

BILL NO. 87-162

RESOLUTION NO. 282

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING A POLICY ON PURCHASE  
OF AMERICAN PRODUCTS

WHEREAS, the Missouri General Assembly has adopted Senate Bill 74 that requires municipalities to purchase goods manufactured, assembled or produced in the United States unless the purchase of American goods would increase the cost by more than 10%; and

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 74 provides an exemption for any municipality in which the chief executive certifies in writing that the municipality has adopted a formal written policy to encourage the purchase of products manufactured, assembled or produced in the United States:


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, wishes to be exempt from the provisions of Senate Bill 74 by adopting the following policy on the purchase of American goods:

1. The municipal purchasing officers are encouraged to select products manufactured, assembled or produced in the United States if the quality and price are comparable with other goods.

2. Every contract for public works construction or maintenance shall contain a provision requesting the contractor to use American products in the performance of the contract whenever the quality and price are comparable with other goods.

3. The City Council of the City of Cape Girardeau, Missouri, encourages the people of the community to purchase products manufactured, assembled or produced in the United States whenever the quality and price are comparable with other goods.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 21st DAY OF September, 1987.

  
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Francis E. Rhodes, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Alvin M. Stoverink, City Clerk