
WHEREAS, the State of California has appropriated monies for the California Volunteers program for innovate citizen preparedness programs; and

WHEREAS, the State Controller is required to allocate the California Volunteers funds to each agency that is awarded the grant; and

WHEREAS, under this allocation, the City of Richmond is entitled to the amount of up to $100,000.00 specifically to address enhancing the vulnerable needs population emergency preparedness; and

WHEREAS, the State of California requires that the City Council hold a public meeting to consider the Fire Chief’s request for funding; and

WHEREAS, the Richmond Fire Chief has submitted to the City Council a request that the funds, which the City will receive under the allocation, be used for developing a needs assessment of our most vulnerable populations, and then develop resources and training to improve their emergency preparedness efforts.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Richmond that:

1. The City of Richmond shall accept the allocation of $100,000.00 from the California Volunteers Grant.
2. The funds which the City will receive are hereby appropriated Fire Department, Fire Prevention account number 2311-10110.
3. That the Fire Department Emergency Services Manager is authorized to execute the application.
4. The Finance Director of the City of Richmond shall submit the necessary reports and summaries which are required by state law.
I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution of the Council of the City of Richmond was duly passed and adopted at a meeting thereof held April 3, 2007, by the following vote:

AYES:        Councilmembers Bates, Butt, Lopez, Marquez, Rogers, Sandhu, Thurmond, Viramontes, and Mayor McLaughlin

NOES:        None

ABSENT:      None

ABSTENTION:  None

DIANE HOLMES
Clerk of the City of Richmond
(SEAL)

Approved:

GAYLE McLAUGHLIN
Mayor

Approved as to form:

LOUISE RENNE
City Attorney

State of California   }
County of Contra Costa : ss.
City of Richmond   }

I certify that the foregoing is a true copy of Resolution No. 36-07, finally passed and adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond at a meeting held on April 3, 2007.