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CITY COUNCIL MEETING

NOVEMBER 17, 1982

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RE INVESTIGATION OF
LPD

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3. Brutality;
4. Vulgar and abusive language;
5. Harassment;
6. Employees stopped;
7. Spotters on the roof with radios;
8. Officers staking out cars and bars.

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Respectfully,

Reed Robbins, Foreman"

Councilman Pinkerton indicated his displeasure in that the City Manager was given a copy of the subject report before Council Members received their copies. It was indicated that copies went to the Council and the City Manager at the approximate same time, when the packets were prepared and distributed.

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RESOLUTION NO. 82-5

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING CITY HALL AS THE OFFICIAL
ELECTION RETURN CENTER FOR THE APRIL 13, 1982
GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION

RESOLVED, pursuant to Section 17060 of the Elections Code of the State of California, the City Council of the City of Lodi does hereby establish City Hall, 221 W. Pine Street, Lodi, as the Election Return Center for the purpose of facilitating the compilation of election returns and expediting their announcement to the public for the April 13, 1982 General Municipal Election.

Dated: I hereby certify that Resolution No. 82-5 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held January 20, 1982 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmen - Hughes, Pinkerton, Katnich and McCarty

Noes: Councilmen - None

Absent: Councilmen - Murphy

ALICE M. REIMCHE
City Clerk

RESOLUTION NO. 82-6

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY CLERK TO
CANVASS THE RESULTS OF THE GENERAL MUNICIPAL
TO BE HELD APRIL 13, 1982

RESOLVED, pursuant to Section 22932.5 of the Elections Code of the State of California, that the City Clerk be and she is hereby authorized to conduct the canvass of the results of the April 13, 1982 General Municipal Election prior to April 20, 1982.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that on April 20, 1982, the City Clerk shall certify the results of said canvass to this City Council which shall declare the results of said election in accordance with Section 22932.5 and 22933 of the Elections Code.

Dated: I hereby certify that Resolution No. 82-6 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held January 20, 1982 by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmen - Hughes, Pinkerton, Katnich, and
McCarty

Noes: Councilmen - None

Absent: Councilmen - Murphy

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