

RESOLUTION – Authorizing the Grant of Public Monies to a Government Entity

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 a nonprofit organization created for religious, charitable or educational purposes or to a governmental entity to be expended for a selected purpose; and

WHEREAS, The Board of County Commissioners of Washoe County upon the recommendation of Commissioner Jeanne Herman for District 5, has determined that \$5,000 will be granted to the Washoe County Human Services Agency to support the CrossRoads Program; and

WHEREAS, The Washoe County Human Services Agency is the lead agency, in collaboration with Catholic Charities of Northern Nevada, administering the CrossRoads program, which provides supportive living arrangements for men and women transitioning out of homelessness; and

WHEREAS, Clients in the program are given a safe and caring environment to live in, along with wraparound case management services, providing access to drug and alcohol counseling services, mental health treatment services, employment support, volunteer/work opportunities and other tools to help them establish a new, more productive path in life; and

WHEREAS, These funds will provide needed upgrades to the CrossRoads River House, which provides up to 24 women sober supportive community living. This site was acquired by the Human Services Agency in January 2019 and is in much need of aesthetic improvements in addition to replacement of worn furniture; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the Board of Commissioners of Washoe County that:

1. The Board finds that in making this grant a substantial benefit will be provided to the inhabitants for the County by supporting the Washoe County Human Services Agency's CrossRoads Program River House.
2. The Board hereby grants to the Washoe County Human Services Agency a grant for fiscal year 2018-2019 in the amount of \$5,000.
3. Funds shall not be used for the purchase of tickets to special events.

ADOPTED this 16th day of April, 2019

Vaughn Hartung, Chair
Washoe County Commission

ATTEST:

County Clerk