

RESOLUTION NO. 2006-48

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL APPROVING PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, AUTHORIZING ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS FOR THE LOCKEFORD STREET AND SACRAMENTO STREET TRAFFIC SIGNAL AND LIGHTING PROJECT, AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE ALL NECESSARY RAILROAD AGREEMENTS RELATING TO THIS PROJECT

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WHEREAS, this project includes installing a traffic signal, street lighting, wheelchair ramps, and emergency and railroad preemption at the Lockeford Street and Sacramento Street intersection; and

WHEREAS, signalization for this intersection was a mitigation measure identified for the Lodi Station Parking Structure in the February 2001 Environmental Assessment; and

WHEREAS, this intersection was also included in the 2000 Signal Priority Study approved by Council and was one of the 14 intersections on the Signal Priority Study List; and

WHEREAS, in 2001, the City Council authorized the City Manager to execute a professional services agreement with Y & C Transportation Consultants, Inc., to design this project; and

WHEREAS, in 2002, the plans and specifications for the traffic signal design and an agreement between the City and Union Pacific Railroad Company (UPRR) were ready for Council's approval; however, funding was not available at that time; and

WHEREAS, the agreement between the City and UPRR includes the City installing a railroad preempted signal and UPRR installing preemption circuits for the signal. In 2005, staff requested that UPRR update the agreement and cost estimates for this project, which was received in March 2006; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends installing the countdown pedestrian signals at this location and future signals to help alleviate pedestrian concerns on how much time remains to cross the roadway. We have included countdown pedestrian signals in the design of the project. The countdown pedestrian signals display the number of seconds remaining in the pedestrian change interval.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council does hereby approve the plans and specifications and authorizes advertisement for bids for the Lockeford Street and Sacramento Street Signal and Lighting Project; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager to execute all necessary Railroad Agreements relating to this project.

Dated: April 5, 2006

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2006-48 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held April 5, 2006, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hansen, Johnson, Mounce, and Mayor Hitchcock  
NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None  
ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Beckman  
ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None



SUSAN J. BLACKSTON  
City Clerk