

RESOLUTION NUMBER 3985

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PERRIS, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, SUPPORTING VAL VERDE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT IN THEIR APPEAL TO RETAIN STATE FUNDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES

WHEREAS, Riverside County has experienced unprecedented population growth in the last six years; and

WHEREAS, this explosion of population has inflated the cost of all construction, including educational facilities, creating a tremendous challenge that is exasperated by regulation imposed by State for “hardship districts”; and

WHEREAS, defining a “complete facility” as required for State funding is problematic and unrealistic. This practice produces incomplete and inferior educational facilities and sends the wrong message to students; and

WHEREAS, students who attend facilities in “hardship districts” deserve to have the same amenities as those in other districts; and

WHEREAS, Val Verde Unified School District recognizes this and has worked with the City to build such facilities; and

WHEREAS, in order to address these issues, the State must provide for adequate financial resources that are sufficient to provide the necessary facilities to serve their respective pupils, and the allocations must be realistic enough to change with dynamic market conditions; and

WHEREAS, the State of California Allocation Board will be reviewing an appeal by the Val Verde Unified School District pertaining to funds for construction of educational facilities within the Val Verde Unified School District;

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

Section 1. The City Council of City of Perris hereby requests that the State Allocation Board recognize the expenditures made by Val Verde Unifies District to adequately complete state-funded new construction projects as encumbered and not available as local match contribution.

ADOPTED, SIGNED and APPROVED this 8th day of May, 2007.

Mayor, Daryl R. Busch

ATTEST:

City Clerk, Judy L. Haughney

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE) §
CITY OF PERRIS)

I, Judy L. Haughney, CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF PERRIS, CALIFORNIA, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution Number 3985 was duly and regularly adopted by the City Council of the City of Perris at a regular meeting thereof held the 8th day of May, 2007, and that it was so adopted by the following called vote:

AYES: Yarbrough, Landers, Motte, Rogers, Busch
NOES:
ABSENT:
ABSTAIN:

City Clerk, Judy L. Haughney