

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

TO: THE CITY COUNCIL
FROM: THE CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

COUNCIL MEETING DATE:
November 1, 1989

SUBJECT: Purchase of Macintosh computer equipment for the Fire Department.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council approve the purchase of a Macintosh portable Hard Disk 40 personal computer in lieu of the previously approved Macintosh SE 40 Hard Disk 40 personal computer.

BACKGROUND: At the Council meeting of October 18, 1989 the Council approved Resolution # 89-148 which authorized the Fire Department to purchase Macintosh computers to add to an existing Macintosh system. One of the authorized computers will be used in the Fire Command Van to process information regarding emergencies. When placing the order for the computers it was found that Macintosh has a new portable computer on the market which will operate on 12 volts and thus not require additional generators or a converter to be purchased as was our original intention. This unit, called a Macintosh Portable Hard Disk 40 Personal Computer, also operates approximately four times faster than the unit given approval for in the Resolution. With these facts in mind we are asking that the Fire Department receive permission to purchase the newer unit in lieu of the Macintosh SE Hard Disk 40 CPU which was approved. There is a cost difference as follows:

Macintosh Portable Hard Disk 40 Personal Computer....	4257.00
Macintosh SE Hard Disk 40 CPU.....	2744.00

Additional Cost.....	\$ 1513.00

There is sufficient funding to cover the additional cost in the funds budgeted for this item in the 1989-90 budget.

The 1989/90 Budget contains \$ 10,000.00 for the purchase of the hardware and software for this project. The funds are budgeted in the Equipment Fund, 12.0-012.01-18.

COMMUNICATION PREPARED BY:

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RESOLUTION NO. 89-160

RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL
AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 89-148

WHEREAS, the Council has heretofore authorized purchase of Macintosh Computer equipment for the Fire Department by passage of Resolution No. 89-148; and

WHEREAS, the City is now desirous of purchasing equipment which is different than that stated in said Resolution No. 89-148;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fire Department is authorized to purchase from On-Line Computers of Stockton California, a representative of Macintosh Computers, Inc., as sole source supplier, One Macintosh Portable Hard Disk 40 Personal Computer in lieu of the Macintosh SE Hard Disk CPU, and all other equipment listed in City of Lodi Resolution No. 89-148.

Dated: November 1, 1989

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 89-160 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held November 1, 1989 by the following vote:

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

Noes: Council Member - None

Absent: Council Member - Reid

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City Clerk