

Western Regional Water Commission

STAFF REPORT

DATE: May 17, 2019

TO: Chair and Members, Western Regional Water Commission (“WRWC”)

FROM: Jim Smitherman, WRWC Water Resources Program Manager

SUBJECT: Discussion, and possible approval of a proposal by Washoe County for funding, in an amount not to exceed \$100,000 from the Regional Water Management Fund (“RWMF”), to support a project to restudy and remap current designated flood zones in Lemmon Valley; and if approved, authorize the Chair to execute an Interlocal Agreement (“IA”) with Washoe County for that purpose.

SUMMARY

Dwayne Smith, Director of Engineering and Capital Projects, Washoe County Community Services Department, will present a proposal and request for funding, not to exceed \$100,000 from the RWMF, to partially fund a project to restudy and remap the FEMA designated flood zones associated with the East and West Lemmon Valley Hydrobasins.

PREVIOUS ACTION

None

FISCAL IMPACT

If approved, the fiscal impact to the RWMF will not exceed \$100,000 for Fiscal Year 2019-2020. The Fiscal Year 2019-2020 draft tentative budget recommended by the NNWPC, and approved by the WRWC, includes adequate budget for this project. Budget authority is located in Fund Group 766, Fund 7066, Account Number 710100, Professional Services, Cost Object WP310401.

RECOMMENDATION

The NNWPC recommends that the WRWC approve Washoe County’s request for funding, in an amount not to exceed \$100,000 from the RWMF, to support a project to restudy and remap current designated flood zones in Lemmon Valley, and authorize the Chair to execute an IA with Washoe County for that purpose.

POSSIBLE MOTION

“Move to approve Washoe County’s funding request to support a project to restudy and remap current designated flood zones in Lemmon Valley, in an amount not to exceed \$100,000 from the RWMF for Fiscal Year 2019-2020, and authorize the Chair to execute an IA with Washoe County for that purpose.”

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