

R E S O L U T I O N

Whereas, there is now before the Legislature LB 600, a measure providing that on December 31, 1964, the Board of Directors of the Platte Valley Public Power and Irrigation District be abolished and that the property, water rights, and all assets be transferred to a new board created by said LB 600, and

Whereas, said new board will be composed of 11 members, 8 to be elected east of Grand Island and only 3 west of Grand Island, and

Whereas, in 1933, the people of the Platte River Valley organized the Platte Valley Public Power and Irrigation District to meet a pressing need for water conservation, irrigation and power development, and said District has fulfilled, throughout the past 30 years, the objectives of its organizers, and

Whereas, it is essential that the management and control of the facilities now operated by the Platte Valley Public Power and Irrigation District remain in the control of the people of the Platte River Valley, and,

Whereas, power rate negotiations and power service arranged through the Platte Valley Public Power and Irrigation District, have been extremely satisfactory and beneficial to our City, and

Whereas, the program carried out by the Platte Valley Public Power and Irrigation District, in cooperation with the Loup River Public Power District, which has resulted in a balanced power and irrigation program, should not be impaired by the separation of these essential functions.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL AND THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEXINGTON, NEBRASKA.

That the City Council of the City of Lexington, Nebraska, go on record as being in opposition to the passage of LB 600.

The copy of this resolution shall be prepared and certified by the City Clerk and delivered to each member of Public Works Committee of the Nebraska Legislature, Lincoln, Nebraska.

Passed and approved this 26th day of March, 1963.

ATTEST:



President of Council



City Clerk

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