

RESOLUTION: R26-0000017

Authorizing grant of funds to Aha Projects

WHEREAS, NRS 244.1505 provides that a Board of County Commissioners may expend money for any purpose which will provide a substantial benefit to the inhabitants of the County and that a board may make a grant of money to certain nonprofit organizations or governmental entities created for religious, charitable or educational purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of Washoe County has determined that a certain amount of money is available from the American Rescue Plan Act funds through the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund passed through to Aha Projects for the Aha Connects Nonprofit Capacity Building Program will provide a substantial benefit to the inhabitants of Washoe County;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF WASHOE COUNTY, that the Board hereby awards

1. Aha Projects, a grant in the amount of \$55,000.00
2. The purpose of the SLFRF- ARPA funded program is to support the final development and launch of Aha Connects, a nonprofit resource center designed to strengthen the sustainability, capacity, and impact of charitable organizations in Northern Nevada. Its purpose is to provide affordable workspace, shared administrative services, fiscal sponsorship, and training opportunities that reduce operational barriers and help nonprofits grow more effectively. Grant funds will complete renovations and technology upgrades to create accessible, collaborative, and fully equipped facilities that enable nonprofits to operate efficiently and expand their community impact in the amount of \$55,000.00
3. The maximum amount to be expended from the grant and the conditions and limitations upon the grant are set forth in the Subgrant Agreement that will be signed by the County Manager.

Adopted this 17th Day of February 2026

Clara Andriola, Chair
Washoe County Commission

ATTEST:

County Clerk