City of Carson City Agenda Report

Date Submitted: June 8, 2012 Age

Agenda Date Requested: June 21, 2012

Time Requested: 5 minutes

To: Carson City Board of Supervisors

From: Health & Human Services (Marena Works)

Subject Title: For Possible Action: Action to accept a contract in the amount of \$253,060.00 for two years from the Nevada Department of Transportation (NDOT). This grant will be effective beginning August 1, 2012 or at the execution of the contract with NDOT. The purpose of this grant is to hire a regional Safe Routes to School Coordinator position to serve Carson City, Lyon, Douglas and Storey counties. Safe Routes to School is a program designed to decrease traffic and pollution and increase the health of children and the community.

Staff Summary: The funding, which originates from the Federal Transportation Administration, for this agreement will be used to support 1FTE coordinator, to coordinate efforts aligned with all five standard elements of the Federal program – Education, Encouragement, Enforcement, Engineering, and Evaluation. The Coordinator will serve the region to provide guidance, program development, and facilitation of a Safe Routes Program while working collaboratively with the State Safe Routes Coordinator, school districts, community members, law enforcement, public works, and other relevant community partners and stakeholders to initiate or expand existing Safe Routes programs in the quad-county program area.

Type of Action Requested: (c	check one)			
() Resolution	() Ordinance			
(_x) Formal Action/Motion	Other (Specify)) Info	ormation Only	
Does This Action Require A Business	s Impact Statement:	() Yes (_X) No

Recommended Board Action: I move to accept a contract in the amount of \$253,060.00 for two years from the Nevada Department of Transportation (NDOT). This grant will be effective beginning August 1, 2012 or at the execution of the contract with NDOT. The purpose of this grant is to hire a regional Safe Routes to School Coordinator position to serve Carson City, Lyon, Douglas and Storey counties. Safe Routes to School is a program designed to decrease traffic and pollution and increase the health of children and the community.

Explanation for Recommended Board Action: This program fits into the mission of CCHHS for education. The recently completed CCHHS community health assessment and community health improvement plan identified pedestrian and bicycle safety as a health priority for Carson City.

Applicable Statue, Code, Policy, Rule or Regulation: NRS 277.180 authorizes anyone or more public agencies to contract with any one or more other public agencies to perform any governmental service.

Fiscal Impact: N/A	
Explanation of Impact: N/A	
Funding Source: Nevada Department of Transport	ation
Alternatives:	
Supporting Material: Letter of confirmation for th	e contract
Prepared By: Dustin Boothe, MPH	
Reviewed By: Department Head) (City Manager) (District Attorney) Audra (Finance Director)	Date:
Board Action Taken:	
Motion:	1) Aye/Nay 2)
(Vote Recorded By)	



STATE OF NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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SUSAN MARTINOVICH, P.E., Director

June 7, 2012

In Reply Refer to:

Marena Works, MSN, MPH, RN Director Carson City Health and Human Services 900 E. Long St. Carson City, NV 89706

RE: Regional Safe Routes to School Coordination

Dear Director Works:

The Department of Transportation (NDOT) is in receipt of Carson City Health and Human Services proposal regarding the implementation of a Safe Routes to School regional coordinator for Douglas, Lyon and Storey Counties, as well as Carson City. The proposal to fund this position and its associated costs for a period of two (2) years for \$ 253,060.00 looks acceptable. NDOT will now initiate the agreement process to formalize this project via a contract. This process can take between 6 and 8 weeks.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact myself (888-7120) or Bill Story, Bicycle/Pedestrian/SRTS Programs Manager at 888-7433.

Sincerely,

Dennis Taylor Chief

Transportation/Multi-Modal Planning Division

Nevada Department of Transportation