



Low Carbon Transit Operations Program (LCTOP) Funding Request

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CURRENT

- SB 862 (2014) Transit, Affordable Housing, and Sustainable Communities Program provides for proceeds from Cap and Trade auctions to fund the LCTOP program.
- LCTOP provides assistance to transit operators to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and improve mobility.
- LCTOP uses a formula to distribute funds to transit operators with eligible projects throughout the state based on population and revenue.

PROPOSED

- Request \$252,853 in LCTOP funds that Santa Rosa Transportation and Public Works Department will use to support operation of new Route 1, 2, and 15 services instituted as part of CityBus system restructuring.

RECOMMENDATION

- It is recommended by the Transportation and Public Works Department that the Council, by resolution, 1) authorize the Director of Transportation and Public Works or designee to request \$252,853 in Low Carbon Transit Operations Program (LCTOP) funds to assist in operating the improved service on Route 1, 2, and 15 in the CityBus system; 2) authorize the Mayor to execute the authorized agent form; 3) authorize the Director of Transportation and Public Works to execute all other documentation, including the certifications and assurances documents; and 4) authorize the Chief Financial Officer to increase appropriations in revenue and expenditures by the approved grant award.