

RESOLUTION NO. 2013-183

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL
REGARDING THE VIABILITY OF ENERGY
STORAGE FOR THE CITY OF LODI

WHEREAS, on March 21, 2012, the City Council approved a resolution acknowledging the City of Lodi's obligation regarding energy storage systems as defined under California law (Assembly Bill 2514), and on October 17, 2012, staff presented City Council with an update on progress regarding research into energy storage; and

WHEREAS, the law requires the governing board of each publicly-owned utility to initiate a process for determining targets for energy storage systems; and

WHEREAS, staff has reviewed a report issued by the Electrical Power Research Institute (EPRI) entitled "Electricity Energy Storage Technology Option - A White Paper Primer on Applications, Costs and Benefits," and this report determined that many of the energy storage options outlined have not been fully validated, and thus are not "grid-ready"; and

WHEREAS, staff has closely reviewed the service territory's load shape, geographic location, type of customers served, and existing generation portfolio, and with a reasonably high load factor and the current low cost of investment in generation, has determined that the economics behind energy storage deem it not cost-effective at this time.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lodi City Council does hereby support the staff assessment that no cost-effective energy storage systems are viable for the Lodi community at this time.

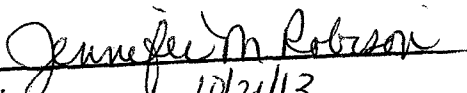
Dated: October 16, 2013

I hereby certify that Resolution No. 2013-183 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held October 16, 2013, by the following vote:

- AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Hansen, Johnson, and Mounce
- NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None
- ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Katakian and Mayor Nakanishi
- ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS – None

The foregoing document is certified to be a correct copy of the original on file in the City Clerk's Office.
Jennifer M. Robison
Assistant City Clerk, City of Lodi


RANDI JOHL-OLSON
City Clerk

By: 
Dated: 10/21/13