ORDINANCE NO. 20220407-070

AN ORDINANCE PROCLAIMING APRIL 9, 2022 AS THE JOAN MEANS KHABELE CEREMONY DAY FOR A MOMENT OF SILENCE AND SPLASH AT BARTON SPRING POOL AND WAIVING CERTAIN FEES:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

PART 1. FINDINGS.

- (A) The Joan Means Khabele Ceremony Day For a Moment of Silence and Splash will be a stand alone event held on April 9, 2022 at Barton Springs Pool in honor of Joan Means Khabele for her legacy of activism within the City of Austin, and in honor of her leadership in organizing swim-ins at Barton Springs Pool which resulted in policy changes that allowed all community members access to Barton Springs Pool regardless of race.
- (B) The April 9, 2022 event will include a history lesson and celebration of Ms. Means Kahbele's life.
- (C) Council supports interpretive programming that celebrates the history of Austin and highlights the accomplishments of activists like Ms. Means Khabele who dedicated themselves to ending racism and promoting equity.
- (D) Council desires to offer a free opportunity for all community members to participate in the Moment of Silence and Splash at Barton Springs Pool.
- **PART 2.** Council proclaims April 9, 2022 as the Joan Means Khabele Ceremony Day For a Moment of Silence and Splash at Barton Spring Pool.
- **PART 3.** Council waives the following Barton Springs Pool admission and Zilker Park parking fees for April 9, 2022 until 12 pm:

Admission Fees \$2,500

Parking Fees \$4,000.

PART 4. This ordinance takes effect:	<u>April 18</u> , 2022.
PASSED AND APPROVED	
	Steve Adler Mayor
APPROVED: Anne L. Morgan City Attorney	ATTEST: Obvious for Myrna Rios City Clerk