RESOLUTION NO. 2025-____

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZING AN INCREASE OF CITY MANAGER'S CHANGE ORDER AUTHORITY BY \$400,000 TO EXECUTE CONTRACT AMENDMENT NO. 3 FOR 2021-2023 TREE MAINTENANCE CONTRACT WITH WEST COAST ARBORISTS, INC., OF ANAHEIM

WHEREAS, The Public Works Department manages an annual on-call contract that provides for structural pruning, maintenance trimming, stump grinding, emergency calls, removal of City trees, pest control, and tree planting at various locations throughout the City and is heavily utilized by both the Public Works and Parks departments; and

WHEREAS, on April 21, 2021, the Council authorized the award for the 2021-2023 Tree Maintenance Contract which authorized the City Manager to execute change orders up to \$80,000; and

WHEREAS, since award, Council has approved to increase the City Manager's change order authority by \$1,790,324 over the duration of the contract; and

WHEREAS, Amendment No. 3, if approved, extends the contract through June 30, 2026 and adds \$400,000 to the City Manager's change order authority to provide citywide tree maintenance funding through the contract term; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends authorizing an increase of City Manager's change order authority by \$400,000 to execute Contract Amendment No. 3 for 2021-2023 Tree Maintenance with West Coast Arborists, Inc., of Anaheim and to extend the contract until June 30, 2026.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council does hereby authorizes an increase of City Manager's change order authority by \$400,000 to execute Contract Amendment No. 3 for 2021-2023 Tree Maintenance with West Coast Arborists, Inc., of Anaheim and to extend the contract until June 30, 2026; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, pursuant to Section 6.3q of the City Council Protocol Manual (Res. No. 2019-223), the City Attorney is hereby authorized to make minor revisions to the above-referenced document(s) that do not alter the compensation or term, and to make clerical corrections as necessary.

Dated: May 7, 2025

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2025-____ was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held May 7, 2025, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS -

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS -

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS -

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS -

OLIVIA NASHED City Clerk

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