Resolution authorizing a hazardous materials contract between the City of La Crosse Fire Department and Dairyland Power Cooperative.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the City of La Crosse Fire Department and Dairyland Power Cooperative (DPC) have a history of collaborative training to strengthen safety and hazardous materials (hazmat) response; and

WHEREAS, the contract will be jointly signed by both parties, who serve as the primary response partners to any hazmat incident at the DPC Independent Spent Fuel Storage Installation (ISFSI); and

WHEREAS, both agencies will mutually benefit from dedicated training that supports DPC ISFSI Emergency Plan practices, facility familiarization, and unique hazard identification; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Chief and Dairyland Power Cooperative leadership fully support cooperative training through public-private partnership to enhance emergency preparedness;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of La Crosse that the Mayor and City Clerk are authorized to sign the Hazmat Contract between the La Crosse Fire Department and Dairyland Power Cooperative; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that City staff and the Fire Department are authorized to take all necessary actions to implement and carry out the provisions of this resolution.