

ORDINANCE NO. 2578

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF MERCED, CALIFORNIA, ADDING
SECTION 17.32.105 “FIRE HAZARD SEVERITY
ZONE MAP,” TO THE MERCED MUNICIPAL
CODE**

**THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MERCED DOES ORDAIN
AS FOLLOWS:**

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT TO CODE. Section 17.32.105 “Fire Hazard Severity Zone Map”, The City of Merced hereby designates the Fire Hazard Severity Zones as recommended by the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection pursuant to Government Code Section 51178.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect thirty (30) days after its adoption.

SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY. If any section, subsection, subdivision, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this Ordinance, is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Ordinance. The City Council hereby declares that it would have adopted this Ordinance, and each section, subsection, subdivision, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, subdivisions, sentences, clauses, phrases, or portions thereof be declared invalid or unconstitutional.

SECTION 4. PUBLICATION. The City Clerk is directed to cause a summary of this Ordinance to be published in the official newspaper at least once within fifteen (15) days after its adoption showing the vote thereon.

The foregoing Ordinance was introduced at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Merced on the 16th day of JUNE, 2025, and was passed and adopted at a regular meeting of said City Council held on the 7th day of JULY, 2025, by the following called vote:

AYES: 7 **Council Members:** BOYLE, DEANDA, DUPONT, HARRIS, SERRATTO, SMITH, XIONG

NOES: 0 **Council Members:** NONE

ABSTAIN: 0 **Council Members:** NONE

ABSENT: 0 **Council Members:** NONE

APPROVED:
MATTHEW SERRATTO, MAYOR



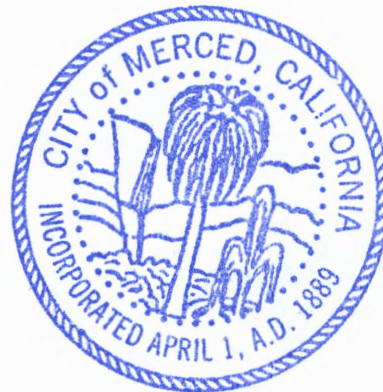
Mayor

ATTEST:
D. SCOTT MCBRIDE, CITY CLERK

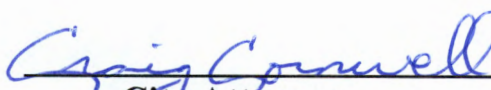
BY: 

Assistant/Deputy City Clerk

(SEAL)



APPROVED AS TO FORM:
CRAIG J. CORNWELL, CITY ATTORNEY

 5-30-2025
City Attorney Date