

RESOLUTION NO. 05-79

A RESOLUTION OF THE RIDGECREST CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF A KERN COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENT (KernCOG) CONGESTION MITIGATION AIR QUALITY (CMAQ) APPLICATION FOR ONE COMPRESSED NATURAL GAS (CNG) TRANSIT BUS AND PROGRAM OF PROJECTS (POP) APPLICATION FOR A FIXED ROUTE BUS

WHEREAS, the City of Ridgecrest desires to reduce pollutants; and

WHEREAS, the application for Congestion Mitigation Air Quality (CMAQ) for a Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) filling station and CNG transit bus will help reduce pollutants; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to have a fixed route bus; and

WHEREAS, the application for Program of Projects (POP) will provide a fixed route bus; and

WHEREAS, the CMAQ grant will cover 78% of the funding with matching funds from another grant source and the POP grant will cover most of the cost of the transit vehicle.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Ridgecrest City Council does hereby authorize the submittal of the Kern Council of Government Congestion Mitigation Air Quality Application for one CNG bus and CNG filling station and approves the allocation of matching funds.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 7th day of December 2005, by the following vote:

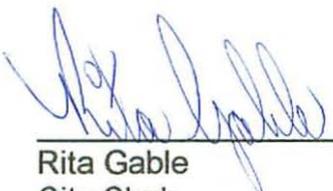
AYES: Mayor Pro Tem Martin, Council Members Clark, Morgan, and Carter

NOES: None

ABSENT: Mayor Holloway

ABSTAIN: None


Richard "Duke" Martin, Mayor Pro Tem


Rita Gable
City Clerk