

RESOLUTION NO. 2001-48

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL  
ADOPTING THE SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY MULTI-  
SPECIES HABITAT CONSERVATION AND  
OPEN SPACE PLAN AND THE ASSOCIATED  
ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT

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WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 21069 of the Public Resources Code and Section 15381 of the California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines, and, the City of Lodi, is a Responsible Agency, with respect to the Final Environmental Impact Report (EIR) for the San Joaquin County Multi-Species Habitat Conservation and Open Air Space Plan (SJMSCP); and

WHEREAS, the Final EIR was prepared in compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and State and County Guidelines for the implementation of CEQA by the San Joaquin Council of Governments as Lead Agency; and

WHEREAS, the Final EIR was presented to the City of Lodi City Council, which has reviewed and considered the final EIR prior to approving the proposed project.

NOW THEREFORE, as set forth in CEQA Guidelines Section 15091, the City Council of the City of Lodi finds and resolves that:

1. The Final EIR reflects the independent judgement and analysis of City of Lodi.
2. The Final EIR identifies no significant environmental impacts to the environment that may result from the implementation of the Proposed Project for the SJMSCP because changes or alterations have been required in, or incorporated into, the project which avoid or substantially lessen the significant environmental effect as identified in the final EIR.
3. The City of Lodi has considered the proposed project alternative and finds that the SJMSCP (Proposed Project) alternative will provide the greatest number of benefits with no significant impacts on the environment for the reasons summarized in Table 2-1 of the Final EIR.
4. Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21081.6(a), a reporting and monitoring plan has been prepared, as incorporated into Section 5.9 of the SJMSCP, in order to avoid significant effects on the environment. The SJMSCP Joint Powers Authority is responsible for the implementation of the reporting and monitoring program.
5. Pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 21081.6(a), the custodian and location of the documents and materials which constitute the administrative record upon which this decision to consider the EIR has been made is the City of Lodi, City Clerks Office, 221 W. Pine Street, Lodi, CA 95240.

6. After consideration of the Environmental Impact Report prepared for the San Joaquin County Multi-Species Habitat Conservation and Open Space Plan by the Lead Agency, the City of Lodi, as a Responsible Agency under California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines Section 15096, and based on the above stated findings, the City of Lodi hereby adopts the San Joaquin County Multi-Species Habitat Conservation and Open Space Plan.

Dated: February 21, 2001

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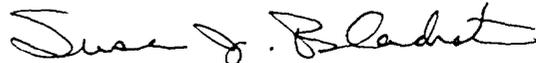
I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2001-48 was passed and adopted by the Lodi City Council in a regular meeting held February 21, 2001 by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hitchcock, Howard, Land, Pennino and Mayor Nakanishi

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

  
SUSAN J. BLACKSTON  
City Clerk