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Resolution

of the City Council

Recognizing Odell's Pump & Motor Service, Inc.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the city of Sacramento has determined that economic development is one of its highest priorities and has adopted an economic agenda which has as a key element the retention of existing businesses with an emphasis on small business; and

WHEREAS, Odell's Pump & Motor Service, Inc. was founded in 1944 by George Odell, a member of the first pump testing crew in the 1930's for PG&E, originally located at 1623 Del Paso Boulevard but has been at its current location at 796 Del Paso Boulevard since 1967; and

WHEREAS, Odell's Pump & Motor Service, Inc. now operates as a second generation business owned and managed since 1978 by sons Perry & Gordon and offers a full range of services including design, engineering, sales, service and repairs for industrial, commercial, municipal and agricultural pumps; and

WHEREAS, Odell's Pump & Motor Service, Inc. provides personal attention to any kind of pumping need which can include providing fountain and pool pumps as well as sump pumps during periods of heavy rainfall or flooding; and

WHEREAS, Odell's Pump & Motor Service, Inc. has been active in the North Sacramento Chamber of Commerce and contributes to community programs through the Grant Union High School, Little League, Best of Broadway, Stanford Home and Optimist High School All Star football team; and

WHEREAS, Odell's Pump & Motor Service, Inc. is a member of the California Groundwater Association and was featured in an article in the Ground Water journal; and

WHEREAS, Perry and Gordon Odell are most proud of their 16 loyal and capable employees whose combined experience totals 199 years.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the city of Sacramento, that we do hereby extend our deep appreciation to Odell's Pump & Motor Service, Inc. for its longstanding contributions to the local economy and do hereby commend the Odell family for their commitment and efforts in our economic development activities in the city of Sacramento.

ISSUED: This 20th day of May, 1997.

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