

RESOLUTION NO. 3475

A RESOLUTION DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND WAIVING THE COMPETITIVE BID REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PURCHASE OF ONE PHYSIO-CONTROL LIFEPACK-10 CARDIAC MONITOR.


WHEREAS, one cardiac monitor instrument must be purchased in conjunction with the acquisition of two paramedic ambulances in fiscal year 1994/95.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Albany City Council, acting as the Contract Review Board, hereby approves the following findings of fact relating to the purchase of this cardiac monitor:

1. The total purchase price of this cardiac monitor, as quoted by Physio Control Corporation is \$10,640.00. This is the exact same price paid by the City over two years ago for two identical units. AMC 2.64.060 (20)(b).
2. The Physio-Control cardiac monitor is used exclusively by the City of Albany and surrounding agencies. This compatibility and familiarity is necessary to efficiency and safety. Physio-Control Corporation is the manufacturer and sole distributor of the item required. AMC 2.64.060 (11).
3. The City of Albany has used Physio-Control cardiac monitors for many years with complete satisfaction. Other brands will not offer improved quality or performance, nor will the lack of bids result in favoritism or substantially diminish competition. AMC 2.64.060 (20)(a).

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Albany City Council declares an emergency and authorized the purchase of one Lifepack-10 cardiac monitor from Physio-Control Corporation in the amount of \$10,640.00 without competitive bidding as provided for by the provisions of Section 2.64.060 of the Albany Municipal Code.

Dated this 8th day of February, 1995.


Mayor

ATTEST:



Deputy City Recorder

