

**ORIGINAL**Decision No. 70622

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of )  
 the City of El Cerrito, a Municipal )  
 Corporation, for an order authorizing )  
 construction of a crossing at grade ) Application No. 48092  
 between Oakland District Single Track )  
 of The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe )  
 Railway Company and Knott Boulevard )  
 in the City of El Cerrito, California.)

O R D E R

City of El Cerrito is hereby authorized to construct Knott Boulevard at grade across a track of The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company in El Cerrito, Contra Costa County, at the location described in the application to be identified as Crossing No. 2K-3.6.

Width of crossing shall be not less than 40 feet and grades of approach not greater than eight percent. Construction shall be equal or superior to Standard No. 2 of General Order No. 72. Protection shall be by two Standard No. 3 crossing signals (General Order No. 75-B) augmented with automatic gate arms. The crossing shall not be opened to vehicular traffic prior to the installation and operation of the automatic gate protection.

Applicant shall bear entire expense of construction and installation of automatic protection, also maintenance cost of the crossing outside of lines two feet outside of rails. The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company shall bear maintenance cost of the crossing between such lines. Maintenance costs of the automatic protection shall be borne by the applicant, pursuant to the provisions of Section 1202.2 of the Public Utilities Code.

Within thirty days after completion pursuant to this order, applicant shall so advise the Commission in writing. Authorization shall expire if not exercised within one year unless

time be extended or if above conditions are not complied with. Authorization may be revoked or modified if public convenience, necessity, or safety so require. The effective date of this order shall be twenty days after the date hereof.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 26<sup>th</sup> day of APRIL, 1966.

Fredrick B. Holdhoff  
President

John C. Mitchell

George J. Grover

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William L. Bennett  
Commissioners