

**CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION, COLORADO
RESOLUTION NO. 41-14**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SUBMIT A GRANT
REQUEST TO THE COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL AFFAIRS' (DOLA)
ALTERNATIVE FUELS FUNDING PROGRAM TO PURCHASE CNG FLEET
VEHICLES**

RECITALS.

The Colorado Department of Local Affairs recently launched the Alternative Fuels Colorado grant program in partnership with the Colorado Energy Office and Colorado Department of Transportation. The \$20 million grant program was created to support use of more locally produced fuel products in Colorado's energy portfolio by diversifying fuel sources and fueling options for Coloradans. Grand Junction's leadership and success in launching a CNG program was the inspiration for DOLA's involvement in the development of this program.

The City currently has 24 CNG fleet vehicles and has identified 10 vehicles in the proposed 2015 fleet replacement plan that could be upgraded to CNG. The Alternative Fuels grant program will fund the incremental upgrade cost, with the base cost of the replacement vehicle as the match. The total estimated base cost of the vehicles is \$780,195 and the total CNG add-on increment is \$352,000.

Project Expenses	Grant Request	City Match	Total Project
4 Dump Trucks	240,000	505,320	745,320
Flat Bed Boom Truck	60,000	147,450	207,450
2 Pick Up Trucks	28,000	49,375	77,375
Long Bed Pick Up	14,000	30,800	44,800
2 Impalas	10,000	47,250	57,250
Total	\$352,000	\$780,195	\$1,132,195

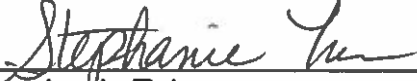
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the City Council of the City of Grand Junction does hereby authorize the City Manager to submit a \$352,000 grant request, with a local match of \$780,195, in accordance with and pursuant to the recitals stated above to the Department of Local Affairs' Alternative Fuels Funding Program to purchase CNG fleet vehicles.

Adopted and approved this 19th day of November, 2014.



Phyllis Morris
President of the Council

ATTEST:



Stephanie Tuin
City Clerk

