

ORDINANCE NO. 357 N.S.

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 2.52.050, 2.52.080 AND 2.52.090 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF THE CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES

The City Council of the City of El Paso de Robles does hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION 1: Section 2.52.050 of the Municipal Code of the City of El Paso de Robles is amended by deleting said section in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

2.52.050 Bidding. When the expenditure for a public project exceeds three thousand five hundred dollars such expenditure shall be by bid procedure pursuant to Section 2.52.080. A public project means:

- (a) A project for the erection, improvement, and repair of public buildings and works.
- (b) Work in or about streams, embankments, or other work for protection against overflow.
- (c) Street or sewer work except maintenance or repair.
- (d) Furnishing supplies or materials for any such project, including maintenance or repair of streets or sewers.

Such bidding may be dispensed with when the City Council, by four-fifths vote, determines that an emergency exists and that the public interest and necessity demands an immediate expenditure of public money to safeguard life, health or property.

SECTION 2: Section 2.52.080 of the Municipal Code of the City of El Paso de Robles is amended by deleting therefrom paragraph 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

2.52.080 Formal Contract Procedure: Except as otherwise provided herein, purchases and contracts relating to public projects as defined in Section 2.52.050 of a value greater than three thousand five hundred dollars shall be by written contract with the lowest responsible bidder.

