



# WASHOE COUNTY

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## STAFF REPORT

BOARD MEETING DATE: June 16, 2020

**DATE:** Wednesday May 6, 2020

**TO:** Board of County Commissioners

**FROM:** Don Gil, Patrol Captain  
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**THROUGH:** Sheriff Darin Balaam

**SUBJECT:** Recommendation to accept a donation of [\$9,000.00, no cost to County] from the Sun Valley General Improvement District to the Washoe County Sheriff's Office for the Sheriff's Office Patrol Division to assist with abandoned vehicle removal and abatement efforts in the Sun Valley area and, if approved, authorize Comptroller's Office to make appropriate budget amendments. (Commission Districts 3 & 5.)

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### **SUMMARY**

The Washoe County Sheriff's Office Patrol Division has received a donation in the amount of \$9,000.00 to assist in the efforts of abandoned vehicle removal and abatement within and strictly designated to be utilized in the Sun Valley area. This donation will provide the WCSO the ability to coordinate with regional partners and tow abandoned vehicles located within the Sun Valley area.

**Washoe County Strategic Objective supported by this item:** Safe, Secure and Healthy Communities.

### **PREVIOUS ACTION**

None.

### **BACKGROUND**

The Washoe County Sheriff's Office has been working to find long term solutions to the ever-increasing problem associated with abandoned vehicles. While the problem is being experienced county-wide, Sun Valley has been hit the hardest. These funds will be used to specifically remove abandoned vehicles within the Sun Valley area in a collaborative effort to help clean up the areas with the worst problems.

**AGENDA ITEM # \_\_\_\_\_**

## **GRANT AWARD SUMMARY**

**Project/Program Name:** Sun Valley General Improvement District Garbage Collection

**Scope of the Project:** Removal of abandoned vehicles, motorhomes, boats and garbage

**Benefit to Washoe County Residents:** Cleaner community.

**On-Going Program Support:** None

**Award Amount:** \$9,000.00

**Grant Period:** None

**Funding Source:** Sun Valley General Improvement District

**Pass through from:** None

**CFDA Number:** None

**Grant ID Number:** None

**Match Amount and Type:** None

**Sub-Awards and Contracts:** N/A

## **FISCAL IMPACT**

Should the Board accept this donation, FY20 budget amendment(s) are necessary as follows:

### **Increase Revenues:**

20486 – 484000 (Sheriff SVGID Garbage Collection – Donations) \$9,000.00

### **Increase Expenditures:**

20486 - 710200 (Sheriff SVGID Garbage Collection – Service Contract) \$9,000.00

## **RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Washoe County Board of County Commissioners accept a donation of [\$9,000.00, no cost to County] from the Sun Valley General Improvement District to the Washoe County Sheriff's Office for the Sheriff's Office Patrol Division to assist with abandoned vehicle removal and abatement efforts in the Sun Valley area and, if approved, authorize Comptroller's Office to make appropriate budget amendments.

**POSSIBLE MOTION**

Should the Board agree with staff's recommendation, a possible motion would be:  
"Move to accept a donation of [\$9,000.00, no cost to County] from the Sun Valley General Improvement District to the Washoe County Sheriff's Office for the Sheriff's Office Patrol Division to assist with abandoned vehicle removal and abatement efforts in the Sun Valley area and, if approved, authorize Comptroller's Office to make appropriate budget amendments."