TO: James L. App, City Manger

FROM: Robert A. Lata, Community Development Director

SUBJECT: Acceptance of Public Improvement - Tract 2369-1 (Fallingstar Homes

**Lots 1-71)** 

DATE: September 2, 2003

**Needs:** That the City Council authorize the acceptance of public improvements resulting

from the development of Tract 2369-1 (Lots 1-71) into the City's maintenance

system.

**Facts:** 1. On June 4, 2002, the City Council accepted Tract 2369-1 for recordation and executed a Subdivision Improvement Agreement with the Developer of this subdivision.

2. This subdivision is located on Kleck Road and Montebello Oaks Drive, north of Union Road (see Vicinity Map, Exhibit A).

3. The public improvements have been constructed to the satisfaction of City

staff.

4. The Subdivider has constructed the following streets in accordance with the Subdivision Improvement Agreement and in compliance with the improvement plans and all applicable City standards:

STREET NAME	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>	<b>MILES</b>
Kleck Road	700 feet n/o	Montebello Oaks	0.23
	Union Road	Drive	
Leah Way	Kleck Road	Susannah Lane	0.17
Susannah Lane	Christina Court	400 feet e/o	0.21
		Kleck Road	
Montebello Oaks	Christina Court	500 feet e/o	0.30
Drive		Kleck Road	
Christina Court	Montebello Oaks	Susannah Lane	0.06

5. At their meeting of August 19, 2003, the City Council continued discussion to a future City Council meeting.

# Analysis And

## **Conclusion**:

The public improvements, which the developer was required to install for this subdivision, have been completed with the exception of the seal coat of the street paving. The City will retain a Maintenance Bond for a period of one year as warranty for the improvements installed. The developer has requested that the placement of the seal coat be deferred and completed during the one-year maintenance period.

Acceptance of public improvements will allow for issuance of certificates of occupancy for homes in the subdivision. Homes will continue to be under construction during the one-year maintenance period, therefore streets in the subdivision will be subject to construction traffic. It will be beneficial to the City to have the paving seal coat deferred until more of the construction traffic has been reduced as homes are completed. Placement of the seal coat during the one-year maintenance period will leave the subdivision with a new and clean appearance at the end of the one-year maintenance period. It is proposed that this approach be utilized with all residential subdivisions.

## Policy Reference:

Paso Robles Municipal Code, Section 22, Subdivision Map Act

# Fiscal Impact:

The Contractor is obligated to maintain all public improvements for a one-year period following acceptance by the City Council. Once the one-year period has been completed, and the Contractor has completed all correction items, the City will assume additional street, sewer and drainage maintenance costs.

Parkway landscaping and street lighting costs will be financed by the benefiting property owners through the Landscape and Lighting District.

### **Options:**

Based upon completion of construction of all required public improvements to the satisfaction of the City:

- a. Adopt Resolution No. 03-xxx accepting the public improvements of Tract 2369-1 (Lots 1 71) into the City's maintenance system, and authorizing the release of Performance and Payment Bonds upon the posting of a Maintenance Bond in the amount of \$445,529.
- **b.** Amend, modify or reject the above option.

Attachments: (2)

- 1. Vicinity Map Exhibit A
- 2. Resolution

### **RESOLUTION NO. 03 -**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PASO ROBLES
ACCEPTING PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS FOR TRACT 2369-1 (FALLINGSTAR HOMES, INC., LOTS 1-71)
CONSTRUCTED PURSUANT TO THE SUBDIVISION IMPROVEMENT AGREEMENT, AUTHORIZING
RELEASE OF THE PAYMENT AND PERFORMANCE BONDS, AND AUTHORIZING RELEASE OF
MAINTENANCE SECURITIES ONE YEAR FROM DATE OF ACCEPTANCE OF THE PUBLIC
IMPROVEMENTS

WHEREAS, Tract 2369-1 was accepted June 4, 2002, for recordation, and a Subdivision Improvement Agreement was entered into: and

WHEREAS, all public improvements required as Conditions of Approval for this subdivision have been constructed in compliance with the improvement plans and all applicable City Standards, and the City Engineer has certified to the Council the completion of such public improvements; and

WHEREAS, the Subdivider has constructed, installed or completed the following streets or roads in accordance with the Subdivision Improvement Agreement, the improvement plans and all applicable City Standards:

STREET NAME	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>	<b>MILES</b>
Kleck Road	700 feet n/o Union Road	Montebello Oaks Drive	0.23
Leah Way	Kleck Road	Susannah Lane	0.17
Susannah Lane	Christina Court	400 feet e/o Kleck Road	0.21
Montebello Oaks Drive	Christina Court	500 feet e/o Kleck road	0.30
Christina Court	Montebello Oaks Drive	Susannah Lane	0.06

WHEREAS, Subdivider has requested that the City accept said public improvements and authorize the release of improvement securities furnished by Subdivider pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Subdivision Improvement Agreement.

#### THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Upon completion of all public improvements to the satisfaction of the City Engineer, that the public improvements constructed as required for Tract 2369-1 be accepted into the City's maintenance system, approximately 0.97 miles in length, upon the release of maintenance securities, and the City shall then assume responsibility for their future maintenance and repair. The Subdivider shall be obligated for maintenance of all public improvements for a period of at least one year from date of acceptance by the City Council. After one year, maintenance securities may be released by the City Engineer upon completion of all correction items to the satisfaction of City staff.

<u>SECTION 2</u>. That upon receipt of a maintenance bond in the amount of \$445,529 the payment bond \$2,227,643 and the performance bond \$4,455,285 guaranteeing construction of these public improvements may be released.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Paso Robles this 2nd day of September 2003 by the following vote:

AYES: NOES: ABSTAIN: ABSENT:	
ATTEST:	Frank R. Mecham, Mayor
Sharilyn M. Ryan, Deputy City Clerk	

