



RESOLUTION NO. 7353

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE POLICE DEPARTMENT TO APPLY FOR GRANT FUNDS TO HIRE A DUII POLICE OFFICER THROUGH THE OREGON DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION – TRANSPORTATION SAFETY OFFICE (TSO) GRANT.

WHEREAS, the Oregon Department of Transportation – TSO Grant provides funding for traffic safety-related programs; and

WHEREAS, this grant will allow the Police Department to add a specific DUII Police Officer position to the traffic team; and

WHEREAS, removing impaired drivers from the road will result in fewer serious injury and fatal crashes in the community; and


WHEREAS, Albany police officers have made 682 DUII-related arrests and responded to 175 DUII-related vehicle crashes since 2020; and

WHEREAS, the grant will fund 100 percent of eligible expenses in the first year, 75 percent of eligible expenses in the second year, and 50 percent eligible expenses in the third year; and

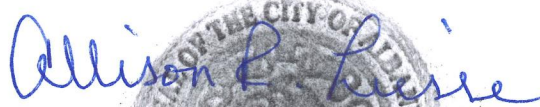
WHEREAS, the Program requires a 25 percent City match and continued funding for a period of 12 months after the grant period ends.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Albany City Council authorizes the Police Department to apply for the funding of one DUII police officer position from the Oregon Department of Transportation – TSO grant program.

DATED AND EFFECTIVE THIS 7TH DAY OF AUGUST 2024.

  
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Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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City Clerk

