APPROVE FINDINGS AND AUTHORIZE PARTICIPATION IN A COOPERATIVE PURCHASING PROGRAM FOR THE PURCHASE OF MOBILE RADIOS AND COMPONENTS FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT (PUR 09-052)

The City desires to purchase 10 IPSeries Mobile Radios, including all necessary components, by participating in the U.S. Department of General Services Cooperative Purchasing Program with GovPlace, of Irvine, in the amount of $155,424.56; and

Participation in the Cooperative Purchasing Program will enable the City to replace the current Motorola Vehicle Radio Modem data system equipment which is being phased out by the manufacturer; and

Stockton Municipal Code section 3-105 provides for an exception to the competitive bidding requirements for contracts in cases where the City Council has approved findings which support and justify exceptions to the competitive bidding process for the purchase of supplies and services through other governmental jurisdictions or public agencies through a cooperative purchasing agreement; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STOCKTON, AS FOLLOWS:

1. The City Council hereby approves the following findings that support the purchase of 10 IPSeries Mobile Radios, including all necessary components, by participating in the U.S. Department of General Services Cooperative Purchasing Program with GovPlace, of Irvine, in the amount of $155,424.56:

   a. The United States Department of General Services has established a cooperative purchasing program for local governments to participate in the GSA Schedule 70 for information technology solutions for the purpose of offering the federal government's discounted pricing.

   b. The bid specifications used by the U.S. Department of General Services have been assessed as compatible to the City of Stockton standards.

   c. The U.S. Department of General Services authorized the contract with GovPlace through the competitive bidding process as required by the City of Stockton.
2. Based on these findings and pursuant to SMC section 3-105, the City Council hereby declares an exception to the competitive bidding process is justified and authorizes the City Manager, on behalf of the City of Stockton, to enter into an agreement for the purchase of 10 IPSeries Mobile Radios, including all necessary components, by participating in the U.S. Department of General Services Cooperative Purchasing Program with GovPlace, of Irvine, in the amount of $155,424.56.

3. The City Manager is hereby authorized to make any and all expenditures, appropriations, and transfers and execute all contracts, amendments, and other documents as appropriate to carry out the purpose and intent of this Resolution.

PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED JUN - 2 2009

ANN JOHNSON, Mayor of the City of Stockton

ATTEST:

KATHERINE GONG MEISSNER
City Clerk of the City of Stockton