

RESOLUTION NO. 5-18-87-B

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SONORA, CONSIDERING THE MERITS OF A PROJECT KNOWN AS THE "GREENLEY ROAD EXTENSION".

WHEREAS, the County of Tuolumne is considering the merits of a project known as the "Greenley Road Extension"; and,

WHEREAS, A Merits of Project Hearing was held by the County of Tuolumne on May 11, 1987; and,

WHEREAS, a "preferred" routing of the project was presented at said hearing and testimony pro and con to the project and to the "preferred" routing was heard; and,

WHEREAS, said preferred routing was considered by an Environmental Impact Report process with a "Finding of No Significant Impact" by the Federal Highway Administration; and,

WHEREAS, numerous private development projects have been approved in the Greenley Basin area under County jurisdiction which has utilized the Greenley Extension project as a mitigation measure for traffic effects of such projects; and,

WHEREAS, the County of Tuolumne is presently constructing a regional library along Greenley Road; and,

WHEREAS, the Greenley Road Extension project will benefit the City of Sonora in reducing traffic congestion in the Downtown Sonora area as well as reduce the present peak volume of traffic on impacted Lyons Street; and,

WHEREAS, routes easterly of the preferred route have been considered and have been found to be more than double the length of the preferred route, and much more costly in terms of construction costs as well as property acquisition.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Sonora as follows:

1. The City Council of the City of Sonora hereby supports the construction of the Greenley Extension project as an important and necessary regional link between Columbia, Sonora and East Sonora which will mitigate the traffic effects of development in the Greenley Basin.
2. The City Council of the City of Sonora hereby urges the Board of Supervisors of the County of Tuolumne to proceed as expeditiously as possible with property acquisition and construction of the Greenley Road Extension project.

Passed and adopted as a resolution of the City Council of the City of Sonora, California, at a regular meeting of said City Council held on May 18, 1987, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers Donald A. Calvert, John F. Rucker, Ronald E. Stearn and

Mayor pro-tem Jack T. Cassinetta

NOES: None.

ABSENT: Mayor Jim W. Hildreth

Dated: May 18, 1987

Jack T. Cassinetta
Jack T. Cassinetta, Mayor pro-tem

ATTEST:

Betty M. Castle
Betty M. Castle, City Clerk