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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: November 10, 2020

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Trisha Tillotson, Director of Public Works

SUBJECT: Resolution Accepting the State of California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) for Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act Phase I Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Section 5311 (49 U.S.C. Section 5311) Grant Funds in the Amount of \$525,997 for a Contract Period of January 20, 2020 through June 30, 2022

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the attached Resolution

FUNDING: The grant will be funded by Federal Transit Administration, Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act Phase I Section 5311 Program funds and will impact the Transit Services Division Fiscal Years 2020/21 and 2021/22 budgets. There is no budget amendment needed at this time and no impact to the General Fund.

BACKGROUND:

Congress passed the Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act (CARES Act) to provide support for capital, operating, and other expenses generally eligible under the FTA Section 5311 program to prevent, prepare for, and respond to COVID-19. This including operating expenses to maintain transit services as well as paying for administrative leave for transit personnel due to reduced operations during an emergency.

Federal Transit Administration, Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act Phase I Section 5311 Program funds are distributed by formula to counties for the purpose of supporting rural transit services. Nevada County's share of Fiscal Year 2019/20 (2020) funds is \$525,997 with a contract period of January 20, 2020 through June 30, 2022.

Item Initiated by: Robin Van Valkenburgh, Transit Services Manager

Approved by: Trisha Tillotson, Director of Public Works

Submittal Date: October 29, 2020

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