

**RESOLUTION NO. 2007-75**


**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELK GROVE APPROVING  
THE POLICY TO SOLICIT AND CONSIDER PUBLIC COMMENT PRIOR TO A FARE  
INCREASE, FARE DECREASE OR MAJOR SERVICE REDUCTION**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Elk Grove desires to develop a policy to solicit and consider public comment prior to a fare increase, fare decrease or major service reduction; and

**WHEREAS**, the Transit System Manager or designee may solicit comments to be considered by City Council when a fare increase, fare decrease or major service reduction is proposed.

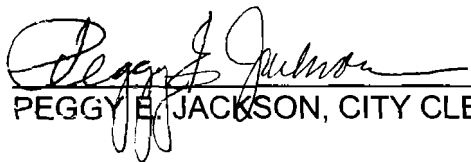
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Elk Grove City Council does hereby approve the City of Elk Grove Policy and Procedures to solicit and consider public comment prior to a fare increase, fare decrease or major service reduction as shown in Exhibit A attached hereto.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove this 11th day of April 2007.

  
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JAMES COOPER, MAYOR of the  
CITY OF ELK GROVE

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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PEGGY E. JACKSON, CITY CLERK

  
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JONATHAN P. HOBBS,  
INTERIM CITY ATTORNEY

2007-0003

SOLICIT AND CONSIDER PUBLIC COMMENT PRIOR TO A FARE INCREASE,  
FARE DECREASE OR MAJOR SERVICE REDUCTION

04/11/2007

### **SECTION 1 - SCOPE**

This policy applies to all proposed fare increases, fare decreases or service reductions over 25% of the City's transit service.

### **SECTION 2 - POLICY**

In order to provide clear direction and a proper process for considering fare increases, fare decreases or major service reductions of the City's transit service, it is the policy of the City to provide public notice regarding any proposed fare increases, fare decreases or service reductions for a period of 30 days before presenting a staff report to the City Council. At the City Council Meeting, the public will be able to state their comments and questions regarding any proposed fare increases, fare decreases or service reductions. A major service reduction is any service reduction resulting in a decrease of vehicle service hours of 25% or more.

### **SECTION 3 - PROCEDURES**

1. When preparing recommendations for fare increases, fare decreases or major service reductions of City's transit service, notices shall be placed in the interior of all City transit buses, online at [www.e-tran.org](http://www.e-tran.org), and in the City's Newsletter informing members of the public of such proposed adjustments at least 30 days before such recommendations are brought before the City Council for its approval.
2. If the City Council approves fare increases, fare decreases or major service reductions of the City's transit service, notice of such changes approved by the City Council shall be posted in the interior of the buses, online at [www.e-tran.org](http://www.e-tran.org), and in the City's Newsletter for a period of at least 14 days prior to the effective date of fare increases, fare decreases or major service reductions.

**CERTIFICATION  
ELK GROVE CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2007-75**

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA            )**  
**COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO    )**     **ss**  
**CITY OF ELK GROVE            )**

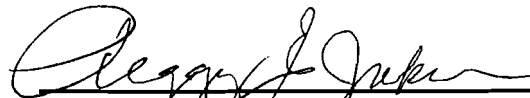
***I, Peggy E. Jackson, City Clerk of the City of Elk Grove, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly introduced, approved, and adopted by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove at a regular meeting of said Council held on April 11, 2007 by the following vote:***

**AYES :            COUNCILMEMBERS:        Cooper, Scherman, Hume, Leary, Davis**

**NOES:            COUNCILMEMBERS:        None**

**ABSTAIN :        COUNCILMEMBERS:        None**

**ABSENT:         COUNCILMEMBERS:        None**

  
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**Peggy E. Jackson, City Clerk  
City of Elk Grove, California**

