## **RESOLUTION R2025-XX**

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANTECA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, APPROVING PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE SAFE ROUTES TO SCHOOL PROJECT CIP 23006, APPROVING THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACT NOTICE OF EXEMPTION DETERMINATION FOR THE PROJECT, AUTHORIZING A CALL FOR BIDS, AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR DESIGNEE TO TAKE ALL APPROPRIATE ACTIONS NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THE PURPOSE AND INTENT OF THE RESOLUTION. (EXEMPT FROM CEQA PURSUANT TO 14 CAL. CODE REGS. § 15301(C).).

WHEREAS, the Safe Routes to School Project CIP 23006 ("Project") scope of work includes the installation of enhanced pedestrian crossings, curb ramps, HAWK signal at Moffat and Garfield, new signal at Main & Jason, and ancillary safety improvements in the vicinity of Brock Elliot Elementary, Golden West Elementary, Manteca High, Shasta Elementary, Sierra High, & Stella Brockman Elementary schools; and

WHEREAS, the Engineer's Estimate for the Project is \$4,097,000; and

WHEREAS, staff has reviewed and determined that the Project is Categorically Exempt under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to 14 Cal. Code of Regs. § 15301(c), Class 1 "Existing Facilities"; and

WHEREAS, a Notice of Exemption will be filed with the San Joaquin County Clerk/Recorder and the State Clearinghouse for the Project within five days of approval pursuant to 14 Cal. Code Regs. § 15094. Plans, Specifications, and Estimates (PS&E) have been completed for the Project and are available for review in the Engineering Department; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has considered all information related to this matter, as presented at the public meetings of the City Council identified herein, including any supporting reports by City Staff, and any information provided during public meetings.

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

- 1. The City Council hereby finds that the facts set forth in the recitals to this Resolution are true and correct, and establish the factual basis for the City Council's adoption of this Resolution.
- 2. The City Council hereby approves Plans and Specifications for the Safe Routes to School Project CIP 23006.

- 3. The City Council hereby finds the Project exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to 14 Cal. Code Regs. § 15031(c) "Existing Facilities" and authorizes staff to submit the corresponding Notice of Exemption for the Safe Routes to School Project CIP 23006 with the San Joaquin County Clerk-Recorder and the State Clearinghouse.
- 4. The City Council hereby authorizes a Call for Bids.
- 5. The City Council hereby authorizes the City Manager or designee to apply for permits, apply for State and Federal grants, solicit project funding support, complete and execute all associated documents, and take all appropriate actions necessary to carry out the purpose and intent of the resolution.
- 6. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the City Council of the City of Manteca at a public meeting of said City Council held on the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2025, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

MAYOR: \_\_\_\_\_

GARY SINGH Mayor

ATTEST:

CASSANDRA CANDINI-TILTON City Clerk