

RESOLUTION NO. 1939

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ALAMITOS, CALIFORNIA, ADOPTING A CURB ADDRESS PAINTING POLICY WHEREBY NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS ARE ALLOWED POTENTIAL BENEFITS BY MANAGING THE PAINTING OF STREET ADDRESSES ON CURBS WITHIN THE CITY

WHEREAS, on November 10, 2003, the City Council revisited a policy for the painting of addresses on curbs; and,

WHEREAS, testimony presented showed that the existing policy needed modification to provide clear direction to residents, contractors and City staff; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council recognized that the painting of addresses on curbs, particularly in residential areas, greatly assists emergency services in locating properties; and,

WHEREAS, non-profit organizations can provide a trusting buffer between residents and street address painting contractors while receiving some financial benefit in the process.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOS ALAMITOS DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The City Council of the City of Los Alamitos, California, finds that the above recitals are true and correct.

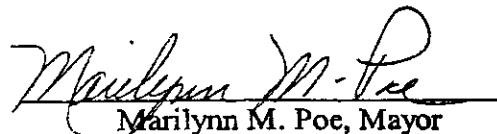
SECTION 2. The City Council hereby issues the following policy concerning the painting of addresses on residential street curbs:

- Only non-profit organizations will be permitted to manage the street curb address-painting contract.
- All painting will be performed by an organization with a minimum \$1,000,000 liability insurance policy naming the City of Los Alamitos as additional insured or other financial assurances as approved by the City Manager or his/her designee.

- The non-profit organization shall have a valid City business license on file.
- The non-profit organization will provide oversight, acting as intermediary between the residents by collecting donations and resolving any problems resulting from the work performed.
- The non-profit shall provide the City with a contact persons name and an emergency phone number.
- Compensation shall be by donations only. Residents will not be obligated to pay. Notices shall be provided to residents prior to painting and shall state 'payment by donation only'. The city attorney shall review notice content prior to distribution.
- Painting shall meet form and specifications as prescribed by the City Engineer upon consultation with Police and Fire services.
- A plan must be approved by the City Engineer indicating dates, times and streets where work is scheduled to be performed prior to commencement of work.
- Applications by non-profit organizations for curb address painting must be submitted by May 1st in the form of a letter requesting consideration as program manager. The City Council shall make the final determination as to which non-profit will run the program for that year or which non-profits will share in the management of the program for that year.
- Under this program, the painting contractor shall paint every residential address within the limits of the permit regardless of whether residents choose to make a donation for the service or not.
- Curb address painting shall be limited under this program to not more than once every two years.

SECTION 3. The City Clerk shall certify as to the adoption of this Resolution.

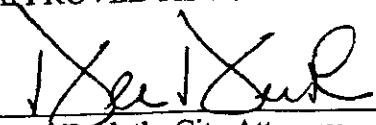
PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED this 24th day of November 2003.


Marilynn M. Poe, Mayor

ATTEST:


Susan C. Vanderpool, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Dean Derleth, City Attorney

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF ORANGE) ss
CITY OF LOS ALAMITOS)

I, Susan C Vanderpool, City Clerk of the City of Los Alamitos, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council held on the 24th day of November 2003, by the following vote, to wit:

AYES:	COUNCILMEMBERS:	Freeman, Bates, Parker, Jemsa & Poe
NOES:	COUNCILMEMBERS:	None
ABSENT:	COUNCILMEMBERS:	None
ABSTAIN:	COUNCILMEMBERS:	None



Susan C. Vanderpool, City Clerk