



Resolution

OFFICE OF THE
MAYOR
CITY OF SAN LUIS

RESOLUTION NO. 373

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN LUIS, ARIZONA PROTESTING THE APPROVAL BY THE ARIZONA STATE SELECTION BOARD OF THE PROPOSED ANNEXATION OF STATE LANDS AS APPROVED ON NOVEMBER 25, 1997 AND REQUESTING THAT SAID ACTION BE RESCINDED AND REVOKED

WHEREAS on or about November 25, 1997 the Arizona State Selection Board approved the annexation of State lands by the City of Yuma; and

WHEREAS the City of Yuma represented to the Arizona State Selection Board that the purpose of the annexation was for purposes other than the purpose of annexing lands fourteen (14) miles south of the existing boundaries of the City of Yuma and lands nineteen miles along the border of the United States and Mexico, and almost to the border of the City of San Luis; and

WHEREAS the filing of the petition and map for the above described annexation which included territory of 103,964.3 acres, more or less, was done without a public vote of the City Council of the City of Yuma; and

WHEREAS one of the effects of the proposed annexation by the City of Yuma is to greatly personally benefit a very small number of wealthy private landowners at the expense of the public purse; and

WHEREAS another effect is to greatly inhibit the growth, economy, and well being of the community of the City of San Luis; and

WHEREAS in obtaining permission of the Arizona State Selection Board the City of Yuma represented that the purpose of the request was for a purpose other than the annexation of territory of 103,964.3 acres, more or less; and

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WHEREAS the proposed annexation by the City of Yuma of 103,964.3 acres, more or less, is dependant upon the approval of the State Selection Board for the lands of the State of Arizona as approved on November 25, 1997 as hereinbefore stated;

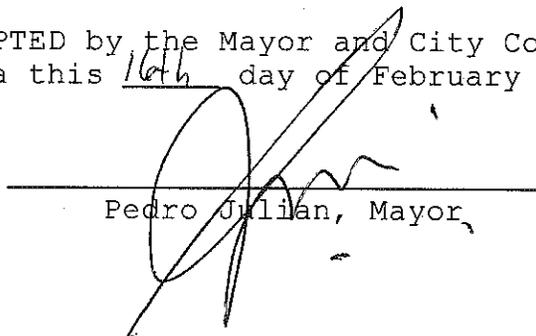
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of San Luis, Arizona, as follows:

SECTION 1: That the City of San Luis is opposed to the morally bankrupt and unethical actions of the City Administrator of the City of Yuma who has misrepresented the City of Yuma in its dealings with the State of Arizona and the citizens of the City of San Luis in her attempts to annex lands as described above either without the blessing of the City Council of the City of Yuma or if with the blessing of City Council of the City of Yuma, then in violation of the open meeting law of the State of Arizona.

SECTION 2: That the City Council of San Luis hereby requests that Arizona State Selection Board consider the economic and social interests of the citizens of southern Yuma County and revoke, rescind, and terminate the approval of the annexation of State lands in Township 9S, Range 22W, Yuma County, Arizona as granted on or about the 25th day of November 1997.

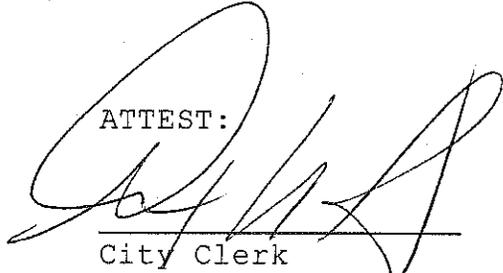
SECTION 3: That the City Manager is hereby directed to send a copy of this resolution to Jane Hull, Governor of the State of Arizona, Grant Woods, Attorney General of the State of Arizona, Tony West, Treasurer of the State of Arizona, J. Dennis Wells, Commissioner, State of Arizona Land Department, Betsy Bayless, Secretary of State, State Senator Pat Conner, Representatives Robert McLendon and James Carruthers, Casey Prochaska, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Yuma County, the Supervisors of Yuma County, Ed Pastor, Congressman, Marilyn Young, Mayor of the City of Yuma, and the City Council of the City of Yuma.

PASSED and ADOPTED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of San Luis, Arizona this 16th day of February 1998.



Pedro Jullian, Mayor

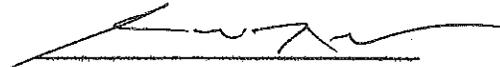
ATTEST:



City Clerk

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:



City Attorney