

**TO:** James L. App, City Manager  
**FROM:** Doug Monn, Public Works Director  
**SUBJECT:** Storm Water Management  
**DATE:** May 20, 2008

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**NEEDS:** For the City Council to consider appropriating additional funds and for services rendered by Wood Rodgers to assist staff in implementing the City's adopted Storm Water Management Plan.

- FACTS:**
1. The City was permitted under the General Permit for Storm Water Discharges from Small Municipal Separate Storm Sewer System Regional Water Quality Control Board on January 6, 2005.
  2. Implementation of the Storm Water Management Plan in conformance with Regional Board requirements requires a substantial amount of effort and time to implement the programs, amend the original plan and prepare the annual reports.
  3. Staff needed assistance to address the scope of work required. The City retained Wood Rodgers to assist the City in the implementation of its Storm Water Management Plan.
  4. Staff requested Wood Rodgers to prepare the 2007 Annual Storm Water Report and make to make revisions to the Storm Water Management Plan to be submitted in September 2007.
  5. An increase to the contracted scope of work was verbally authorized by the Utilities Manager. The work was completed and the expert should be paid, however, the verbally authorized contract amount now exceeded the allocated funds.
  6. There is adequate funding existing in the adopted Storm Water Budget to cover the additional cost. No new allocation would be required.

**ANALYSIS &**

**CONCLUSION:** Preparation of the Required Annual Storm Water Report and revisions to the Storm Water Management Plan requires substantial amounts of effort and time; staff therefore needed assistance.

**POLICY**

**REFERENCE:** 1972 Federal Water Pollution Control Act (also referred to as the Clean Water Act); 1999 US EPA Storm Water Phase II Rules & Regulations.

**FISCAL**

**IMPACT:** \$22,700 from Budget Account Number 100.310.5224.179

- OPTIONS:**
- a.** Adopt Resolution No. 08-xx authorizing the appropriation of \$22,700 from the City's Storm water Account for services rendered by Wood Rodgers.
  - b.** Amend, modify, or reject the above option.

Prepared by: Patti Gwathmey, Industrial Waste Manager

Attachments (1)  
1) Resolution

RESOLUTION NO. 08-

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PASO ROBLES  
TO APPROPRIATE ADDITIONAL FUNDS FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE  
STORM WATER MANAGEMENT PLAN (SWMP)

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WHEREAS, the EPA's Storm Water Phase II Rules establishes a Storm Water Management Program that is intended to improve the surface waterways by reducing the quantity of pollutants that storm water carries into storm sewer systems; and

WHEREAS, in order to meet NPDES Phase II requirements for municipalities, the City of Paso Robles prepared a Storm Water Management Program, which was approved on January 6, 2005 by the Regional Water Quality Control Board; and

WHEREAS, City staff retained Wood Rodgers, to assist in the preparation of the 2007 Annual Storm Water Report and to make revisions to the Storm Water Management Plan in the amount of \$22,700.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The City Council does hereby appropriate \$22,700 to Budget No. 100.310.5224.179 to fund implementation of the City's Storm Water Management Program.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Paso Robles this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 2008 by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

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Frank R. Mecham, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Deborah D. Robinson, Deputy City Clerk