

RESOLUTION NO.: 04-143

**A RESOLUTION OF
THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF EL PASO DE ROBLES
RECOMMENDING ADOPTION OF THE
TRAFFIC CALMING PROGRAM AND SUPPORTING
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TRAFFIC CALMING MEASURES**

WHEREAS, the City updated the General Plan Land Use and Circulation Elements in December 2004; and

WHEREAS, the General Plan includes several goals, policies and action items that direct the City to address traffic-related programs through development and implementation of a Traffic Calming Program; and

WHEREAS, the City initiated preparation of a Traffic Calming Program to implement the General Plan policy direction and to address traffic-related problems through input from each City department and expert consultation of transportation engineer consultants; and

WHEREAS, The City prepared a Traffic Calming Program that addresses the policies included in the General Plan by providing traffic calming tools, evaluation criteria for effectiveness, and an implementation process; and

WHEREAS, the tools and methodology in the Traffic Calming Program can be used to correct existing traffic problems and used when designing new Specific Plans, subdivisions, and development projects; and

WHEREAS, the Traffic Calming Program specifically provides for a public participation process to involve the public in identification and addressing traffic problems; and

WHEREAS, this program is not a “project” as defined in the Statutes and Guidelines of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA); and

WHEREAS, based upon the information presented in the staff report and the attachments thereto, the public testimony received, the Planning Commission makes the following findings:

1. The Traffic Calming Program is in compliance with and implements the goals, policies and action items of the Paso Robles General Plan.
2. The Traffic Calming Program measures and implementation methods are suitable to be implemented to address existing traffic conditions and for use in designing new Specific Plan areas, subdivisions, and development projects.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Planning Commission of the City of El Paso

de Robles does hereby approve recommendation of the Traffic Calming Program for adoption to the City Council.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 23th day of November, 2004 by the following Roll Call Vote:

AYES: Commissioners – Mattke, Steinbeck, Johnson, and Chair Flynn
NOES: Commissioners – None
ABSENT: Commissioners – Ferravanti, Kemper and Hamon
ABSTAIN: Commissioners - None

CHAIRMAN TOM FLYNN

ATTEST:

ROBERT A. LATA, PLANNING COMMISSION SECRETARY