

Affordable Housing and Sustainable Communities (AHSC) Program Amending Resolution 2020-009

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CURRENT

- CA Department of Housing and Community Development (HCD) administers AHSC
 Program providing funding for affordable housing development and related transportation projects to reduce GHGs
- January 28, 2020 (RES-2020-009) Council approved partnering with MidPen Housing and SMART on an AHSC grant for Roseland Village, including related bicycle, pedestrian and transit improvements

CURRENT

- The Roseland Village AHSC proposal supports Tier 1 City Council priorities related to housing and climate action, as well as the Council goal to invest in and sustain infrastructure and transportation.
- AHSC grant award was announced July 20, 2020

CURRENT

Roseland Village AHSC Award: \$25,780,623

- \$16,440,623 for MidPen Housing
- \$5,225,000 for SMART
- \$4,115,000 for Santa Rosa:
 - Transit (\$2,670,000)
 - Battery-electric bus
 - Route 15 frequency increase
 - Enhanced amenities on high-frequency transit corridors/bus-rail wayfinding
 - Bicycle and pedestrian projects (\$1,445,000)
 - Traffic signal at Third St. and SMART station
 - Pedestrian gap closures on Corby Ave.

BENEFIT

- AHSC application supports affordable housing development in Santa Rosa providing 75 new affordable units
- Award includes funding for transit, bicycle, and pedestrian projects that forward Council goals

RECOMMENDATION

 It is recommended by the Transportation and Public Works Department that the Council, by two resolutions, 1) repeal Resolution No. RES-2020-009 and 2) to correct a clerical error, replace Resolution No. RES-2020-009 with an amended resolution form that meets California Department of Housing and Community Development requirements and correctly reflects the specific award amount of \$25,780,623; corrects the date of the Notice of Funding to November 1, 2019; and removes the portions referencing the individual agency project components for the Affordable Housing and Sustainable Communities (AHSC) Program for the Roseland Village Housing Project.