

RESOLUTION NO. 526

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF EL PASO DE ROBLES, CALIFORNIA, URGING STATE LEGISLATURE TO APPROPRIATE \$90,000,000 OF STATE SURPLUS FUNDS TO CITIES AND COUNTIES TO ASSIST IN CONSTRUCTING ESSENTIAL PUBLIC WORKS.

WHEREAS, the population of the City of El Paso de Robles has increased from approximately 3,500 population in 1940, to an estimated population of approximately 6,500 or more, at this time, and

WHEREAS, the sewage disposal plant of the City of El Paso de Robles was designed for a capacity of 3,000 to 4,000 people; and the sewers were constructed for a similar number; and

WHEREAS, said sewage disposal plant is now in a very critical condition, in that it is at present overloaded by at least twenty-five to thirty per cent of its normal rated capacity and said sewers are in need of repair; and

WHEREAS, the City of El Paso de Robles has insufficient funds available to construct the additional sewage disposal facilities, or to enlarge said sewage plant, or to construct new sewers or repair old ones and is in dire need of financial assistance for the doing of said work and for the preparation of plans and engineering expenses in connection therewith; and

WHEREAS, a survey just completed by competent engineers shows that it will be necessary to double the capacity of the plant at an estimated cost of \$110,000.00 or more, including repair of sewers, building of incinerator and disposal plant.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of El Paso de Robles, California, that the Legislature of the State of California, be urgently requested to make an appropriation of approximately \$90,000,000.00 out of state surplus funds, to be disbursed to Cities and Counties in proportion to their respective 1940 populations; that so far as the City of El Paso de Robles is concerned, any moneys so disbursed and paid to the City of El Paso de Robles will be used for a purpose which is clearly in the interest of the State of California, to-wit: sewage treatment and construction of major sewage disposal facilities.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 17th day of December, 1945.

Attest:


City Clerk.


MAYOR