

**MEMORANDUM**  
**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**  
**County of Placer**

TO: BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
FROM: KEN GREHM / PETER KRAATZ

DATE: September 10, 2013

**SUBJECT: SQUAW VALLEY ROAD BUS SHELTER AT HIGHWAY 89, CONTRACT NO. 1165**

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**ACTION REQUESTED / RECOMMENDATION**

1. Approve the project plans and specifications and authorize the Chair to sign the cover sheet.
2. Adopt a Resolution authorizing the Department of Public Works to award a construction contract not to exceed \$65,000 for the Squaw Valley Road Bus Shelter at Highway 89 following the advertising period for bidding the project. There is no net County cost.
3. Authorize the Director of Public Works to execute the contract, with County Counsel and Risk Management review and approval, on behalf of the Board and to approve and sign contract change orders, if necessary, up to 10 percent of the contract amount.

**BACKGROUND / SUMMARY**

The Squaw Valley Road Public Bus Shelter at Highway 89 is located in Placer County on the northwest quadrant of the intersection of Squaw Valley Road and Highway 89. The shelter is owned and operated by the Department of Public Works under the Tahoe Area Regional Transit (TART) program.

The existing bus stop is a dilapidated shed on an unimproved area near the shoulder of Squaw Valley Road. This shelter is one of the first structures seen when entering onto Squaw Valley Road. This shelter will provide transit riders to and from the Squaw Valley area an improved area to wait for the bus. Included in this project are also ramps, sidewalks, bus turn out, and drainage improvements.

Replacement of the existing shelter has risen to a top priority of TART bus stops to be upgraded based on significant ridership, identification by the North Lake Tahoe Resort Association (NLTRA) as a key shelter location to be replaced, and the high desire by Squaw Valley Ski Corporation (Squaw) to enhance the entryway aesthetics on Squaw Valley Road. The shelter represents the beginning of other planned public improvements in Squaw Valley as documented in the NLTRA's project planning documents.

**ENVIRONMENTAL**

This project is categorically exempt from the provisions of CEQA under the following sections: Section 15301, Existing Facilities, Class 1; Section 15303, New Construction or Conversion of Small Structures Class 3.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

The total project cost is estimated to be \$72,000 with construction costs estimated at \$65,000. The project is funded through a combination of sources stemming from the North Lake Tahoe Resort Association (Placer County transient occupancy tax), County traffic impact fees and Squaw Valley Ski Corporation (private). Funding for the construction of this project is included in the 2013-14 FY Budget.

Attachment:  
Resolution  
Location Map

Plans and specifications are on file with the Clerk of the Board's Office.

**Before the Board of Supervisors  
County of Placer, State of California**

In the matter of: A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS TO EXECUTE CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT NO. 1165 FOR THE SQUAW VALLEY ROAD BUS SHELTER AT HIGHWAY 89 AND AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS TO APPROVE AND SIGN CHANGE ORDERS.

Resol. No. \_\_\_\_\_

The following Resolution was duly passed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer at a regular meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_ by the following vote on roll call:

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Signed and approved by me after its passage.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chair, Board of Supervisors

Attest:  
Clerk of said Board

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**BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED** by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer, State of California, that this Board approves and authorizes the Director of Public Works to execute Construction Contract No. 1165, not to exceed \$65,000, with County Counsel's and Risk Management's review and approval, for the construction of the Squaw Valley Road Bus Shelter at Highway 89, with no net County cost; and authorizes the Director of Public Works to approve and sign change orders up to 10 percent of the contract amount.

# TART BUS SHELTER SQUAW VALLEY ROAD at HIGHWAY 89 CONTRACT # 1165



