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Ordinance No. _____

Council Bill No. B 9-13

AN ORDINANCE

appropriating Share the Light Program funds to the Fire Department for the purchase of smoke alarms and carbon monoxide alarms to be distributed to low income homeowners; and fixing the time when this ordinance shall become effective.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COLUMBIA, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The sum of \$2,000.00 is hereby appropriated from the Share the Light Utility Charges Fire Prevention Account No. 753-8500-480.50-45 DFPREV to the Fire Department Public Education, Instruments & Apparatus Account No. 110-2341-513.14-70 for the purchase of smoke alarms and carbon monoxide alarms to be distributed to low income homeowners.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED this _____ day of _____, 2013.

ATTEST:

City Clerk

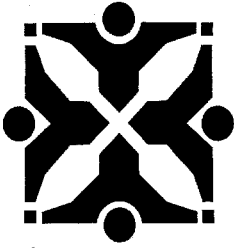
Mayor and Presiding Officer

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Counselor

CERTIFICATION: I certify there are sufficient funds available in the Share the Light Utility Charges Fire Prevention Account No. 753-8500-480.50-45 DFPREV to cover the above appropriation.

Director of Finance



Source: City Manager

Agenda Item No:

To: City Council

From: City Manager and Staff

Council Meeting Date: Jan 7, 2013

Re: Share the Light Appropriation

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

In August 2001, the Share the Light program began as a way for residents to contribute to City of Columbia projects through their utility bill on a one-time or monthly basis. As of November 30, 2012, more than \$182,800 has been raised for six areas of city programming. Staff is requesting appropriation of funds for use by the Columbia Fire Department.

DISCUSSION:

The Share the Light program allows Columbia residents to contribute to one or more of six areas of city programming that extend beyond basic services. The six areas are community arts programming, community beautification, youth recreation scholarships, public health, fire prevention and education and crime prevention. Since Share the Light started, \$154,000 has been appropriated (including this request) throughout all six program components.

Staff is asking that funds be appropriated to the following program:

Fire Prevention: The Columbia Fire Department is requesting an appropriation of \$2,000 for the purchase of smoke alarms and carbon monoxide alarms. The smoke alarms and carbon monoxide alarms will be distributed by CFD staff to low income residents in need of an alarm.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Share the Light funds are donated by the public. Through these funds, departments are able to provide services and programs that may otherwise not be offered.

VISION IMPACT:

<http://www.gocolumbiamo.com/Council/Meetings/visionimpact.php>

Funds used for Fire Prevention & Education support the Health, Social Services & Affordable Housing Vision Statement 11: Columbia is a supportive, compassionate, healthy community with high quality social services; a first-rate health care system and safe, quality affordable housing that are accessible to all.

SUGGESTED COUNCIL ACTIONS:

Approval of this ordinance and appropriation of funds

FISCAL and VISION NOTES:

City Fiscal Impact Enter all that apply		Program Impact		Mandates	
City's current net FY cost	0	New Program/Agency?	No	Federal or State mandated?	No
Amount of funds already appropriated	0	Duplicates/Epands an existing program?	Yes	Vision Implementation impact	
Amount of budget amendment needed	0	Fiscal Impact on any local political subdivision?	No	Enter all that apply: Refer to Web site	
Estimated 2 year net costs:		Resources Required		Vision Impact?	Yes
One Time	\$2000.00	Requires add'l FTE Personnel?	No	Primary Vision, Strategy and/or Goal Item #	11
Operating/Ongoing	0	Requires add'l facilities?	No	Secondary Vision, Strategy and/or Goal Item #	
		Requires add'l capital equipment?	No	Fiscal year implementation Task #	