

RESOLUTION NO: 2010-16

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILLCOX, COCHISE COUNTY, ARIZONA (“CITY”), RATIFYING, APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF A FUNDING REQUEST TO THE OFFICE OF CONGRESSWOMAN GABRIELLE GIFFORDS FOR FY 2010-2011 FEDERAL APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE PURCHASE OF A QUINT FIRE TRUCK, RATIFYING THE SUBMITTAL BY CITY STAFF AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY TO EXIST.

WHEREAS, the **CITY** is empowered pursuant to A.R.S. § 9-240 (A) and (B) to control the finances and property of the corporation; and

WHEREAS, the **CITY** is authorized pursuant to A.R.S. ' 9-240, et seq. to provide regulations for the prevention and extinguishment of fires, for the preservation of public health, and protection of the environment; and

WHEREAS, the **CITY** is vested with all powers of incorporated towns as set forth in title 9 or other provisions of law relating to cities and towns pursuant to A.R.S. ' 9-499.01, et seq.; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Congresswoman Gabrielle Giffords requested FY 2010-2011 federal appropriations funding requests for projects in Southern Arizona that will be available pursuant to requests by local public agencies; and

WHEREAS, on February 19, 2010, the **CITY** submitted a request for funding in the amount of \$989,960 to be used to purchase a Quint Fire Truck for the Willcox Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the City of Willcox have determined that it is in the best interest of the City, the Fire Department and its citizens to ratify, approve and authorize the submittal of a funding request as described herein; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council desire to have this item presented on March 1, 2010 at the Council Meeting; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary for the preservation of the peace, health, and safety of the City of Willcox, Cochise County, Arizona, that an emergency be declared to exist to assure timely ratification, approval and authorization of said submittal, and that this Resolution be effective immediately upon its passage and adoption.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Willcox, Cochise County, Arizona, that the City hereby formally ratifies, approves and authorizes the submittal of the funding request as presented; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council that, due to an existing emergency declared herein, the immediate effectiveness of this Resolution is necessary to preserve the peace, health, and safety of the City of Willcox, Cochise County, Arizona, and this Resolution shall therefore be effective upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Willcox, Cochise County, Arizona this 1st day of March 2010.

APPROVED/EXECUTED:

/S/ GERALD W. LINDSEY
MAYOR, GERALD W. LINDSEY
Signed: March 3, 2010

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

/s/ Cristina G. Whelan, CMC
City Clerk, Cristina G. Whelan, CMC

/s/ Hector M. Figueroa
City Attorney, Hector M. Figueroa

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