RESOLUTION NO. 5773

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF APPLYING FOR FEDERAL STIMULUS PACKAGE (RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009) FOR BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT (JAG) FUNDS UNDER FEDERAL APPLICATON NUMBER 2009-F8597-OR-SB.

WHEREAS, the recent Federal Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 makes funds available through the Federal Stimulus Package for Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) programs; and

WHEREAS, the City of Albany Police Department was invited to apply for their portion (\$30,000) of the formula-based regional allocation (\$120,600); and

WHEREAS, the JAG grant will fund improvements to the City of Albany police radio and communications system; and

WHEREAS, grant acceptance will require no local matching funds; and

WHEREAS, Oregon Local Budget Law provides that expenditures in the year of receipt of grants, gifts, bequests, or devices transferred to the local government in trust for a specific purpose may be made after enactment of a resolution or ordinance authorizing the expenditure (ORS 294.326(3)).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Albany City Council does hereby state that improving police radiocommunication coverage is a priority for officer and community safety; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Albany City Council authorizes the Albany Police Department to apply for Federal Stimulus Package (Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009) Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) funds, under Federal Application Number 2009-F8597-OR-SB.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the \$30,000 will be appropriated in the Fiscal Year 2009-2010 budget.

DATED AND EFFECTIVE THIS 13TH DAY OF MAY 2009.

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