

RESOLUTION NO. 04-45

**A RESOLUTION OF THE RIDGECREST CITY COUNCIL URGING "YES" ON PROPOSITION 1A – CALIFORNIANS TO PROTECT LOCAL TAXPAYERS AND PUBLIC SAFETY**

**WHEREAS**, state government currently seizes more than \$5.2 billion annually in local property tax funds statewide from cities, counties and special districts, costing local governments more than \$40 billion in lost revenues over the past 12 years, and costing Ridgecrest over \$15 million; and

**WHEREAS**, these ongoing shifts and raids by the state of local property tax funds and other funding dedicated to local governments have seriously reduced resources available for local law enforcement, roads, parks, recreation, transportation, and other essential local services; and

**WHEREAS**, these funding raids also add pressure for local governments to increase fees and taxes to maintain basic local service levels; and

**WHEREAS**, this drain of local resources has continued even during periods when the state's budget has been overflowing with surpluses; and

**WHEREAS**, Proposition 1A is a historic measure that will appear on the November, 2004, statewide ballot that would limit the State's ability to take and use local government funding; and

**WHEREAS**, by protecting local government funding, Prop 1A would protect local public safety, healthcare and other essential local services; and

**WHEREAS**, Prop 1A will not raise taxes and, in fact, will help reduce pressure for local fee and tax increases by limiting state raids of local government funding; and

**WHEREAS**, Prop 1A does not reduce funding for schools or any other state program or service, and Prop 1A was carefully written to allow flexibility in the event of a state budget emergency; and

**WHEREAS**, Prop 1A is supported by a bipartisan, diverse coalition including Governor Schwarzenegger, Democrat and Republican legislative leaders, local government officials, public safety representatives, healthcare, business, labor and community leaders;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council of the City of Ridgecrest, California, what we hereby express strong support and urge a "YES" vote on Proposition 1A, the statewide ballot initiative that will prevent the state from further taking local government revenues.

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 18th day of August 2004, by the following vote:

AYES: Mayor pro tem Holloway, Council Members Martin, Morgan, and Clark

NOES: None

ABSENT: Mayor Carter

ABSTAIN: None



Marshall D. Holloway, Mayor pro tem

ATTEST:



Harvey M. Rose  
City Clerk

**ELIGIBILITY RENEWAL APPLICATION  
FEDERAL SURPLUS PROPERTY PROGRAM**

Name of organization City of Ridgecrest Telephone 760-371-3700  
Address 100 W. California Avenue City Ridgecrest County Kern ZIP 93555

Organization is a:

PUBLIC AGENCY  \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ A. Conservation
- \_\_\_\_\_ B. Economic Development
- \_\_\_\_\_ C. Education
- \_\_\_\_\_ D. Parks and Recreation
- \_\_\_\_\_ E. Public Health
- \_\_\_\_\_ F. Public Safety
- G. 2 or more listed
- \_\_\_\_\_ H. Other (includes library/museums)
- \_\_\_\_\_ I. Homeless Program

NONPROFIT AGENCY \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_ J. Private Education
- \_\_\_\_\_ K. Private Health
- \_\_\_\_\_ L. Older Americans Act for Sr. Citizens
- \_\_\_\_\_ M. Homeless Program

NOTE: Categories J-K-L-M

Number of sites \_\_\_\_\_

Enrollment or number of clients served \_\_\_\_\_

**RESOLUTION (04-46)**

"BE IT RESOLVED by the Governing Board, OR by the Chief Administrative Officer of those organizations which do not have a governing board, and hereby ordered that the official(s) and/or employee(s) whose name(s), title(s), and signature(s) are listed below shall be and is (are) hereby authorized as our representative(s) to acquire federal surplus property from the California State Agency for Surplus Property under the Terms and Conditions listed on the reverse side of this form."

NAME—(Print or type)

TITLE

SIGNATURE

Harvey Rose

City Manager

[Signature]

Michael Avery

Police Chief

[Signature]

James C. Winegardner

Finance Director

[Signature]

James McRea

Community Development Director

[Signature]

Robert Oberqfell

Police Sergeant

[Signature]

\*\*\*\* PLEASE SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ADDITIONAL NAMES

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 18th day of August, 2004, by the Governing Board of  
The City of Ridgecrest, California by the following vote:

(Holloway, Martin, Morgan, Clark) Ayes: 4; Noes: 0; Absent: 1. (Carter)

I, Harvey M. Rose, City Manager, Clerk of the Governing Board of The City of Ridgecrest

do hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Board at a City Council meeting thereof held at its regular place of meeting at the date and by the vote above stated, which resolution is on file in the office of the Board.

(Signed) [Signature]

OR

AUTHORIZED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_, by:

Name of Chief Administrative Officer \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR STATE AGENCY USE**

Application approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Application disapproved: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments or additional information: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

(Title)

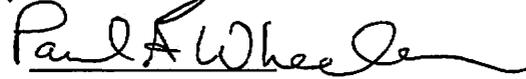
Ronald Strand

Police Lieutenant



Paul Wheeler

Police Sergeant



Michael Myers

Police Detective

