



ALBANY CITY COUNCIL
SUPPLEMENTAL AGENDA

July 26, 2023

6:00 p.m.

Council Chambers, City Hall
333 Broadalbin Street SW

Please note supplemental agenda item for this meeting:

1. New item – added to consent agenda as item 7 d. 2)

Application for Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant – [Rick Barnett]
(*Memo and Resolution attached*)



MEMO

TO: Albany City Council

VIA: Peter Troedsson, City Manager

FROM: Rick Barnett, Parks and Facilities Maintenance Manager

DATE: July 24, 2023, for the July 26, 2023 City Council Meeting

SUBJECT: Application for Fiscal Year 2023-2024 Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant
Relates to Strategic Plan theme: Great Neighborhoods

Action Requested:

City Council approval by motion to apply for the Fiscal Year (FY) 2023-24 Energy Efficiency & Conservation Block Grant for lighting efficiency upgrades at the Main Library and additional city buildings.

Discussion:

Parks and Facilities Maintenance would like to apply for a federal equipment rebate which would generate significant energy savings for the City. The equipment rebates will be used in retrofitting the Main Library and additional city buildings with energy-efficient LED lighting.

Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant funds are available through an equipment rebate process for efficiency upgrades and improvements. The Department of Energy will reimburse up to \$117,460 of eligible energy-efficient equipment costs. Parks and Facilities Maintenance is applying for a grant to purchase new energy-efficient lighting equipment.

Budget Impact:

There is no anticipated cost to the City for the equipment.

RB:eas



RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION APPROVING APPLICATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2023-24 ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND CONSERVATION BLOCK GRANT NOT TO EXCEED \$117,460 ON BEHALF OF PARKS AND FACILITIES MAINTENANCE FOR ENERGY EFFICIENT LED LIGHTING UPGRADES FOR THE MAIN LIBRARY AND ADDITIONAL CITY BUILDINGS.

WHEREAS, the Parks and Facilities Department has identified energy and cost savings for the city through the installation of energy-efficient LED lighting at the Main Library and additional city buildings within

WHEREAS, the Department of Energy, through the Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant Program, is providing equipment rebates for eligible energy-efficiency upgrades; and

WHEREAS, the Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant project and budget period is two years; and

WHEREAS, the application period for this grant closes January 31, 2024.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Albany City Council authorizes the Parks and Facilities Maintenance Department is approved to apply for the FY 2023-24 Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant in an amount not to exceed \$117,460 for energy efficient LED lighting upgrades.

DATED AND EFFECTIVE THIS 26TH DAY OF JULY 2023.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk