

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-_____

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO WAIVE THE BID PROCESS AND APPROVE PURCHASE OF RC MOWER R-60 TRACKED STEEP INCLINE ROTARY MOWER FROM RC MOWER EMBANKSCAPE EQUIPMENT LLC SUAMICO, WI, UTILIZING THE HGAC BUY CONTRACT NO. GR01-20

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WHEREAS, the Public Works Streets Division is responsible for maintaining the City's 5 single use storm drain basins that were intended to reflect a natural setting requiring minimal maintenance; and

WHEREAS, over the past few years, staff has received complaints regarding the un-kept appearance of the basins and their potential to create a fire hazard in a residential area due to the growth of natural grasses and weeds; and

WHEREAS, the R-60 RC Mower can be controlled/operated remotely by one employee stationed at a safe location, it will operate safely on side slopes that are consistent with those on Lodi's single use basins, and it has many safety features that will either stop or shut off the mower in certain conditions; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends authorizing the City Manager to waive the bid process and approve the Purchase of a RC Mower R-60 from RC Mower Embankscape Equipment LLC Suamico, WI, in the amount of \$76,665.25, utilizing the HGAC Buy Contract No GR01-20.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council does hereby authorize the City Manager to waive the bid process and approve the Purchase of a RC Mower R-60 from RC Mower Embankscape Equipment LLC Suamico, WI, in the amount of \$76,665.25, utilizing the HGAC Buy Contract No GR01-20.

DATED: November 6, 2024

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2024-_____ was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held November 6, 2024, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS –
NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS –
ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS –
ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS –

OLIVIA NASHED
City Clerk

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