

**MINUTES OF THE ADJOURNED REGULAR MEETING  
Sewer and Water Development Impact and User Fees**

**PASO ROBLES CITY COUNCIL**

**Tuesday, October 30, 2001 7:30 PM**

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**CALL TO ORDER** – Library/City Hall Conference Center

The City Council of the City of El Paso de Robles, meeting in regular session at 7:30 PM on the above date in the Library/City Hall Conference Center, was called to order by Mayor Frank Mecham.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**ROLL CALL** Councilmembers George Finigan, Jim Heggarty, Gary Nemeth, and Mayor Frank Mecham. Absent: Councilmember Duane Picanco

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

- Kathy Barnett expressed her appreciation for being able to participate in the Council business process. She asked for an explanation of the Request for Proposal (RFP) process concerning the City's web site and suggested that the public have more input in the decision process.
- Councilmember Nemeth asked if there were plans for making repairs and/or corrections to the road surface on the Veterans Memorial Bridge. City Manager Jim App explained that several options were being explored to even out the coloration and surface of the bridge. City will be reviewing this throughout the winter months, identifying what (if any) options would be acceptable to CalTrans and at what cost. Staff will report back to Council in the new year.
- Mike Menath asked where the City stands on the widening of Niblick Road to Creston Road. City Manager App stated that the City Engineer was looking at a variety of options to address the School District's concerns and those portions of the neighborhood whose homes face Niblick Road. He said the City recently concluded a meeting with the School District on this subject and was awaiting confirmation back from them that their concerns had been resolved. Other issues should be resolved over the next three months, and the item will be brought back to Council. The City would be in a position to begin striping for four lanes in the summer of 2002 if that were Council's choice.

## DISCUSSION

### 1. **Sewer and Water Development Impact and User Fees – Council Workshop**

M. Compton, Administrative Services Director

Hold a workshop to solicit public input on the proposed sewer and water development impact and user fee adjustments.

Michael Compton provided background information on tonight's workshop and a summary of the preparation of the Sewer and Water Development Impact and User Fees Study. Greg Clumpner of Hilton, Farnkopf & Hobson presented an overview of the proposed increases of the sewer and water development impact fees.

Mayor Mecham opened the public hearing. He stated that questions would not be answered individually as they are posed, but would be answered at one time following the public comment section of the agenda.

Speaking from the public were Nick Gilman, Wayne Harris, Thomas Schell, Mike Menath, Dale Gustin, David Hix and Fred Rogers.

*Council took a ten minute break at 9:00 PM, reconvening at 9:10 PM.*

Following the break, the public was invited to continue posing questions. Speaking from the public were Ed Gallagher, Pascual Padilla, Kathy Barnett, Michael Kane, Fred Rogers, Tom Rusch, David Norcross and Bruce White.

After receiving public testimony, Councilmember Nemeth, seconded by Councilmember Finigan, moved to direct staff to prepare implementation resolution for consideration at Council's November 20, 2001, regular meeting. Motion passed by the following roll call vote:

AYES:	Finigan, Heggarty, Nemeth and Mecham
NOES:	None
ABSTAIN:	None
ABSENT:	Picanco

*Councilmember Finigan, seconded by Councilmember Nemeth, moved to adjourn from regular session at 10:35 PM. Motion passed by unanimous voice vote.*

**ADJOURNMENT:** to THE REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2001, 7:30 PM AT THE LIBRARY/CITY HALL CONFERENCE CENTER, 1000 SPRING STREET; TO THE EMERGENCY SERVICES WORKSHOP ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2001, AT 7:30 PM AT THE LIBRARY/CITY HALL CONFERENCE CENTER, 1000 SPRING STREET; AND TO THE REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2001, 7:30 PM AT THE LIBRARY/CITY HALL CONFERENCE CENTER, 1000 SPRING STREET

Submitted by:

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Sharilyn M. Ryan, Deputy City Clerk  
Approved: January 3, 2002