

RESOLUTION NO. 1503

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SALISBURY, MARYLAND ACCEPTING A FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTION FROM SALISBURY UNIVERSITY TO BE USED FOR THE PURCHASE OF A NEW AERIAL LADDER TRUCK FOR THE SALISBURY FIRE DEPARTMENT.

WHEREAS, the Fire Department desires to purchase a new aerial ladder truck enabling the enhancement of safety for its personnel and to continue to provide efficient and effective emergency services for the residents of the City and the Salisbury Fire District; and

WHEREAS, the City of Salisbury currently maintains a successful partnership with the State of Maryland and Salisbury University regarding the delivery of public safety services within the City and the Salisbury Fire District; and

WHEREAS, other municipalities within the State of Maryland have partnered with state agencies and have received financial contributions toward specific public safety projects; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Salisbury has requested a financial contribution from Salisbury University to be used for the purchase of a new aerial ladder truck for the Salisbury Fire Department; and,

WHEREAS, Salisbury University has agreed to provide a total sum of two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000) payable to the City in five (5) annual installments of forty thousand (\$40,000) dollars beginning when the apparatus is placed in service; and,

WHEREAS, both the Mayor and the Fire Chief have recommended that the City accept these funds; and,

WHEREAS, City policy requires that financial contributions can only be accepted with the approval of City Council,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Salisbury accepts these funds and expresses its sincere appreciation to the State of Maryland and Salisbury University for its financial contribution to the City's efforts for the provision of efficient and effective fire and emergency medical services to the citizens of the City and the Salisbury Fire District.

THE ABOVE RESOLUTION was introduced and duly passed at a meeting of the Council of the City of Salisbury, Maryland held on Monday, March 26, 2007, and is to become effective immediately upon adoption.

ATTEST:

Brenda J. Colegrove,
CITY CLERK

Michael P. Dunn
PRESIDENT, CITY COUNCIL

APPROVED BY ME THIS

_____ day of _____, 2007

Barrie P. Tilghman,
MAYOR, CITY OF SALISBURY