

RESOLUTION NO. 75370

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN JOSE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SUBMIT TWO GRANT PROPOSALS TO THE CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION, ALTERNATIVE AND RENEWABLE FUEL AND VEHICLE TECHNOLOGY PROGRAM, FOR UP TO \$1,000,000 EACH TO CONDUCT PRE-DEVELOPMENT PLANNING FOR A BIOMETHANE TRANSPORTATION FUEL PRODUCTION FACILITY ON THE WATER POLLUTION CONTROL PLANT AND AN ALTERNATIVE FUEL VEHICLE MANUFACTURING FACILITY IN SAN JOSE

WHEREAS, the California Energy Commission (“CEC”) announced grant opportunities in April 2010, as part of the Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program (“ARFVT”), which provides grant funding to projects that develop and deploy alternative and renewable fuels and advanced transportation technologies to help attain the State of California’s climate change goals; and

WHEREAS, the goals of the CEC ARFVT Program align with the City of San José’s (“City”) Green Vision goals of creating a green economy in San José through industries that reduce waste, generate renewable energy, utilize fleets that run on alternative fuels and create local green jobs; and

WHEREAS, the first application will request funding to support predevelopment activities for the development of a biomethane transportation fuel production facility and fueling infrastructure on land controlled by the San José/ Santa Clara Water Pollution Control Plant; and

WHEREAS, the second application will request funding to support predevelopment activities for the development of an alternative fuel vehicle manufacturing facility; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to submit these two grant proposals that support the City’s Green Vision goals; and

WHEREAS, if the two grant proposals are accepted City must match funding of 50% of total project costs, which can be satisfied through in-kind services and assets;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN JOSE THAT:

The City Manager is authorized to submit two grant proposals to the California Energy Commission, Alternative and Renewable Fuel and Vehicle Technology Program, for up to \$1 million each to conduct pre-development planning for:

- a) A biomethane transportation fuel production facility on Water Pollution Control Plant lands; and
- b) An alternative fuel vehicle manufacturing facility in San José.

ADOPTED this 18th day of May, 2010, by the following vote:

AYES: CAMPOS, CHIRCO, CHU, CONSTANT, HERRERA,
KALRA, LICCARDO, NGUYEN, OLIVERIO, PYLE; REED.

NOES: NONE.

ABSENT: NONE.

DISQUALIFIED: NONE.



CHUCK REED
Mayor

ATTEST:



LEE PRICE, MMC
City Clerk