



**CITY OF LODI
COUNCIL COMMUNICATION**

AGENDA TITLE: Presentation of Proclamation Proclaiming the Week of October 7-13, 2012 as "Public Power Week in Lodi"

MEETING DATE: October 3, 2012

PREPARED BY: Electric Utility Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Presentation of proclamation proclaiming the week of October 7-13, 2012, as "Public Power Week in Lodi."

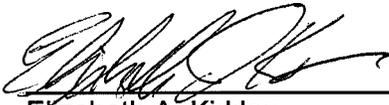
BACKGROUND INFORMATION: This year will mark Public Power Week's 26th anniversary as a country-wide program to celebrate the importance of public power to local citizens and other key publics, including state and national officials. This year's theme is "Public Power: An American Tradition that Works."

The Electric Utility Department's mission is to be the premier local electric provider of choice, dedicated to high standards of service and competitive cost while serving the community in a customer-focused manner consistent with sound business, environmental and utility practices just as it has since 1910, the year when the utility was created to serve the citizens and businesses of Lodi. The department will be hosting its annual open house on October 17, 2012 to educate more than 300 elementary school students on electric safety, energy efficiency, renewable energy, and electric utility work.

Electric Utility Director Elizabeth Kirkley will be present to accept the proclamation from Mayor JoAnne Mounce.

FISCAL IMPACT: None.

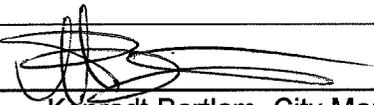
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