

RESOLUTION NO. 2002-83

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF LODI EXPRESSING ITS SUPPORT OF
ASSEMBLY BILL 2351 (CANCIAMILLA)

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WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of the California State Regional Water Quality Control Board to insure Water Code provisions are met; and

WHEREAS, it is the responsibility of local governments, such as the City of Lodi, to manage, treat, and dispose of sewage to insure those provisions are met; and

WHEREAS, effluent limitations in many permits cannot be met 100% of the time and Regional Board officials acknowledge that many violations for which penalties are imposed have little or no water quality impact; and

WHEREAS, Assembly Bill 2351 (Canciamilla) restores some discretion to the State Regional Water Quality Control Board in imposing mandatory minimum penalties for violations caused by unavoidable circumstances.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Lodi City Council, that it strongly supports Assembly Bill 2351 (Canciamilla) as it modifies unfair or overly burdensome mandatory penalties while maintaining firm and consistent enforcement of water quality laws.

Dated: May 1, 2002

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2002-83 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held May 1, 2002 by the following vote:

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

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None



SUSAN J. BLACKSTON
City Clerk