



# WASHOE COUNTY

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## STAFF REPORT

BOARD MEETING DATE: April 13, 2021

**DATE:** March 12, 2021  
**TO:** Board of County Commissioners  
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**SUBJECT:** Recommendation to retroactively approve temporary staffing from Talent Framework in the approximate amount of [\$400,000] to support the COVID-19 response efforts and the COVID-19 vaccination events. (All Commission Districts)

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### SUMMARY

The Washoe Board of County Commissioners must approve purchase orders greater than \$100,000.00.

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

### PREVIOUS ACTION

No previous action this fiscal year.

### BACKGROUND

Washoe County joins with the State of Nevada in a multi-year contract for temporary employment services with a number of agencies. The Board of County Commissioners approved the current agreements at their May 28, 2019 meeting.

The Health District's FY21 purchase's support various positions of our COVID-19 response efforts (administrative and testing) and support of current COVID-19 vaccination events. Utilizing temporary employment services has proven to be an efficient and effective method of providing surge staffing in several programs.

### FISCAL IMPACT

Should the Board approve this request, there will be no additional impact to the adopted FY21 budget, as amounts were anticipated and budgeted in the following Internal Orders:

- 11717 – Public Health Preparedness Grant
- 11725 – ELC CARES Grant
- 11730 – ELC Enhancing Detection (COVID) Grant

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

**RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Board of County Commissioners retroactively approve temporary staffing from Talent Framework in the approximate amount of [\$400,000] in support of the COVID-19 response efforts and the COVID-19 vaccination events.

**POSSIBLE MOTION**

Should the Board agree with staff's recommendation, a possible motion would be: "Move to retroactively approve temporary staffing from Talent Framework in the approximate amount of [\$400,000] in support of the COVID-19 response efforts and the COVID-19 vaccination events."