

Lifeline Transportation Program Funding Request

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CURRENT

- The Metropolitan Transportation
 Commission's Lifeline Transportation Program supports projects that address mobility needs in low-income communities
- The program is administered locally by the Sonoma County Transportation Authority
- Cycle V of the program provides funding from State Transit Assistance and Federal Transit Administration Section 5307

PROPOSED

- Request \$383,261 in State Transit Assistance funds and \$148,112 in Section 5307 funds to support continued operation of Lifeline bus routes supported by previous cycles of the program
- Provide required 20% local match with \$132,843 in Transportation Development Act Article VI funds

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended by the Transportation and Public Works Department that the Council, by resolution:

- 1) requests that the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) program \$383,261 in State Transit Assistance funds and \$148,112 in Federal Transit Administration (FTA) Section 5307 funds available under its Lifeline Transportation Program for the proposed "Lifeline Route Operation Funds" project, and
- 2) directs Transit Division staff to forward a copy of this Resolution, and such other information as may be required, to MTC, the Sonoma County Transportation Authority, and such other agencies as may be appropriate.