RESOLUTION NO. 2614

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY, MARYLAND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE'S BUREAU OF JUSTICE ASSISTANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF EXPENDING GRANT FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$27,871.

WHEREAS, the City of Salisbury applied for funds through the Department of Justice's Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Justice has awarded the City of Salisbury funds in the amount of \$27,871; and

WHEREAS, these funds are to be used to purchase asset management software, upgrade its video recording camera system, and various computer-related purchases; and

WHEREAS, the City of Salisbury must enter into a grant agreement with Department of Justice, defining how these funds must be expended; and

WHEREAS, § 7-29 of the Salisbury City Charter forbids the Mayor from entering into an contract that requires an expenditure not authorized by the City Council;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Council of the City of Salisbury, Maryland does hereby authorize Mayor Jacob R. Day to enter into a grant agreement with Department of Justice and expend the awarded funds accordingly.

THE ABOVE RESOLUTION was introduced and duly passed at a meeting of the Council of the City of Salisbury, Maryland held on March 28, 2016, and is to become effective immediately.

ATTEST:

Kimberly R. Nichols

CITY CLERK

John R. Heath

CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT

APPROVED BY ME this 30 day of MARCA, 2016.

Jacob R. Day

MAYOR

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OFFICE	MEMO

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

To:

Tom Stevenson

From:

Theo Williams

Subject:

Resolution to Expend FFY15 Justice Assistance Grant Funds

Date:

March 8, 2016

The Salisbury Police Department annually applies for and receives grant funding through the Dept. of Justice's Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG). These funds are used for SPD's various technological needs. This year, we received \$27,871, an 18% decrease in funding from the previous year, as a result of a drop in our crime numbers. These funds will be used by SPD in order to:

- Purchase asset management software for SPD's Procurement Division and Quartermaster's
 Office
- Large monitoring screens & camera controllers for SPD's upgraded video recording system
- Replacing and upgrading old & obsolete computer, computer accessory, and software If you have any other further questions, please let me know.