

RESOLUTION: R26-000044

Authorizing grant of funds to CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF NORTHERN NEVADA

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 Washoe Opioid Abatement and Recovery Funds (WOARF) through the One Nevada Agreement on Allocation of Opioid Recoveries, passed through to CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF NORTHERN NEVADA for the OPIOID STREET OUTREACH program which 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. CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF NORTHERN NEVADA, a grant in the amount of \$533,860 for the term of July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2026, with an optional one-year renewal up to the amount of \$533,860 for the term of July 1, 2027 through June 30, 2028, for a total amount not to exceed \$1,067,720.
2. The purpose of the WOARF funded program is to establish and operate the OPIOID STREET OUTREACH program in partnership with Washoe County Human Services Agency. This program will support street outreach efforts in Washoe County to individuals who are unsheltered and are experiencing Opioid Use Disorder (OUD) or are at risk of OUD. Street outreach efforts will assist in referring and linking the OUD/AR population to substance use and mental health services as well as referring individuals to the regional Coordinated Entry system to find appropriate housing options in the community.
3. The maximum amount to be expended from the grant and the conditions and limitations upon the award are set forth in the Internal Memorandum of Understanding, dated January 1, 2026, between the Washoe County Office of the County Manager – Community Reinvestment and the Washoe County Human Services Agency – Housing and Homeless Services, that was signed by the County Manager and the Director of the Human Services Agency.

Adopted this 16th Day of June 2026

Clara Andriola, Chair
Washoe County Commission

ATTEST:

County Clerk