## RESOLUTION NO. 6094

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING LINN COUNTY TO APPLY FOR \$33,000 THROUGH THE FISCAL YEAR 2011 PART 2 STATE HOMELAND SECURITY GRANT PROGRAM ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF ALBANY FOR A FULL-SCALE EARTHQUAKE EXERCISE.

WHEREAS, the City of Albany has an Emergency Operations Plan to provide guidance in response to a natural disaster or major emergency; and

WHEREAS, the City of Albany staffs an Emergency Coordination Center in the event of a natural disaster or major emergency to carry out the City's Emergency Operations Plan; and

WHEREAS, it is important to evaluate and maintain the City's Emergency Operations Plan and exercise the members of the Emergency Coordination Center to ensure they understand their roles and are prepared in the event of an actual natural disaster or major emergency; and

WHEREAS, the Fiscal Year 2011 Part 2 State Homeland Security Grant authorizes funding for full-scale natural disaster exercises; and

WHEREAS, the application for this grant must be submitted by the county or tribal jurisdiction on behalf of the sub-applicant; and

WHEREAS, Linn County submitted an application on behalf of the City of Albany for a full-scale earthquake exercise in the amount of \$33,000 before the March 9, 2012, application deadline.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Albany City Council authorizes Linn County to apply for the Fiscal Year 2011 Part 2 State Homeland Security Grant on behalf of the City of Albany for \$33,000 for a full-scale earthquake exercise and secondary exercises associated with the full-scale exercise.

DATED AND EFFECTIVE THIS 14TH DAY OF MARCH 2012.

ATTEST:

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