

RESOLUTION NUMBER 08-063

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KETCHUM, IDAHO AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES FROM THE POLICE TRUST FUND IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$40,000 TO ACQUIRE AND INSTALL A NOAA RADIO TRANSMITTER SYSTEM.

WHEREAS, due to the Castle Rock Fire in August, 2007, there is a heightened potential for flash flooding, mud slides and debris blockages on Warm Springs Creek; and

WHEREAS, the Ketchum Police Department shares the primary responsibility to protect the health, safety and welfare of all people in the City of Ketchum and to provide for notification, mobilization and response in the event of an emergency; and

WHEREAS, the purchase and installation of a NOAA radio transmitter system would substantially enhance the Ketchum Police Department's ability to provide an early warning of such dangers; and


WHEREAS, the Police Trust Account requires City Council authorization and the consent of the Chief of Police in order to legally expend funds, and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police is recommending the City Council approve the expenditures from the Police Trust Fund in an amount not to exceed \$40,000 to acquire and install a NOAA radio transmitter system to provide early warnings of threats to the public health, safety and welfare from mudslides, flash flooding, river blockages and other weather-related threats.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Ketchum City Council approve the expenditures from the Police Trust Fund in an amount not to exceed \$40,000 to acquire and install a NOAA radio transmitter system.

This Resolution will be in full force and effect upon its adoption this 5th day of May, 2008.

CITY OF KETCHUM, IDAHO



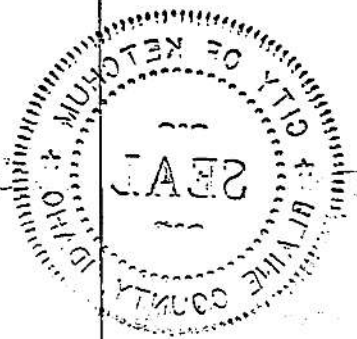
Randy Hall, Mayor

ATTEST:




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APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND CONTENT:



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