

**RESOLUTION NO. 2026-XX**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF HOLLISTER AUTHORIZING THE POLICE DEPARTMENT TO DISPOSE OF EXPIRED AND OBSOLETE BALLISTIC VESTS**

**WHEREAS**, the Hollister Police Department purchases ballistic vests for the safety of their personnel to be used in the performance of their duties; and

**WHEREAS**, the ballistic vests have a manufacturer-specified service life, typically five years, after which their ballistic protection is no longer warranted; and

**WHEREAS**, once expired, vests are removed from service to ensure officer safety and compliance with National Institute of Justice (NIJ) standards; and

**WHEREAS**, the police department currently has several vests in the inventory that are expired, obsolete, and cannot be recycled; and

**WHEREAS**, the department has a requirement to render the ballistic panels permanently unusable and dispose of them; and

**WHEREAS**, a detailed list of the serial numbers of those panels destroyed and disposed of will be retained.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the City Council of the City of Hollister authorizes the police department to properly dispose of the expired and obsolete ballistic vests listed in Attachment A.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED**, by the City Council of the City of Hollister at a regular meeting held on January 5, 2026 by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAINED:

ABSENT:

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Roxanne Stephens, Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
Lozano Smith Attorneys at Law

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Jennifer Woodworth, MMC, City Clerk

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Jennifer P. Thompson, City Attorney

I, Jennifer Woodworth, MMC, City Clerk of the City of Hollister, do hereby certify that the attached Resolution No. 2026-XX is an original resolution, or true and correct copy of a City resolution, duly adopted by the Council of the City of Hollister at a regular meeting held on January 5, 2026 at which meeting a quorum was present.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the City of Hollister on January 5, 2026.

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Jennifer Woodworth, MMC  
City Clerk of the City of Hollister