



RESOLUTION NO. 7284

A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE FISCAL YEAR 2023-24 STATE HAZARDOUS MATERIALS EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS GRANT ON BEHALF OF THE MID-VALLEY LOCAL EMERGENCY PLANNING COMMITTEE FOR HAZARDOUS MATERIALS RESPONSE EXERCISES AND A HAZARDOUS MATERIALS TECHNICIAN TRAINING

WHEREAS, the Office of the State Fire Marshal (OSFM) administers the Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness (HMEP) grant program funded by the U.S. Department of Transportation; and

WHEREAS, the HMEP grant program is available to Oregon local emergency planning committees (LEPC) for the purpose of increasing effectiveness in safely and efficiently handling hazardous materials incidents; and

WHEREAS, the state requires that a city or fire service agency be the pass-through for receipt and distribution of grant funds on behalf of the LEPCs; and

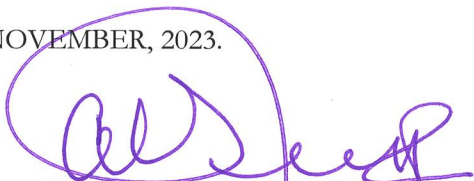
WHEREAS, the Mid-Valley LEPC has identified the need to conduct functional and full-scale exercises for the benefit of Linn and Benton County emergency responders, the Oregon Region 5 HazMat team, and the community; and

WHEREAS, the Mid-Valley LEPC has identified the need to train its Hazardous Materials Technicians; and

WHEREAS, the FY 2023-24 HMEP grant program supports hazardous materials training and exercises as identified by the Mid-Valley LEPC.


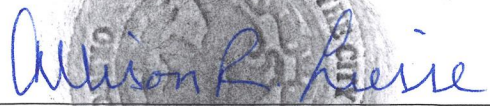
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Albany City Council that the Albany Fire Department is authorized to accept the FY 2023-24 Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness grant in the amount of \$117,720 on behalf of the Mid-Valley Local Emergency Planning Committee for hazardous materials training and exercise and emergency response plan update.

DATED AND EFFECTIVE THIS 29TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 2023.



Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk