

1 RESOLUTION NO. 15507

2 A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY
3 OF RIVERSIDE, CALIFORNIA, REAFFIRMING THE
4 POLICY FOR THE EXTENSION OR DEVELOPMENT OF
5 THE ELECTRIC AND WATER UTILITIES AND EXCEPTING
6 CERTAIN TYPES OF UTILITY PROJECTS FROM SECTION
7 1109 OF THE RIVERSIDE CITY CHARTER, AND REPEALING
8 RESOLUTION NO. 11396.

9 WHEREAS Section 1109 of the Charter of the City of
10 Riverside provides that every project for the construction of
11 public works with expenditures in excess of the amount set by
12 state law shall be let by contract to the lowest responsible
13 bidder, and further provides that projects for the extension or
14 development of any public utility operated by the city may be
15 excepted from said Section 1109 if the City Council so determines
16 by at least five affirmative votes; and

17 WHEREAS the prudent operation of utilities requires
18 that a well-trained work force which can be supplemented by
19 contract workers be available at all times in the Electric and
20 Water Utility to make repairs and as required to construct
21 utility facilities; and

22 WHEREAS, in the efficient operation of utilities, it
23 is necessary to perform both scheduled and unscheduled work
24 in order to promptly extend or develop facilities in connection
25 with new customer service, public works projects, and other
26 projects; and

27 WHEREAS the economics of constructing utility facilities
28 and/or performing routine maintenance with a work force employed
29 on a full time continuous basis supplemented by contract workers
30 employed on an intermittent basis as required represents the
31 most effective and economical utilization of resources;

32 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council
hereby excepts from the requirements of Section 1109 of the
City Charter the following types of projects for the development
and extension of the electric and water utilities:

1 Electric Utility

- 2 (1) The extension and development including construction,
3 replacement and relocation of overhead and under-
4 ground communication and control circuits and
5 electrical distribution and transmission facilities
6 up to the "line side" of the customer's meter.
7 (2) The installation and construction of electrical
8 substations and additions to existing substations.
9 (3) The installation of mast arm street lights on
10 utility wood poles and replacement of existing
11 luminaires and street light standards.

12 Water Utility

- 13 (1) The extension and development including construction,
14 replacement and relocation of the distribution
15 system, consisting of all water mains 12 inches in
16 diameter and smaller, together with appurtenances
17 including fire hydrants, valves, fittings, service
18 laterals and meters.
19 (2) The connecting into the water system of projects
20 constructed by contract, such as reservoirs, trans-
21 mission mains, pumping plants, wells, and water
22 treatment facilities.
23 (3) Minor projects for the construction, replacement or
24 relocation of tanks, water treatment facilities,
25 pumps, power supply lines, fuel supply lines, signal
26 systems, water lines, and buildings where the total
27 project expenditure is estimated to be less than
28 \$5,000.
28 (4) Any project required to restore or maintain water
30 service under emergency conditions.

31 Additional types of electric and water utility projects
32 may be excepted from the requirements of Section 1109 of the

1 City Charter by minute action consisting of five affirmative
2 votes of the City Council.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Resolution No. 11396 of
4 the City of Riverside is hereby repealed.

5 ADOPTED by the City Council and signed by the Mayor and
6 attested by the City Clerk this 2nd day of October, 1984,

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8 Attest: Robert E. Bowers
9 Mayor of the City of Riverside
Pro Tempore

10 ALICE A. HARE
11 City Clerk of the City of Riverside

12 By Karen E. Oakley
13 Assistant City Clerk

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16 I, Alice A. Hare, City Clerk of the City of Riverside,
17 California, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was
18 duly and regularly introduced and adopted by the City Council
19 of said City at its meeting held on the 2nd day of October,
20 1984, by the following vote, to wit:

21 Ayes: Councilmembers Loveridge, Mansfield, Bowers,
22 Renck, Digati and Peterson.

23 Noes: None.

24 Absent: Councilmember Shepard.

25 IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and
26 affixed the official seal of the City of Riverside, California,
27 this 2nd day of October, 1984.

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30 ALICE A. HARE
31 City Clerk of the City of Riverside

32 By Karen E. Oakley
Assistant City Clerk