

RESOLUTION NO. 90-198

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A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL
APPROVING THE PURCHASE OF A 70-FOOT AERIAL LINE TRUCK FOR THE ELECTRIC
UTILITY DEPARTMENT PURSUANT TO LODI MUNICIPAL CODE SECTION 3.20.070

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WHEREAS, pursuant to Lodi Municipal Code Section 3.20.070, the Lodi City Council may determine that bidding may be dispensed with when the purchase or method of purchase would be in the best interests of the City; and

WHEREAS, the Lodi City Council hereby determines that the purchase of a 70-foot aerial line truck from TECO of Indiana for the Electric Utility Department would be in the best interests of the City;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Lodi City Council hereby approves the purchase of one 70-foot aerial line truck from TECO of Indiana for the Electric Utility Department, in the amount of \$91,996.56 which amount is available in the Department's 1990-91 fiscal year budget, at an estimated saving to the City of \$28,000.

Dated: December 19, 1990

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 90-198 was passed and adopted by the Lodi City Council in a regular meeting held December 19, 1990 by the following vote:

Ayes : Council Members - Pinkerton, Pennino, Sieglock, Snider
and Hinchman (Mayor)

Noes : Council Members - None

Absent: Council Members - None


Jennifer M. Perrin
Deputy City Clerk

for Alice M. Reimche
City Clerk

MEMORANDUM

TO: THOMAS A. PETERSON, CITY MANAGER
FROM: HANS HANSEN, ASSIST. ELECTRIC UTILITY DIRECTOR
DATE: DECEMBER 18, 1990
SUBJECT: PURCHASE 70-FT. AERIAL LINE TRUCK

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The Electric Utility Department has been obtaining information for the preparation of specifications to bid and purchase a line truck with a 70-ft. aerial platform.

During this process, the Department has just learned about a unit available from a supplier in Indiana. This unit is being offered to the City at the very favorable price of \$91,996.56. This truck is in the final stages of construction and is identical to the unit being specified.

A year ago, the Department purchased two line trucks of similar configuration at a price of \$135,000 each, however, a digger was included. The estimated bid price on this unit would be \$120,000.

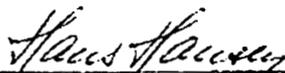
Currently, the Department is in the construction phase of the 60-kv lines to and from In. Substation and has rented a similar unit at \$3,500 per month to assist in this construction project.

This rental unit has been returned, but will be needed again at a later phase of the project. If a unit was bid and subsequently built, such a unit could be expected in about 10-12 months, thus not being available in time for this construction project.

It should be noted that at least a couple of other utilities are very interested in this unit now being offered to the City and will be purchasing if the City declines.

Therefore, based on the above, it is recommended that the City take advantage of this offer at this time and purchase the unit from TECO of Indiana at a price of \$91,996.56, thus saving the City an estimated \$28,000.

Funding in the amount of \$128,814 is available in the Department's 1990-91 fiscal year budget for this purchase.



Hans Hansen, Assist. Electric Utility Director

cc: Electric Utility Director

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