

RESOLUTION NO. 2000-142

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AWARDING THE CONTRACT FOR FIVE COMPRESSED NATURAL GAS (CNG) VEHICLES FOR VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THIS PURCHASE

WHEREAS, Lodi Municipal Code, §3.20.070, authorizes dispensing with bids for purchases of supplies, services or equipment when it is in the best interest of the City to do so; and

WHEREAS, in 1997 the San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District awarded the City of Lodi \$30,000.00 for the purchase of five CNG patrol cars, which is designated for the incremental cost of the CNG patrol cars, which are \$6,000.00 more than gasoline patrol cars; and

WHEREAS, because there are no CNG patrol cars available, the Public Works Department has looked for different, high-mileage applications; and

WHEREAS, the challenge with alternatively-fueled vehicle acquisitions is the limited number of dealers and choice of vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the Public Works Department therefore recommends that the City purchase two CNG Honda Civics to replace the Fleet and Facilities Manager's car #04-047 and the Engineering Pool car #04-090, one CNG Ford E350 Cargo Van to replace Survey Van #04-013, one CNG Dodge Van to replace Evidence Van #05-058 off California's Contract List, and one CNG Toyota Camry to replace City Hall Motor Pool Car #04-109 sole-source from Maita's Toyota of Sacramento.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council hereby approves the purchase of five Compressed Natural Gas vehicles as outlined above in the amount of \$110,550.00; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that funds be appropriated as follows to cover this purchase:

Equipment Replacement Fund (1989/99 and 2000/01)	\$ 90,350.00
Air District	\$ 20,200.00 *
TOTAL	\$110,550.00

*(Incremental cost for five vehicles is less than the grant amount)

Dated: August 16, 2000

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2000-142 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held August 16, 2000, by the following vote:

- AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hitchcock, Land, Nakanishi, Pennino and Mann (Mayor)
- NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None
- ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None
- ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None


SUSAN J. BLACKSTON
City Clerk