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CITY COUNCIL MEETING
AUGUST 17, 1983

REPORTS OF THE
CITY MANAGER

REGULAR CALENDAR

Topic 7

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PLANS AND SPECS
FOR TELEPHONE
SYSTEM APPROVED

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Following discussion, on motion of Mayor Pro Tempore Snider, Reid second, Council approved the plans and specifications for a telephone system, and authorized the Purchasing Agent to advertise for bids thereon.

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

TO THE CITY COUNCIL
FROM THE CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

DATE
AUGUST 11, 1983

NO.

SUBJECT:

APPROVAL OF SPECIFICATIONS FOR TELEPHONE SYSTEM

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RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council approve specifications for a telephone system and authorize the Purchasing Agent to advertise for bids to be received.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The City contracted with the Richter Group to conduct a feasibility study of the City owning its own telephone system. That report was presented to Council in the Spring, and that report indicated the City could expect to save \$354,348 over a 10-year period on a lease/purchase arrangement, and \$671,233 on an outright purchase. Council then approved the Richter Group to prepare plans and specifications for a telephone system.

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