

RESOLUTION NO. 05-51

**A RESOLUTION OF THE RIDGECREST CITY COUNCIL
AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SIGN CONTRACT
DOCUMENTS FOR THE 2005 WASTEWATER TREATMENT
PLANT UPGRADE**

WHEREAS, on 9 August 2005 the City of Ridgecrest received and opened bids for the 2005 Wastewater Treatment Plant upgrade, and

WHEREAS, the results of the bidding were as follows:

Special Service Contractors, Inc.	\$1,461,748
HPS Mechanical, Inc	\$1,530,340
Estimate	\$1,500,000

WHEREAS, the bids which were received are being reviewed for irregularities by staff and the consultant at this time which will take some time, and

WHEREAS, the staff is requesting that the City Council authorize the City Manager to sign the contract documents with the lowest responsible bidder of those received pending the outcome of said review.

NOW THEREFORE, the City Council authorizes:

1. The City Manager to sign the contract documents with the lowest responsible bidder of those received pending the outcome of said review for the 2005 Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrade.
2. The Deputy City Manager-Administrative Services to Amend the Budget to reflect the approval of the contract and to process all appropriate purchasing documents consistent with City Purchasing Policies.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 17th day of August 2005 by the following vote:

AYES: Mayor Holloway, Council Members Martin, Clark, Morgan, and Carter

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

Marshall "Chip" Holloway, Mayor

ATTEST

Rita Gable
City Clerk