## RESOLUTION NO. 5421

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ALBANY PUBLIC LIBRARY TO ACCEPT A LITERACY FOR YOUNG CHILDREN GRANT THROUGH THE JOHN AND BETTY GRAY EARLY CHILDHOOD FUND OF THE OREGON COMMUNITY FOUNDATION.

WHEREAS, the John and Betty Gray Early Childhood Fund has granted \$19,157 to the Albany Public Library for its Early Literacy Initiative "Raising a Reader" and

WHEREAS, one of the core values of the Library is to promote early childhood literacy; and

WHEREAS, literacy and book sharing among families is critical to education; and

WHEREAS, collaboration with community agencies providing services to children will be furthered by the terms of this Grant.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Albany City Council hereby adopts by resolution the authorization of the Albany Public Library to accept the Literacy for Young Children Grant through the John and Betty Gray Early Childhood Fund.

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DATED AND EFFECTIVE THIS 25TH DAY OF APRIL 2007.

ATTEST: