# MEMORANDUM

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
County of Placer

TO: BOARD OF SUPERVISORS DATE: March 20, 2007

FROM: KEN GREHM / RICK DONDRO

SUBJECT: **CITY OF COLFAX TRANSIT SERVICE AGREEMENT**

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## ACTION REQUESTED / RECOMMENDATION

Authorize the Board Chair to execute an agreement with the City of Colfax to provide transit services in an amount of $17,645.50.

## BACKGROUND / SUMMARY

Placer County provides local transit service and commuter bus service to the City of Colfax. Placer County Transit (PCT) provides two round trips daily between Alta and Auburn, with service to Colfax on Monday through Friday. The route connects with the rest of the PCT routes in Auburn. Placer Commuter Express provides two round trips each weekday between Colfax and downtown Sacramento. The average daily ridership on the PCT Auburn-Alta route is 19 and the average daily ridership on the Placer Commuter Express from Colfax is nine.

Colfax's transit service charges for Fiscal Year 2006/2007 total $17,645.50, and are comprised of the following:

- $16,634 for PCT intercity service to Colfax
- $591 for the City of Colfax share of the cost of the Auburn-Light Rail route to Watt/I-80
- $16,375 for Placer Commuter Express Service
- $1,691 for Bus Replacement Costs
- $17,645.50 is credited to Colfax for their share of Federal Transit Administration Funds

This Agreement will automatically renew each July 1. An annual adjustment to the payment amount will be made based on the budgeted costs each year.

## ENVIRONMENTAL

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

## FISCAL IMPACT

The revenue from this agreement will cover Colfax's share of the cost of PCT providing bus service to Colfax. The transit service provided under this Agreement is included in the PCT Fiscal Year 2006/2007 budget.

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

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