



**CITY OF LODI
COUNCIL COMMUNICATION**

AGENDA TITLE: Set Public Hearing for March 5, 2008, to Adopt Federal Fiscal Year 2008 Program of Transit Projects

MEETING DATE: February 20, 2008

PREPARED BY: Public Works Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Set a public hearing for March 5, 2008 for the Transit Division's Federal Fiscal Year 2008 Program of Transit Projects.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The City of Lodi is required to hold a public hearing to allow the public an opportunity to comment on the City's transit projects funded by the Federal Transit Administration (FTA). In the past, very few, if any, comments have been given regarding the use of federal funds for transit projects. Staff expects the same this year. The City of Galt will adopt their own Program of Projects for their portion of the funding. The program of projects will be published in the *Lodi News Sentinel*, and a public hearing will be conducted March 5, 2008. For FFY 2008, the program of projects for the City of Lodi is as follows:

FFY 2008 Section 5307 Funds:

Operations for City of Lodi for 2007/08	\$1,037,249.00
Facility Upgrades	\$ 160,000.00
Total	\$1,197,249.00

The category of Facility Upgrades allows for the Transit Division to budget a lump sum amount to use throughout the year on a variety of maintenance and security related upgrades to the Lodi Station, Lodi Station Parking Structure and the maintenance facility at the Municipal Service Center. Examples of items which can be funded include small parts and tools, lifts, repair to the actual facilities, and security enhancements at Lodi Station.

FISCAL IMPACT: This will allow the City of Lodi to claim and receive FTA funding for the Federal Fiscal Year 2008. These funds will pay for on-going operations, as well as needed capital improvements.

FUNDING AVAILABLE: None required.

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