



# WASHOE COUNTY

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## STAFF REPORT

**BOARD MEETING DATE:** November 13, 2018

**DATE:** October 29, 2018  
**TO:** Board of County Commissioners  
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**THROUGH:** Kate Thomas, Assistant County Manager

**SUBJECT:** Approve Interlocal Cooperative Agreements (ICA) and acceptance of a contribution of [\$2,500.00] from the Reno-Sparks Indian Colony (RSIC), [\$7,500] from the City of Reno, and [\$7,500] from the Truckee River Flood Management Authority (TRFMA) for a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan (RHMP) and direct the Comptroller's Office to make appropriate budget amendments. (All Commission Districts)

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### **SUMMARY**

It is requested that the Board of County Commissioners (BCC) Approve an Interlocal Cooperative Agreement (ICA) and acceptance of a contribution of \$2,500.00 from the Reno-Sparks Indian Colony (RSIC), \$7,500 from the City of Reno, and \$7,500 from the Truckee River Flood Management Authority (TRFMA) for a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan (RHMP) and direct the Comptroller's Office to make appropriate budget amendments.

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

### **PREVIOUS ACTION**

N/A

### **BACKGROUND**

Washoe County, the City of Reno, the City of Sparks, TRFMA, Reno-Sparks Indian Colony, and the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe have developed and maintain a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan. The RHMP serves as the overarching operational document to guide the regional partners through FEMA-required Mitigation actions.

Because the FEMA requirement is to update the RHMP every five years, and the date of the last plan is 2015, Washoe County and the regional partners are selecting a vendor through a competitive process. These funds serve as match for the FEMA grant and ensure that each jurisdiction has joint ownership of the process. The Reno-Sparks Indian

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Colony, City of Reno, and the TRFMA are contributing to efforts to update the RHMP as one of the Washoe County Regional Partners.

The Board of County Commissioners previously approved a 2014 Pre-Disaster Mitigation Grant, and Washoe County accepted contributions from the Reno-Sparks Indian Colony, the City of Reno, the City of Sparks, The Truckee River Flood Management Authority (TRFMA), and the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe in the spirit of regional partnership to jointly develop the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan.

On August 28, 2018 the Board of County Commissioners accepted a 2017 Pre-Disaster Mitigation Grant.

### **FISCAL IMPACT**

Should the Board approve the Interlocal Cooperative Agreements, accept the contributions and approve the budget amendments, the FY19 Emergency Management Project Contributions adopted budget will be increased by \$17,500 in the following accounts:

Cost Object	G/L	Amount increase
IO – 20455	433300 – Local Govt-Operating Cost Sharing	\$17,500
IO – 20455	710100 – Professional Services	\$17,500

### **RECOMMENDATION**

Approve Interlocal Cooperative Agreements (ICA) and acceptance of a contribution of [\$2,500.00] from the Reno-Sparks Indian Colony (RSIC), [\$7,500] from the City of Reno, and [\$7,500] from the Truckee River Flood Management Authority (TRFMA) for a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan (RHMP) and direct the 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 approve Interlocal Cooperative Agreements (ICA) and acceptance of a contribution of [\$2,500.00] from the Reno-Sparks Indian Colony (RSIC), [\$7,500] from the City of Reno, and [\$7,500] from the Truckee River Flood Management Authority (TRFMA) for a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan (RHMP) and direct the Comptroller's Office to make appropriate budget amendments."*