

**RESOLUTION NO. 6143(17)**

**A Resolution of the City Council of the City of Lompoc,  
County of Santa Barbara, State of California,  
Determining Energy Storage Procurement  
Targets Are Not Cost Effective**

**WHEREAS**, on September 29, 2010, the Governor of the State of California signed California Assembly Bill No. 2514, adding Subdivision 2836(b) to the Public Utilities Code (PUC); and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to PUC subdivision 2836(b)(1), the governing board of each publicly-owned electric utility was directed to initiate a process to determine appropriate energy storage procurement targets, if any, to be achieved by December 31, 2016, and December 31, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to PUC subdivision 2836(b)(3) the governing board is required to reevaluate the determination made not less than every three years; and

**WHEREAS**, energy storage is defined in the legislation as “commercially available technology that is capable of absorbing energy, storing it for a period of time, and thereafter dispatching said energy,” and

**WHEREAS**, in order to be viable, energy storage must be cost-effective and either reduce emissions of greenhouse gases, reduce a demand for peak electrical generation, defer or substitute investment in generation, transmission, or distribution assets, or improve the reliable operation of the electrical transmission or distribution grid; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council adopted Resolution No. 5780(12) on May 15, 2012, directing an energy storage study to be conducted by August 2014; and

**WHEREAS**, an energy storage study has been conducted and it determined it is not cost-effective for the City of Lompoc to develop energy storage procurement targets at this time.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOMPOC, CALIFORNIA, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1.** Developing energy storage procurement targets is not cost-effective at this time.

**SECTION 2.** Effective Date. This Resolution is effective on the day of its adoption.

The foregoing Resolution was proposed by Council Member \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Council Member \_\_\_\_\_, and was duly passed and

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adopted by the Council of the City of Lompoc at its regular meeting on October 3, 2017,  
by the following vote:

AYES: Council Member(s):

NOES: Council Member(s):

ABSENT: Council Member(s):

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Bob Lingl, Mayor  
City of Lompoc

ATTEST:

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Stacey Haddon, City Clerk  
City of Lompoc