

I hereby certify that the foregoing was duly and regularly passed by the City Council of the City of Ridgecrest at a regular meeting thereof held 2-15-1973

James R. Heck
Clerk of the City of Ridgecrest

RESOLUTION NO. 459

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIDGECREST, CALIFORNIA, RECOMMENDING TO THE STATE PARK AND RECREATION COMMISSION THAT RED ROCK CANYON BE CLASSIFIED AS A STATE PARK CONTINGENT ON ADOPTION OF THE MASTER PLAN OF THE RED ROCK CANYON ADVISORY COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, The City Council at its February 1, 1973, meeting heard presentations and read communications from various interest groups and the Red Rock Canyon State Park Advisory Committee regarding classification of Red Rock Canyon as a state park or a state recreation unit; and

WHEREAS, These groups, including four-wheel drive and rockhound groups all support the proposed master plan for the development of Red Rock Canyon as adopted by the Advisory Committee; and

WHEREAS, The Advisory Committee, as appointed by William Penn Mott, Jr., Director of the State of California Department of Parks and Recreation, is broadly representative of the various interests; and

WHEREAS, said Advisory Committee has recommended that the City Council go on record as supporting classification of Red Rock Canyon as a state park rather than a state recreation area as urged by various outdoor recreation groups;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIDGECREST RESOLVES:

1. That the City Council supports the recommendation of the Red Rock Canyon State Park Advisory Committee that Red Rock Canyon be classified as a state park to the exclusion of all other classifications contingent upon the State Department of Parks and Recreation developing Red Rock Canyon along the lines as set forth in the proposed master plan prepared and approved by the Red Rock Canyon State Park Advisory Committee.

2. That the City Clerk is instructed to transmit copies of this resolution to the California State Park and Recreation Commission and to the Red Rock Canyon State Park Advisory Committee.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 15th DAY OF February, 1973, by the following vote:

AYES: Mayor Smith, Councilmen Fox, Mettenburg, Shacklett, Wilson.

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ATTEST:

James R. Heck
JAMES R. HECK, City Clerk

Kenneth M. Smith
KENNETH M. SMITH, Mayor