

RESOLUTION NO. 3961

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOLEDAD
ANNOUNCING FINDINGS AND SPONSORSHIP OF THE 'SOLEDAD FIESTA DAYS
2007 AND AUTHORIZING THE PROVISION OF IN-KIND SUPPORT SERVICES AT
AN ESTIMATED COST OF \$15,669.84**

WHEREAS, the Soledad Community Fiesta Committee also known as "Fiesta Committee," is a community-based organization establishing as its goal, a time of celebration, enjoyment and friendship for all the citizens of Soledad; and

WHEREAS, the Fiesta Committee is a recognized non-profit charitable organization; and

WHEREAS, through its activities, the Fiesta Committee provides cash grants for community organizations i.e School District, Eden Valley, Latino Police Officers, YMCA, and scholarships to enrich and better the quality of life for the citizens of Soledad; and

WHEREAS, the Fiesta Committee sponsors an annual "Soledad Fiesta Days" festivity, along with other fund raising projects and events; and

WHEREAS, the Fiesta Committee's goals and objectives support the community and City as a whole; and

WHEREAS, the Fiesta Committee has planned to hold "Soledad Fiesta Days" at Vosti Park on May 31st – June 4th and has requested the City to act as co-sponsor of "Soledad Fiesta Days" and to provide in-kind support services; and

WHEREAS, the City will incur costs for Public Works, Police and Fire support for the event, at an estimated cost of \$15,669.84.

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

1. All of the recitals set forth above are true and correct to the best of the Council's knowledge and by this reference, are incorporated herein.
2. The City Council hereby agrees to sponsor the Soledad Fiesta Days 2007 Event.
3. The City Council of the City of Soledad does hereby authorize the City Manager to direct staff to provide reasonable assistance and support for "Soledad Fiesta Days 2007" and other activities sponsored by the Soledad Community Fiesta Committee, as long as such efforts comply with City policies, rules and regulations and do not require the expenditure of unbudgeted City funds. The Council agrees to provide in-kind services to the Soledad Fiesta 2007 in an amount not to exceed \$15,669.84.

Any request contrary to City policies, rules and regulations or requiring the expenditure of City funds in excess of those referenced herein shall be brought before the City Council for due consideration.

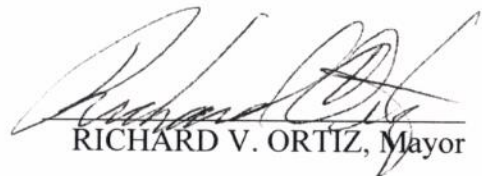
PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Soledad at a regular meeting duly held on the 4th day of April 2007 by the following vote:

AYES, and in favor thereof, Councilmembers: Juan Saavedra, Patricia Stephens, Mayor Pro Tem Chris Bourke, Mayor Richard Ortiz

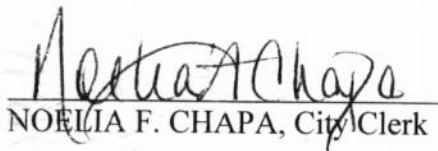
NOES, Councilmembers: None

ABSTAIN, Councilmembers: None

ABSENT, Councilmember: Martha Camacho


RICHARD V. ORTIZ, Mayor

ATTEST


NOELIA F. CHAPA, City Clerk