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RESOLUTION NUMBER R- 258599

Adopted on JUN 06 1983

WHEREAS, even though the state and federal gas taxes have recently been increased, California faces a highway funding shortfall because gas consumption, and correspondingly the gas tax revenue, continues to steadily drop; and

WHEREAS, CALTRANS estimates that the repair and rehabilitation of California roads will cost nearly \$800 million, a figure that exceeds the available resources; and

WHEREAS, California needs \$135 million this year in matching funds to gain any benefits from the \$.05 federal gas tax increase; and

WHEREAS, some kind of a tax or fee increase is necessary if the State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) is fully funded and the matching requirement of the new federal law is to be met; and

WHEREAS, AB 613 (Moore) charges vehicles weighing more than 50,000 pounds a graduated fee based on mileage traveled and weight carried; and

WHEREAS, the City of San Diego would receive approximately \$5 million the first year and larger amounts annually for street, highway and transit purposes if AB 613 becomes law; and

WHEREAS, on May 16, 1983, the Rules Committee considered the matter, as contained in the Intergovernmental Relations

Department (IRD) Report No. 83-36, said report identifying the major provisions of AB 613; and

WHEREAS, the Rules Committee approved the recommendation of IRD contained in the report and now recommends the full Council support the measure; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of The City of San Diego, that this Council approves the recommendation of the Intergovernmental Relations Department, as set forth in IRD Report No. 83-36, dated May 10, 1983 and declares its support for AB 613 (Moore).

APPROVED: John W. Witt, City Attorney

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Jack Katz

Chilef Deputy City Attorney

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