

**ORDINANCE 2019-03**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN JUAN BAUTISTA  
AMENDING THE SAN JUAN BAUTISTA MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 2-8, TO  
REVISE SECTION 2-8-050 TO INCREASE SOLICITATION THRESHOLDS IN  
ACCORDANCE WITH NEW THRESHOLDS SET BY STATE**

**(EXEMPT FROM CEQA)**

**WHEREAS**, the San Juan Bautista City Council amended the City Code in 2018 to adopt the California Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act; and

**WHEREAS**, AB 2249 recently amended the Act to increase the thresholds for solicitation; and

**WHEREAS**, the San Juan Bautista City Council desires to revise Section 2-8-050 of the City Code to be in accord with the new solicitation thresholds.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN JUAN BAUTISTA  
HEREBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 2-8-050 shall be revised as follows:**

**Subparagraph (C), Section (2) shall be revised so as to replace “forty-five thousand dollars (\$45,000)” with “sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000),” so that that Section shall read as follows:**

(2) No Bidding Required. Public projects less than or equal to sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) may be performed by City staff, by force account with a contractor, by negotiated contract, or by use of a purchase order, pursuant to Section 22032 of the Public Contract Code.

**Subparagraph (C), Section (3) shall be revised to replace “one hundred seventy-five thousand dollars (\$175,000)” with “two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000),” so that that Section shall read as follows:**

(3) Informal Bids. The City shall follow the following informal bidding procedure for public projects of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) or less, or those public projects as specified in either Section 22032(b) or 22020 of the Public Contract Code.

**Subparagraph (E), Section (3) shall be revised to replace “one hundred seventy-five thousand dollars (\$175,000)” with “two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000),” so that that Section shall read as follows:**

(E) Authority to Award Bid. The authority to award informal contracts is hereby delegated to the City Manager unless all informal bids received are in excess of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), in which case the City Council may, by passage of a resolution by a four-fifths (4/5) vote, award the contract at the amount set forth in Section 22034(f) of the Public Contract Code or less to the lowest responsible bidder, if it determines the cost estimate of the responsible department head was reasonable.

**Subparagraph (F), Section (3) shall be revised to replace “one hundred seventy-five thousand dollars (\$175,000)” with “two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000),” so that that Section shall read as follows:**

(F) Formal Bids. The City shall follow the following formal bidding procedure for public projects equal to or greater than two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000), or as specified in either Section 22032(b) or 22020 of the Public Contract Code.

**The FOREGOING ORDINANCE** was first read at a regular meeting of the San Juan Bautista City Council on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2019, and was adopted at a regular meeting of the San Juan Bautista City Council on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2019 by the following vote:

**AYES: DeVries, Freeman, Jordan, Edge, Flores**

**NOES: None**

**ABSENT: None**


**ABSTAIN: None**

  
**César E. Flores, Mayor**

**ATTEST:**

  
**Laura Cent, City Clerk**

**APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

  
**Deborah Mall, City Attorney**