

RESOLUTION NO. 90-58

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF
THE CITY OF RIDGECREST AUTHORIZING
PARTICIPATION IN THE CALIFORNIA
MUNICIPAL INSURANCE AUTHORITY
WORKERS' COMPENSATION PROGRAM.**

WHEREAS, the City of Ridgecrest is a "Member Entity" of the California Municipal Insurance Authority ("CMIA"), a California joint powers insurance authority formed in 1986 to provide its Member Entities broader, more stable and affordable self-insurance, joint-protection (pooled) and joint-purchased commercial insurance coverage programs; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ridgecrest currently benefits by participating with the other Member Entities in CMIA's self-insured Liability Program, affording broad, stable and affordable coverage for third-party auto, general liability and errors & omissions exposures; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ridgecrest, as a Member Entity of the CMIA and with the other Member Entities of CMIA, has been part of a study to determine the feasibility, applicability and affordability of creating a self-insured Workers' Compensation Program ("Program") for the Member Entities of the CMIA; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ridgecrest, and the other Member Entities of CMIA, have determined that it is feasible, applicable and financially beneficial for CMIA to offer a broad and flexible Workers' Compensation Program for all of its Member Entities whether they desire to self-insure and be part of the whole Program, or only select the option of joint-purchasing commercial excess Workers' Compensation insurance through the Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that:

1. The City of Ridgecrest, which currently participates in the State Fund for the purposes of insuring its Workers' Compensation exposures, desires to leave the State Fund and join with the other Member Entities of CMIA to participate in CMIA's self-insured Workers' Compensation Program, effective 1 July 1990;
2. The City Council of the City of Ridgecrest hereby authorizes its CMIA Director, Damon B. Edwards, to initiate, execute and transmit any and all documents, including invoice payment, necessary to invoke coverage in the Program by July 1, 1990, and further commits to encourage its City Administrator to attend the CMIA Workers' Compensation Program Subcommittee Meetings;

3. The City Clerk is authorized to certify and make available a copy of this Resolution, so the City's CMIA Director may forward such to the CMIA as verification of Program participation commitment.

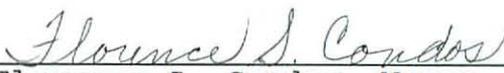
APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 16th day of May, 1990, by the following vote:

AYES: Mayor Condos, Council Members Auld, Corlett, Lilly and Mower.

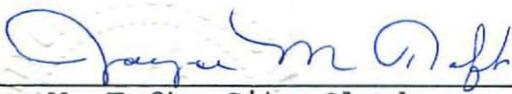
NOES: None.

ABSTAIN: None.

ABSENT: None.



Florence S. Condos, Mayor



Joyce M. Taft, City Clerk

