

ORDINANCE NO. 14894

FILE OF CITY COUNCIL

BILL NO. 35 - 2011

MAY 4, 2011

AN ORDINANCE

Amending the 2011 General Fund Budget to provide for a supplemental appropriation of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000) from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Department of Community and Economic Development toward the planning of the City Semiquincentennial Celebration.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ALLENTOWN:

SECTION ONE: That City Council authorizes an increase to the unappropriated balance of the General Fund in the amount of Fifty Thousand (\$50,000) Dollars.

SECTION TWO: That City Council authorizes a supplemental appropriation from the unappropriated balance to the General Fund in the following manner:

**Department of Community and Economic Development
Office of Economic Development:**

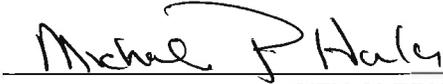
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SECTION THREE: That this Ordinance will take effect ten (10) days after final passage.

SECTION FOUR: That all Ordinances inconsistent with the above provisions are repealed to the extent of their inconsistency.

	Yea	Nay
W. Michael Donovan	X	
Jeanette Eichenwald	X	
Julio A. Guridy	X	
Ray O'Connell	X	
Michael Schlossberg	X	
Peter G. Schweyer, Vice President	X	
Michael D'Amore, President	X	
TOTAL	7	0

I hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was passed by City Council on May 18th and signed by the Mayor on May 20th, 2011.



 CITY CLERK

- **What Department or bureau is Bill originating from? Where did the initiative for the bill originate?**

Community and Economic Development

- **Summary and Facts of the Bill**

Contract between the City of Allentown & Commonwealth of PA, Community & Economic Development for \$50,00 to hire a firm for the Semiquincentennial Celebration.

- **Purpose – Please include the following in your explanation:**
 - **What does the Bill do – what are the specific goals/tasks the bill seek to accomplish**
 - **What are the Benefits of doing this/Down-side of doing this**
 - **How does this Bill related to the City’s Vision/Mission/Priorities**

This grant money will enable the City to hire a firm to facilitate, develop and implement a plan for marketing, events and other programs for a successful Semiquincentennial Celebration.

- **Financial Impact – Please include the following in your explanation:**
 - **Cost (Initial and ongoing)**
 - **Benefits (initial and ongoing)**

No additional cost to the City and will provide for an enhanced celebration.

- **Funding Sources – Please include the following in your explanation:**
 - **If transferring funds, please make sure bill gives specific accounts; if appropriating funds from a grant list the agency awarding the grant.**

Grant from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

- **Priority status/Deadlines, if any**

- **Why should Council unanimously support this bill?**

This will enhance the Semiquincentennial Celebration.