

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

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TO: THE CITY COUNCIL	COUNCIL MEETING DATE	NO.
FROM: THE CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE	September 6, 1989	

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SUBJECT: PURCHASE OF VARIOUS CLASSES OF WOOD UTILITY POLES

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RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council award the bid for the purchase of 89 wood utility poles, Classes H1 through 3, to the low bidder, J.H. Baxter & Company of San Mateo, in the amount of \$75,634.18.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: On August 2, 1989, the City Council approved specifications and authorized advertisement for bids. Bids were opened on August 22, 1989, with the following results:

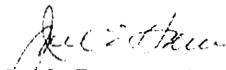
J. H. Baxter & Co., San Mateo	\$ 75,634.18
North Pacific Lumber, Portland	77,620.62
McCormick & Baxter, Stockton	78,365.80
McFarland-Cascade, Tacoma	120,335.55

The Electric Utility Department has requested that fifty-six poles be purchased to construct three new 60KV overhead lines connecting the new Industrial Substation to the current system. The other thirty-three poles would be placed in inventory to support the Utility Department's program of replacing damaged or deteriorating poles currently in service.

The detail of pole lengths and classes is shown on attachment 1.

The cost of the poles for the 60KV line, \$64,835.96, is within the scope of the overall funding for the Industrial Substation project. The balance of the cost, for the poles placed in inventory, is \$10,798.22, and represents about one-fifth of the recommended 1989/90 Overhead System Maintenance equipment budget.

Delivery is estimated to be about 12 weeks after placement of order.

  
Joel E. Harris, \_\_\_\_\_  
Purchasing Officer

cc: Electric Utility Director  
Assistant Electric Utility Director  
Electrical Engineer

Attachment 1

Wood Utility Poles

<u>Length and Class</u>	<u>60KV Line</u>	<u>Stock</u>	<u>Total</u>
35-foot, Class 3	3	10	13
45-foot, Class 3	-	15	15
55-foot, Class 2	1	-	1
55-foot, Class 3	-	5	5
60-foot, Class 3	-	2	2
65-foot, Class 1	2	-	2
65-foot, Class 2	18	-	18
65-foot, Class 3	-	1	1
70-foot, Class H1	3	-	3
70-foot, Class 1	6	-	6
70-foot, Class 2	7	-	7
80-foot, Class H1	4	-	4
80-foot, Class 1	3	-	3
80-foot, Class 2	1	-	1
85-foot, Class H1	1	-	1
90-foot, Class H1	3	-	3
90-foot, Class 1	2	-	2
100-foot, Class H1	2	-	2
TOTALS	56	33	89

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RESOLUTION NO. 89-112

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL  
AWARDING THE BID FOR THE PURCHASE OF VARIOUS CLASSES OF WOOD UTILITY POLES

WHEREAS, in answer to notice duly published in accordance with law and the order of this City Council, sealed bids were received and publicly opened on August 22, 1989 at 11:00 a.m. for the bid for the purchase of 89 wood utility poles, Classes H1 through 3, described in the specifications therefor approved by the City Council on August 2, 1989; and

WHEREAS, said bids have been compared, checked, and tabulated and a report thereof filed with the City Manager as follows:

Bidder	Amount
J. H. Baxter & Co., San Mateo	\$ 75,634.18
North Pacific Lumber, Portland	\$ 77,620.62
McCormick & Baxter, Stockton	\$ 78,365.80
McFarland-Cascade, Tacoma	\$120,335.55

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends that award of the bid for 89 wood utility poles, Classes H1 through 3, be made to the low bidder, J. H. Baxter & Co.;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Lodi that award of bid for 89 wood utility poles, Classes H1 through 3 be and the same is hereby awarded to J. H. Baxter & Co., the low bidder, in the amount of \$75,634.18.

Dated: September 6, 1989

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 89-112 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held September 6, 1989 by the following vote:

Ayes: Council Members - Hinchman, Olson, Pinkerton, Reid and Snider (Mayor)

Noes: Council Members - None

Absent: Council Members - None

*Alice M. Reimche*  
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City Clerk