

MEMORANDUM

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

County of Placer

TO: BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

DATE: August 28, 2007

FROM: KEN GREHM / RICK DONDRO ^{YLD} ^{RWD}

SUBJECT: NEVADA COUNTY TRANSIT SERVICE AGREEMENT

ACTION REQUESTED / RECOMMENDATION

Authorize the Board Chair and Public Works Director to Execute an Agreement to reimburse Nevada County for providing transit service between Auburn and Grass Valley in an amount of \$43,362.

BACKGROUND / SUMMARY

Placer County has maintained an annual contract with Nevada County to provide intercounty transit service on Gold Country Stage (GCS) Route 5 since 1993. Route 5 originates in Grass Valley and connects with Placer County Transit (PCT) at Auburn Station. This route also serves stops in the Highway 49 corridor in Placer County. This arrangement with Nevada County is found to be an effective way of providing a transit service connection with Nevada County. The route operates five round trips on weekdays and four round trips on Saturdays. The proposed agreement is to reimburse Nevada County for our share of operating this service during Fiscal Year 2006/2007.

ENVIRONMENTAL

This project is statutorily exempt from CEQA pursuant to Public Resources Code 21080(b)(10), as it is a project to provide passenger service.

FISCAL IMPACT

The payment of \$43,362 to Nevada County would cover the cost of service in Placer County. This cost is included in the budget. This contract is funded through Transportation Development Act revenues. The cost is increased 5% from the prior year.

A copy of the Agreement is on file for viewing with the Clerk of the Board.

