

RESOLUTION NO. 99-115

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIDGECREST AMENDING THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FIVE YEAR PLAN AND AUTHORIZING STAFF TO MAKE APPLICATION FOR PROGRAM YEAR 2000-2001 PROJECTS

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Ridgecrest has through the public hearing process identified the community development needs for the long range planning purposes of the Community Development Block Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, the City of Ridgecrest has elected to participate in the Community Development Block Grant Program as administered by Kern County; and

WHEREAS, the Community Development Block Grant program's primary objective is to assist in the development of viable urban communities and these projects proposed by the City of Ridgecrest will meet the criteria established by Congress of:

- (a) an activity that will alleviate existing conditions which pose a serious and immediate threat to the health and welfare of the community and must have developed or become critical within the past 18 months;
- (b) aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight; and/or
- (c) principally benefit persons of low or moderate income;

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission of the City of Ridgecrest made the following findings and determinations of consistency with the General Plan for the proposed project list:

- (a) The projects are in compliance with zoning regulations and procedures; and
- (b) That the proposed projects will not be detrimental to the public health, safety or welfare, or materially injurious or inharmonious with properties or improvements in the vicinity; and
- (c) The projects are in conformity with the applicable elements of the General Plan and most specifically with the Design Element of the General Plan; and
- (d) The design of the projects will not cause substantial environmental damage and upon approval by the City Council of the final project list the Planning Commission will be asked to make environmental determination for those named projects as necessary.

NOW THEREFORE THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIDGECREST HEREBY amends the "five Year Plan" as presented in Option "B", and authorizes staff to make application to the Community Development Block Grant

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Program for those projects identified to be completed for the 2000-2001 Community Development program year,

APPROVED AND ADOPTED THIS 1st day of December, 1999 by the following vote:

AYES: Mayor Darnell, Council Members Holloway, Morgan, and Rollins

NOES: Council Member Carter

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None


Donna Darnell, Mayor

ATTEST:



Harry Jensen
City Clerk