RESOLUTION NO. 6750

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDLANDS AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF AN APPLICATION TO THE SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON ENERGY LEADER PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM

WHEREAS, Southern California Edison has created an Energy Leader Partnership Program to assist local governments in controlling the recent unprecedented increases in the costs of energy by identifying areas where energy use can be reduced; and

WHEREAS, The City of Redlands budget continues to be effected by the recent rise in the costs of energy and controlling energy costs is a necessary component of budget discipline; and

WHEREAS, The City of Redlands has adopted the U.S. Mayors' Climate Protection Agreement and a Climate Action Program to begin the process of reducing greenhouse gasses; and

WHEREAS, reducing energy use at the local level not only saves the City money, but significantly contributes to the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions; and

WHEREAS, entering into an agreement with Southern California Edison as an Energy Leader Partner will provide the City with invaluable technical assistance and access to no-interest loans for energy efficiency improvements financed from the energy savings;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

- The City Council of the City of Redlands authorizes the Director of the Quality of Life Department to submit an application to Southern California Edison to become an Energy Leader Partner for the 2009-2011 Project Cycle. The Mayor or any member of the City Council of the City of Redlands is hereby authorized and empowered to execute in the name of the City of Redlands, all necessary contracts, agreements and amendments hereto on behalf of the program.
- 2. The City Council of the City of Redlands authorizes and empowers the Quality of Life Department Director in the name of the City of Redlands to execute all necessary applications, correspondence, and reports for the purposes of administering the City's participation in the Energy Leader Partnership Program.

ADOPTED, SIGNED AND APPROVED this 3rd day of September, 2008.

Jon Harrison, Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk, City of Redlands

I, Lorrie Poyzer, City Clerk of the City of Redlands, hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly adopted by the City Council at an adjourned regular meeting thereof held on the 3rd day of September, 2008 by the following vote:

AYES

Councilmembers Gilbreath, Gallagher, Aguilar; Mayor Harrison

NOES: ABSENT: None None

ABSTAINED:

Councilmember Bean

City Clerk, City of Redlands