community events and issues; and

WHEREAS, librarians and library workers partner with other civic organizations to make sure their community's needs are being met; and

WHEREAS, libraries and librarians empower their communities to make informed decisions by providing free access to information; and

WHEREAS, libraries are a resources for all members of the community regardless of race, ethnicity, creed, ability, sexual orientation, gender identity or socio-economic status, by offering services and educational resources that transform lives and strengthen communities; and

WHEREAS, libraries, librarians, library workers and supporters across America are celebrating National Library Week.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Mayor and City Council of Carson, California, do hereby proclaim April 19-25, 2020 as National Library Week and encourage our residents to visit the library, take advantage of the library resources available at the library and thank their librarians and library workers for making information accessible to

all who walk through the library's doors because you and our library leaders 'Libraries Transform'.

**PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED** this 7th day of April, 2020.

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Mayor Albert Robles

ATTEST:

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City Clerk Donesia L. Gause, CMC

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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City Attorney

