

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING APPLICATION FOR A GRANT FOR THE ALBANY ARTS COMMISSION FROM THE U.S. WEST FOUNDATION

WHEREAS, in December 1995 Mayor Chuck McLaran appointed a City Hall Arts Task Force that developed a master plan for public art in City Hall; and

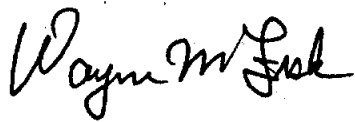
WHEREAS, the City Council adopted this master plan at its January 22, 1997, meeting and created the Albany Arts Commission; and

WHEREAS, the success of the Albany Arts Commission is dependent on their ability to reach out to other organizations to raise funds for the purchase of art for City Hall and to create a communitywide plan for public art; and

WHEREAS, the passage of Ballot Measure 47 means funds for City Hall art and for other public art projects will have to be raised through grants, foundations, and private giving because City funds will not be available to purchase art.


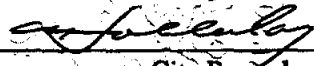
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Albany City Council that it authorizes the City of Albany to apply for a grant for \$5,500 from the U.S. West Foundation to be used for outreach on City Hall art and for the creation of a public art strategy for the community.

DATED THIS 26TH DAY OF FEBRUARY 1997.



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~~Mayor~~  
Council President

ATTEST:

  
  
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City Recorder