

# CITY of ALBUQUERQUE TWENTIETH COUNCIL

**COUNCIL BILL NO.** R-13-213 **ENACTMENT NO.**

**SPONSORED BY:** Isaac Benton

1 **RESOLUTION**

**2 APPROPRIATING FY/14 GENERAL FUNDS TO THE FIRE DEPARTMENT TO  
3 ESTABLISH A RESCUE UNIT AT FIRE STATION 2.**

4 WHEREAS, a transport capable rescue company is operated by paramedics  
5 and contains equipment that is available for advanced life saving procedures;  
6 and

7       **WHEREAS, construction of Fire Station 2 was completed in December**  
8   **2012; and**

9        WHEREAS, the new Fire Station 2 currently does not have a rescue  
10      company but has the space to accommodate an advanced life support rescue  
11      company; and

12        WHEREAS, an advanced life support rescue company at Station 2 will  
13    reduce rescue response time for residents living in the Station 2 service area;  
14    and

15 WHEREAS, an advanced life support rescue company at Station 2 will  
16 directly reduce response times for Rescues 1 and 3; and

17        WHEREAS, an advanced life support rescue company at Station 2 will also  
18    reduce response times for Rescues 7, 11 and 13, which serve as back-up for  
19    Rescues 1 and 3.

20 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL, THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF  
21 ALBUQUERQUE:

22       **Section 1. The following amount is hereby appropriated for Fiscal Year**  
23       **2014 from available fund balance:**

**24 GENERAL FUND – 110**

25 Albuquerque Fire Department

1 Emergency Response \$400,000

2        This amount (\$400,000) is for staffing and operating expenses for an  
3        advanced life support rescue company at Fire Station 2 commencing January  
4        1, 2014.

5       Section 2. \$269,000 of the balance remaining in activity 7500030, which  
6    consists of photo enforcement funding allocated for the construction of Fire  
7    Station 2, is hereby designated to purchase a rescue vehicle for an advance  
8    life support company located at Fire Station 2.

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