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3 **RESOLUTION NO. 2011-11**
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5 **A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PATTERSON,**
6 **SUPPORTING THE H.R. 3745, THE COMMUNITY ACCESS PRESERVATION ACT**
7 **AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SIGN AND DISTRIBUTE LETTERS OF**
8 **SUPPORT FOR THE LEGISLATION**

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10 **WHEREAS**, the City Council believes strongly that public, educational and
11 government ("PEG") access channels permit schools, local governments, non-profit
12 organizations and individuals to provide and receive information about local events,
13 emergencies, and issues of public interest; and

14 **WHEREAS**, the City of Patterson and its residents have enjoyed the benefits of a
15 local PEG channel for many years; and

16 **WHEREAS**, the Community Access Preservation (CAP) Act will amend the
17 Cable Act to ensure that PEG fees can be used for any PEG purpose; and

18 **WHEREAS**, the Community Access Preservation (CAP) Act will reaffirm that
19 cable operators must deliver PEG channels to subscribers without any additional
20 charges and by way of channels whose quality, accessibility, functionality, and
21 placement is equivalent to local commercial television stations; and

22 **WHEREAS**, the Community Access Preservation (CAP) Act will provide the
23 immediate action that is necessary to preserve PEG channels and PEG funding.

24 **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the City Council of the City of
25 Patterson does hereby authorize the Mayor of the City of Patterson to sign and
26 distribute letters of support for H.R. 3745, the Community Access Preservation Act and
27 by way of this resolution indicates its strong support for this important Federal
28 legislation.

29 **PASSED AND ADOPTED** at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of
30 Patterson this 15th day of March 2011, by the following vote:

31 **AYES:** Councilmembers Farinha, Smith, Novelli, Buehner and Mayor

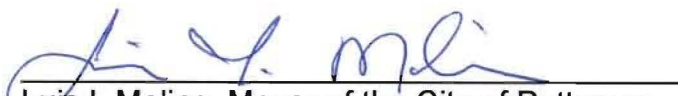
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33 **NOES:** None

34 **EXCUSED:** None

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APPROVED:


Luis I. Molina, Mayor of the City of Patterson

ATTEST:



Maricela L. Vela, City Clerk of the City of Patterson

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, correct and true copy of a resolution passed by the City Council of the City of Patterson, a Municipal Corporation of the County of Stanislaus, State of California, at a regular meeting held on the 15th day of March 2011, and I further certify that said resolution is in full force and effect and has never been rescinded or modified.

DATED:

City Clerk of the City of Patterson