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RESOLUTION No. 2005-81

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANRAMON SUPPORTING EFFORTS TO DEVELOP A NEW CEMETERY IN THE TASSAJARA VALLEY (CREEKSIDE MEMORIAL PARK) TO SERVE THE TRI-VALLEY

WHEREAS, provisions of adequate cemetery space is a necessary component of community infrastructure planning consistent with San Ramon General Plan 2020 (Land Use; section 4.7-I.3); and

WHEREAS, San Ramon currently has no available cemetery space within the City limits, requiring City residents to purchase cemetery space in other communities when such need arises; and

WHEREAS, San Ramon has participated with the Tri-Valley Cities of Dublin, Pleasanton, Livermore, and the Town of Danville in a series of meetings over the last two years to discuss the common need for added cemetery space to serve the Tri-Valley area; and

WHEREAS, the proposed Creekside Memorial Park project was presented to the five Tri-Valley Cities at the November 2004 Tri-Valley Council meeting; and

WHEREAS, on May 24, 2005, the San Ramon City Council heard an updated presentation generally describing the proposed Creekside Memorial Park project and its community benefits; and

WHEREAS, the Creekside Memorial Park can be developed as a park-like facility, in a location convenient and proximate to the City, in order to better meet resident needs and to help satisfy the existing need for additional burial space; and

WHEREAS, the development of Creekside Memorial Park is consistent with the character of the Tassajara Valley, and as presented, is expected to have minimal impacts upon cumulative traffic growth within the Tri-Valley and minimal demand for other services; and

WHEREAS, the 212.6± acre proposed project site is situated in unincorporated Contra Costa County on APN 223-020-005 and 223-020-007 located on Camino Tassajara near the common Contra Costa County / Alameda County lines; and

WHEREAS, Corrie Development Corporation is currently seeking approval of a Conditional Land Use Permit from Contra Costa County to allow for development of Creekside Memorial Park.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of San Ramon does hereby support the concept of the proposed Creekside Memorial Park Cemetery to serve the Tri-Valley.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED on this 14^{th} day of June 2005 by the following vote:

AYES:

Councilmembers Hudson, Livingstone, Perkins and Mayor Wilson

NOES:

ABSENT:

Councilmember Rowley

ABSTAIN:

H. Abram Wilson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Patricia Edwards, City Clerk