

RESOLUTION NO. 91-741

ADOPTED BY THE SACRAMENTO CITY COUNCIL

ON DATE OF SEP 24 1991

RESOLUTION APPROVING ESTABLISHMENT OF A SERVICE AUTHORITY FOR THE ABATEMENT OF ABANDONED VEHICLES; APPROVING A ONE DOLLAR (\$1.00) ANNUAL FEE ON REGISTERED VEHICLES TO BE UTILIZED FOR THE PURPOSE OF ABATING ABANDONED VEHICLES; AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO CONTRACTS WITH THE ABANDONED VEHICLE SERVICE AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, in the City of Sacramento, the problem of abandoned vehicles as a hazard and public nuisance has been recognized by the adoption of procedures for their abatement; and

WHEREAS, by enacting Vehicle Code Section 22710, the State of California has similarly recognized the problem by adopting procedures for the inclusion of an annual one dollar (\$1.00) fee on registered vehicles, to be returned to the counties and cities, for abandoned vehicle abatement; and

WHEREAS, any money so received shall be used only for abatement, removal, and disposal as public nuisances of abandoned, wrecked, dismantled or inoperative vehicles or parts thereof from private or public property, and

WHEREAS, the regulations and guidelines established by the State require that a county-wide Abandoned Vehicle Service Authority ("Service Authority" herein) be established pursuant to Section 22710 of the California Vehicle Code; and

WHEREAS, because of delay in receipt of State guidelines for establishing an Abandoned Vehicle Abatement Program, timeliness is of the essence in fulfilling other requirements of Vehicle Code Section 22710 and the regulations promulgated pursuant thereto;

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SACRAMENTO THAT:

1. The City of Sacramento approves establishment of the Sacramento Abandoned Vehicle Service Authority, the governing body of which shall be the governing body of the Sacramento Transportation Authority.
2. The Service Authority shall be staffed from existing county and city personnel positions.

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3. The City Council approves imposition of an annual fee of one dollar (\$1.00) on registered vehicles for abandoned vehicle abatement purposes.

4. The City Manager is authorized and directed to execute all necessary contracts or agreements with the Sacramento Abandoned Vehicle Service Authority on behalf of the City of Sacramento.

Gene Redden
MAYOR

ATTEST:

Melvin A. Burrows
CITY CLERK

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