

MEMORANDUM

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
County of Placer

TO: BOARD OF SUPERVISORS DATE: July 8, 2008
FROM: KEN GREHM / WILL GARNER
SUBJECT: PROPOSITION 1B TRANSIT SECURITY FUNDING APPLICATION

ACTION REQUESTED / RECOMMENDATION

Adopt a Resolution authorizing Placer County to receive \$33,071 in Proposition 1B Transit Security Grant Program funds for bus stop improvements in Rocklin.

BACKGROUND / SUMMARY

Proposition 1B is a \$19.9 billion bond measure for various transportation programs which was approved by voters in November, 2006. One sub-program under the bond measure, the Transit Security Grant Program (TSGP) allocates funds for public transit safety and security projects. This program is administered through the State Office of Homeland Security. The funds are allocated locally by the Placer County Transportation Planning Agency (PCTPA)

In the first round, working with the City of Rocklin, Placer County applied for \$33,071 to make safety and security improvements to bus stops in the City of Rocklin where Placer County Transit (PCT) provides service. The TSGP funds can not be received directly by the City of Rocklin as they are required to be received by a public transit operator. Placer County will receive the funds and coordinate with the City of Rocklin on the project to improve bus stops.

Additional funding will be available in FY 2008/09 to make broader safety and security improvements to both the Placer County Transit (PCT) and Tahoe Area Regional Transit (TART) systems.

ENVIRONMENTAL

The project is statutorily exempt from CEQA pursuant to section 21080(b)(10), as it is a project to provide passenger service.

FISCAL IMPACT

This revenue will be included in the Final 2008/09 Budget. The funding will either be passed through to the City of Rocklin to make safety and security improvements to the bus stops or used directly by Placer County to make the improvements.

Attachment: Resolution
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**Before the Board of Supervisors
County of Placer, State of California**

In the matter of: A RESOLUTION APPROVING
PROPOSITION 1B TRANSIT SECURITY GRANT
PROGRAM FUNDS FOR PLACER COUNTY
PROJECTS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$33,071.

Resol. No:.....

Ord. No:.....

First Reading:.....

The following RESOLUTION was duly passed by the Board of Supervisors
of the County of Placer at a regular meeting held _____,
by the following vote on roll call:

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Signed and approved by me after its passage.

Attest:
Clerk of said Board

Chairman, Board of Supervisors

WHEREAS, California voters passed Proposition 1B in the November 2006 election which included \$3.6 Billion for transit capital needs statewide; and

WHEREAS, the Governor's Office of Homeland Security has allocated \$60 Million in Transit Security Grant Program funds in the first round for FY 2007/08 applications; and

WHEREAS, the Placer County Transportation Planning Agency (PCTPA) has allocated \$229,743 in Transit Security Grant Program funds (including \$33,071 to the City of Rocklin),

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer, State of California, that this Board approves receiving \$33,071 in Transit Security Grant Program funds for bus stop safety and security improvements in the City of Rocklin.