RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PASO ROBLES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE MATTER OF:

No. 08-141

Supporting the CA Department of Corrections & Rehabilitation use of State Property Adjacent to the Former El Paso de Robles Youth Correctional Facility as the Preferred Site for a Central Coast Regional Secure Community Re-Entry Facility

I, Deborah D. Robinson, Deputy City Clerk of the City of Paso Robles, certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Resolution No. 08-141 proposed by Councilmember Nemeth, seconded by Councilmember Strong, duly passed and adopted by the Council of the City of El Paso de Robles at its regular meeting on 9/16/2008 by the following vote:

AYES:

Councilmembers:

Nemeth, Picanco, Strong and Mecham

NOES:

Councilmembers:

None

ABSTAIN:

Councilmembers:

None

ABSENT:

Councilmembers:

Hamon

Deborah D. Robinson, Deputy City Clerk and

Ex-Officio Clerk of the City Council

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true

Resolution

on file in the Office of the City Clerk.

In witness hereof my hand and official seal:

Date

Deborah D. Robinson, Deputy City Clerk

RESOLUTION NO. 08-141

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AND REHABILITATION'S USE OF STATE PROPERTY ADJACENT TO THE FORMER EL PASO DE ROBLES YOUTH CORRECTIONAL FACILITY AS THE PREFERRED SITE FOR A CENTRAL COAST REGIONAL SECURE COMMUNITY REENTRY FACILITY

WHEREAS, California State Assembly Bill 900 authorizes the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) to construct, establish, and operate secure community reentry facilities throughout the State that will house up to a total of 16,000 inmates within one year of their scheduled release date; and,

WHEREAS, such facilities shall be secure facilities accommodating up to 500 beds each; and,

WHEREAS, legislation requires that secure community reentry facilities provide programs for inmates and parole violators that are tailored to the specific problems faced by this population when reintegrating into society; and,

WHEREAS, legislation requires that secure community reentry facilities receive county and city support in the jurisdictions in which they are located; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Paso Robles, the counties of San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, and San Benito and the CDCR have been in discussion regarding the siting of a joint 500 bed secure community reentry facility in the City of Paso Robles on CDCR property adjacent to the former El Paso de Robles Youth Correctional Facility; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Paso Robles, counties of San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, and San Benito and the CDCR have committed to negotiate in good faith to execute a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) within 180 days of the effective date of this resolution which MOU shall address, but is not limited to, the issues of inmate release and transport procedures and commitment of programmatic resources; and,

WHEREAS, if no Memorandum of Understanding is executed by all parties, to include the City of Paso Robles, the counties of San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, and San Benito, and the CDCR within the 180 day period, this resolution of support will be considered void and of no force or effect.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of El Paso de Robles that the Council hereby supports and will cooperate in facilitating CDCR's use of the State property adjacent to the former El Paso de Robles Youth Correctional Facility for a Secure Community Reentry Facility as described in AB 900 ("Proposed Secure Community Reentry Facility"), subject to the execution of a mutually acceptable MOU by the City of Paso Robles, counties of San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and San Benito, and the CDCR within 180 days.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Paso Robles this 16th of September, 2008 by the following vote:

AYES:

Nemeth, Picanco, Strong and Mecham

NOES:

ABSENT:

Hamon

ABSTAIN:

Frank R. Mecham, Mayor

ATTEST:

Deborah D. Robinson, Deputy City Clerk