

RESOLUTION NO. RES-2021-224

A RESOLUTION APPROVING AN ALLOCATION OF FUNDING, AN APPLICATION FOR FUNDING, AND THE EXECUTION OF A GRANT AGREEMENT AND ANY AMENDMENTS THERETO FROM THE 2019-2020 FUNDING YEAR OF THE CDBG MITIGATION (CDBG-MIT) RESILIENT PLANNING AND PUBLIC SERVICES PROGRAM

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Santa Rosa as follows:

SECTION 1:

The City Council has reviewed and hereby approves the projects identified below and the execution of a Standard Agreement (“Agreement”) between City (“Subrecipient”) and the California Department of Housing and Community Development (“HCD”), allocating to the City the aggregate amount, not to exceed, of \$1,000,000 (“Grant”) for the following CDBG-MIT Planning and Public Services (MIT-PPS) project(s), pursuant to the January 2021 CDBG MIT-PPS Notice of Funding Availability.

MIT-PPS Project(s) and Amount(s)

The Subrecipient’s project(s) for the MIT-PPS program will not exceed \$1,000,000, identified below with project description(s) and award amount(s).

Planning Project(s)

City-Wide Storm Drain Master Plan (SDMP) \$ 500,000

Develop a City-wide Storm Drain Master Plan (SDMP) to assess field conditions by Closed Circuit TV (CCTV), data computation, development of issue ranking and project prioritization criteria, updated and additional flood risk modeling for 10 and 100 year storm events, evaluation of drainage system condition and capacity deficiencies, and preparation of the SDMP report. The field evaluation and modeling effort would be conducted on a representative portion of the City to allow for the timely completion of the SDMP. FEMA has identified several 100-year and 500-year flood zones in Santa Rosa along creeks that are prone to flood in heavy rains. Flood inundation modeling of Santa Rosa Creek and its tributaries show that large portions of Santa Rosa are at substantial risk for flooding from the 10- and 100-year storm events that would affect areas across the City.

Public Services Project(s)

Vegetation Management Education and Inspection Program \$500,000

A Public Services project that will be an expansion of education, inspection, and treatment within the City of Santa Rosa Wildland Urban

Interface (WUI) areas. Education will be provided to stakeholders that include property homeowner associations, neighborhoods, and senior communities. The focus of the education will be geared towards fuel modification, establishing and maintaining defensible space, and home hardening techniques. In addition to education, the actual treatment of vegetation within the WUI will reduce the risk of loss and damage from wildfire. Staff will instruct property owners and residents in self-inspection techniques for their properties or shared properties. These actions will assist property owners in establishing fuel zones around their homes and removing combustible vegetation and materials. The work will also include the coordination of chipper days which will assist property owners with removing vegetation from their property. The project will also include coordination and tracking of the fuel treatments that occur in and around the WUIs through the development of a robust GIS database.

SECTION 2:

The City acknowledges compliance with all state and federal public participation requirements in the development of its application(s).

SECTION 3:

The City Manager, Assistant City Manager, or designee is authorized to execute and deliver all project applications and any and all related documentation required to effectuate the terms of the Agreement, and to act on the City's behalf in all matters pertaining to all such applications and documentation.

SECTION 4:

If an application is approved, the City Manager, Assistant City Manager, or designee is authorized to enter into, execute and deliver the grant agreement (i.e., Standard Agreement) and any and all subsequent amendments thereto, with the State of California for the purposes of the Grant.

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SECTION 5:

If an application is approved, the City Manager, Assistant City Manager, or designee is authorized to sign and submit Funds Requests and all required reporting forms and other documentation as may be required by the State of California from time to time in connection with the Agreement for purposes of the Grant.

IN COUNCIL DULY PASSED this 14th day of December, 2021.

AYES: (7) Mayor C. Rogers, Vice Mayor Alvarez, Council Members Fleming,
N. Rogers, Sawyer, Schwedhelm, Tibbetts

NOES: (0)

ABSENT: (0)

ABSTAIN: (0)

ATTEST: _____ APPROVED: _____
City Clerk Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM: _____
City Attorney