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WHEREAS, a labor dispute currently affecting the construction industry has interrupted delivery of the City's supply of asphalt concrete from its contract source (Daley Corporation); and

WHEREAS, in order to maintain necessary utility repairs and General Services street repair operations the City has purchased asphalt concrete from Huntmix, Inc. on a day-by-day basis since July 1, 1980 at a cost of approximately \$5,000 per day; and

WHEREAS, the purchase of asphalt concrete, concrete, fill dirt, sand, gravel and other related building materials are required to repair and maintain the streets, the water distribution system, the sewage collection system and other public works; and

WHEREAS, building materials are required on a daily basis and interruption of the supply will result in increased traffic hazards, further pavement failures, interruption of traffic and interruption of repairs to water and sewer facilities; and

WHEREAS, these repair operations are necessary for the public's welfare and safety, and interruption of essential municipal services would be detrimental to the public; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that the public interest demands the immediate purchase of building materials without advertising for competitive bids as authorized by San Diego City Chapter Section 94, in order to safeguard public property, health and safety and to repair the City streets and sewers; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that the Purchasing Agent is authorized to purchase on the open market, after seeking competitive prices, those building materials which are unavailable from current contract sources because of the labor dispute and which are required to maintain essential public services for those programs directly affecting the public health and safety, commencing July 1, 1980, for a 30-day period or until the current construction industry labor disputes are settled, whichever comes first, such purchases not to exceed \$200,000.

APPROVED: JOHN W. WITT, City Attorney

By S. Patricia Rosenbaum, Deputy

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