

RESOLUTION NO. 4446

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOLEDAD AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACCEPT THE NEXT GENERATION – CLICK IT OR TICKET 2009-2010 TRAFFIC SAFETY GRANT AND ENTER INTO THE GRANT AGREEMENT AND ANY AMENDMENTS WITH THE TRAFFIC SAFETY CENTER (TSC) AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY TO FUND INCREASED LEVELS OF SEAT BELT USAGE ENFORCEMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$19,440 FOR THE PERIOD OF OCTOBER 1, 2009 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2010

WHEREAS, the Police Department is committed to providing a safe and secure environment through vigorous law enforcement within the City of Soledad; and

WHEREAS, the traffic Safety Center (TSC) at the University of California, Berkeley has made grant funding available to law enforcement agencies to participate in the California Seat Belt Compliance Campaign; and

WHEREAS, the California's 2008 seat belt use rate is 95.7 percent, up from 94.6 percent in 2007, yet 2008 teen seat belt use rate is only 89.6 percent and child safety seat usage rate is only 94.4 percent; and

WHEREAS, funding for this cost is allocated in Office of Traffic Safety Enforcement Education Program to enable the Police Department to participate in the Campaign.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Soledad authorizes City Manager to accept the "Next generation – Click It or Ticket 2009-2010" grant and enter into the resultant grant agreement and any amendments, with the Traffic Safety Center (TSC) at the University of California, Berkeley to fund increased seat belt usage enforcement in the amount of \$19,440 for the period of October 1, 2009 to September 30, 2010.

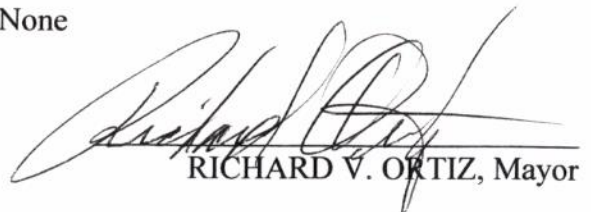
PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Soledad at a regular meeting duly held on the 2nd day of December 2009, by the following vote:

AYES, and in favor thereof, Councilmembers: Richard J. Perez, Juan Saavedra, Patricia Stephens, Mayor Pro Martha Camacho, Mayor Richard V. Ortiz

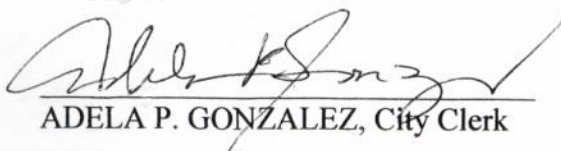
NOES, Councilmembers: None

ABSTAINED, Councilmembers: None

ABSENT, Councilmembers: None


RICHARD V. ORTIZ, Mayor

ATTEST:


ADELA P. GONZALEZ, City Clerk