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New ARPA-SLFRF Projects

New ARPA-LATCF Funding

Washoe County Board of County Commissioners Meeting

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A and C

Washoe County provides \$250,000 for each General Improvement District (GID) to carry out an SLFRF-eligible projects for its district.

- *Previously Approved Projects* – Palomino Valley Road Restoration and Sun Valley Park Revitalization approved at the 9-13-2022 BCC
- *Item A:* Incline Village GID – Enhancing local recreation activities at the skate park (picnic tables, concrete pad, bolt-in skate features)
- *Item C:* Gerlach affordable housing study and plan on an 18-acre GID-owned property. Includes surveying and mapping of parcel, land use changes, traffic engineering services, and plan amendment requests. The project will be managed by Washoe County Community Services Department.



Community Reinvestment Grant Program

- **Open and competitive grant solicitation** supported by the County's State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds for approximately \$4 million.
- Between June 1st – July 15th the program **received 75 eligible applications ~ \$22 million**
- Program was marketed through social media and emails to local nonprofit listservs.
- Community Reinvestment provided **ongoing technical support** throughout the application process to **all** interested applicants.

Selection and Criteria

- Reviewed and scored by Washoe County staff
- Applications were analyzed based on:
 - Alignment with priority areas and pandemic recovery efforts
 - Collaboration with Washoe County services and initiatives – reviewed by impacted/collaborated Washoe departments.
 - Ability to broaden and strengthen the County's reach
 - Advancing equity throughout the community
 - Population served
 - Geographic distribution
 - Gaps in services
 - Program/Project sustainability beyond award end date

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B – Community Subgrants

- **12 non-profit subgrants** in the amount of **\$1,021,113.13**
- Supported by the Community Reinvestment Grant Program
- Initial group of nonprofit subgrants represents smaller, less complicated awards.
- All awardees were met with to discuss the project and budget items.
- Planning to bring remaining subgrants to November or December BCC meeting for approval

Options Veterinary Care \$100,000	Big Brothers Big Sisters of Northern Nevada \$31,630.09	Community Foundation of Northern Nevada \$210,985.48	Project Discovery \$49,975	Friends of Black Rock High Rock \$49,864.79	Tu Casa Latina \$23,450
Incline Village Education Fund \$50,000	Pioneer Center for the Performing Arts \$66,500	Rebuilding Together Northern Nevada \$100,000	Sierra Nevada Journeys \$177,655	Discovery Museum \$100,000	Community Services Agency \$61,052.97



Local Assistance and Tribal Consistency Fund (LATCF)

- New funds under the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)
- Washoe County allocated **\$9,427,223.08**
 - The County will receive \$4,713,611.54 in the current year and \$4,713,611.54 in the next calendar year.
- These funds are in addition of ARPA-SLFRF (\$91,587,038) the County has previously received and is currently implementing.
- Programs, services, and capital expenditures that are traditionally undertaken by a government are considered to fulfill a “governmental purpose.” *Except lobbying.*
 - Maintain or expand public services – health, education, housing, public safety etc.
 - Invest in infrastructure – technology, roads, bridges, water, etc.
 - Facilitate economic development or improve health outcomes, etc.
 - Increase the size of government workforce or improve delivery of services.