



Staff Report

TO: City Council
FROM: Todd Parton, City Manager
DATE: October 19, 2021
SUBJECT: **Resolution to Rescind Resolution No. 2021- 48 A Joint Resolution of the Cities of Banning, Beaumont and Calimesa and the Morongo Band of Mission Indians to Develop a Comprehensive Multi-Modal Strategic Plan for the Interstate Highway 10 Corridor**

Background and Analysis:

Resolution No. 2021-48 was drafted as a joint resolution that included the Cities of Banning, Beaumont and Calimesa as well as the Morongo Band of Mission Indians. The intent of the resolution was to develop and implement a comprehensive, multi-modal transportation strategic plan for the Interstate Highway 10 corridor. As described in the resolution, the plan was to include all modes of transportation including surface transportation, transit, and pedestrian connections. The resolution and outline for the strategic plan was developed over a period of more than a year through an inclusionary process that offered each of the mentioned entities to review and provide comment.

The joint resolution had been considered and approved by the City of Banning and the Morongo Band of Mission Indians. The City of Calimesa chose not to approve the resolution and suggested an alternative approach to the effort. A copy of Calimesa Mayor Bill Davis' letter, dated September 9, 2021, is attached to this report and outlines the alternative proposal.

Banning Mayor Colleen Wallace supports a different approach to developing a corridor plan. This approach will be to have Riverside County Supervisor Jeff Hewitt take the lead on developing a plan and have County staff prepare and submit grant applications. It is not anticipated that the planning effort will incorporate the previous strategic plan outline presented to each of the entities.

Beaumont Mayor Lara provided an email response to Mayor Davis upon receipt of the letter. A copy of that correspondence is attached to this report.

Fiscal Impact:

City staff estimates that it cost approximately \$80 to prepare this report.

Recommended Action:

Waive the full reading and adopt by title only, "A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Beaumont, California Rescinding Resolution No. 2021-48."

Attachments:

- A. Calimesa Mayor Bill Davis Letter – Dated September 9, 2021
- B. Mayor Mike Lara Email – Dated September 27, 2021
- C. City of Beaumont Resolution No. 2021-48
- D. Resolution Rescinding 2021-48