

In the City Council  
City of Lodi  
Lodi, California

RESOLUTION NO. 1661

A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION TO CITY CLERK  
JOHN F. BLAKELY ON THE OCCASION OF HIS RE-  
TIREMENT FROM ACTIVE SERVICE

WHEREAS, John F. Blakely, City Clerk of the City of Lodi, California, will on February 20, 1952, have completed thirty-one years of continuous service to said City; and

WHEREAS, during much of this time he has been solely responsible for the day to day administration of the City's activities and throughout his entire period of service has undertaken a heavy burden of responsibility; and

WHEREAS, his actions, counsel and advice have contributed most significantly to the prosperity and progress of his community; and

WHEREAS, his unselfish service at personal sacrifice to himself is a source of pride and affection on the part of the people of Lodi and of inspiration to public employees everywhere; and

WHEREAS, John F. Blakely will retire from service with the City of Lodi on March 1, 1952, upon attainment of compulsory retirement age; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

This City Council express its sincere gratitude for a long and honorable career and its keen regret in the loss of so fine an agent of the public; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT:

The people of the City of Lodi and of the Lodi District be encouraged to express, individually and collectively, their appreciation of a long and difficult task so well accomplished.

(signed) H. J. Tolliver, C. B. Bull, Robert H. Rinn, Thurlow Haskell, Ed Preszler, Glenn West, City Attorney.

Adopted in the regular meeting of the City  
Council on Wednesday, February 20, 1952.

  
City Clerk