

**RESOLUTION NO. 74909**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN JOSE AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER AND FIRE CHIEF TO EXECUTE AND SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY UNDER THE 2009 ASSISTANCE TO FIREFIGHTERS GRANT PROGRAM, FOR A GRANT FOR THE PURCHASE OF SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$2,714,980**

**WHEREAS**, the Federal Emergency Management Agency ("FEMA") operates the 2009 Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program ("Program"), which provides grants to firefighters and other first responders in order to obtain critically needed equipment; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of San José ("City") desires to apply for grant funding to FEMA under this Program to purchase updated self-contained breathing apparatus for the firefighters, an integral part of firefighter safety gear, in an amount not to exceed \$2,714,980; and

**WHEREAS**, if the grant is awarded, the City will be required to provide a match equaling a 20% funding match, in a total amount not to exceed \$678,745;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN JOSE THAT:

The City Manager and Fire Chief are authorized to execute and submit an application to the Federal Emergency Management Agency under the 2009 Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program for a grant for self-contained breathing apparatus, training, and other equipment for the firefighters, in an amount not to exceed \$2,714,980.

ADOPTED this 19<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2009, by the following vote:

AYES: CHU, CONSTANT, KALRA, LICCARDO, NGUYEN,  
OLIVERIO, PYLE, REED.

NOES: NONE.

ABSENT: CAMPOS, CHIRCO, HERRERA.

DISQUALIFIED: NONE.

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CHUCK REED  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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LEE PRICE, MMC  
City Clerk