

RESOLUTION NO. 6262

A RESOLUTION TO APPLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2013 STATE HOMELAND SECURITY GRANT PROGRAM THROUGH APPLICATION BY LINN COUNTY FOR FUNDING TO CONDUCT AN EARTHQUAKE EXERCISE AND PURCHASE MULTI-BAND PORTABLE RADIO EQUIPMENT FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

WHEREAS, the need has been identified to conduct an exercise of the City's Emergency Operations Plan in the form of an earthquake exercise; and

WHEREAS, the need has been identified to provide a reliable form of emergency radio communications between the Fire and Police Departments to bridge the gap until adequate funding can be secured to provide a complete upgrade of the Fire Department's radio communication system; and

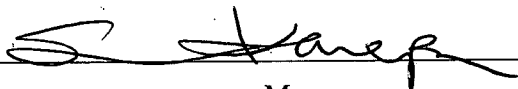
WHEREAS, the Fiscal Year 2013 State Homeland Security Grant Program funding priorities include planning and interoperable communications and support the activities for exercise related costs and interoperability communications equipment; and

WHEREAS, application for the Fiscal Year 2013 State Homeland Security Grant Program is required through the county jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, Linn County has agreed to submit an application on behalf of the City of Albany for the Fiscal Year 2013 State Homeland Security Grant Program for funding to conduct an earthquake exercise and purchase multi-band portable radio equipment for the Fire Department.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Albany City Council authorizes application for the Fiscal Year 2013 State Homeland Security Grant Program in the amount of \$146,570 to conduct an earthquake exercise and purchase multi-band portable radio equipment for the Fire Department.

DATED AND EFFECTIVE THIS 14TH DAY OF AUGUST 2013.



Mayor

ATTEST:



City Clerk

