Olivehurst Public Utility District

Meeting Date: 08/20/2020

Item description/summary:

Consider adopting resolution allowing OPUD’s representatives to apply for Per Capita Grant Funding

Per Capita Grant funding is a little different than most other grants we apply for. In May of this year, I received a letter from OGALS asking if OPUD would want to participate in the Per Capita Grant Program. Filling out that letter was all that was required for OPUD to receive a grant in the amount of $177,952. The resolution being considered today allows for staff to submit project packages/applications of eligible projects to receive these funds.

Fiscal Analysis:

There is a match required for this grant. If the full amount allocated to us is used, we would be required to give a match of $44,488

Employee Feedback

Positive

Sample Motion:

Adopt the resolution allowing OPUD’s designated representatives to apply for Per Capita Grant Funding.

Prepared by:

Christopher Oliver, Public Works Engineer
RESOLUTION NO. 2356

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF THE OLIVEHURST PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT APPROVING
APPLICATION(S) FOR PER CAPITA GRANT FUNDS

WHEREAS, the State Department of Parks and Recreation has been delegated the responsibility by the Legislature of the State of California for the administration of the Per Capita Grant Program, setting up necessary procedures governing application(s); and

WHEREAS, said procedures established by the State Department of Parks and Recreation require the grantee’s Governing Body to certify by resolution the approval of project application(s) before submission of said applications to the State; and

WHEREAS, the grantee will enter into a contract(s) with the State of California to complete project(s);

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the District hereby:

1. Approves the filing of project application(s) for Per Capita grant project(s); and

2. Certifies that said grantee has or will have available, prior to commencement of project work utilizing Per Capita funding, sufficient funds to complete the project(s); and

3. Certifies that the grantee has or will have sufficient funds to operate and maintain the project(s), and

4. Certifies that all projects proposed will be consistent with the park and recreation element of the district’s general or recreation plan (PRC §80063(a)), and

5. Certifies that these funds will be used to supplement, not supplant, local revenues in existence as of June 5, 2018 (PRC §80062(d)), and

6. Certifies that it will comply with the provisions of §1771.5 of the State Labor Code, and

7. (PRC §80001(b)(8)(A-G)) To the extent practicable, as identified in the “Presidential Memorandum-Promoting Diversity and Inclusion in Our National Parks, National Forests, and Other Public Lands and Waters,” dated January 12, 2017, the district will consider a range of actions that include, but are not limited to, the following:

   a. Conducting active outreach to diverse populations, particularly minority, low-income, and disables populations and tribal communities, to increase awareness within those communities and the public generally about specific programs and opportunities.
b. Mentoring new environmental, outdoor recreation, and conservation leaders to increase diverse representation across these areas.

c. Creating new partnerships with state, local, tribal, private, and nonprofit organizations to expand access for diverse populations.

d. Identifying and implementing improvements to existing programs to increase visitation and access by diverse populations, particularly minority, low-income, and disabled populations and tribal communities.

e. Expanding the use of multilingual and culturally appropriate materials in public communications and educational strategies, including through social media strategies, as appropriate, that target diverse populations.

f. Developing or expanding coordinated efforts to promote youth engagement and empowerment, including fostering new partnerships with diversity-serving and youth-serving organizations, urban areas, and programs.

g. Identifying possible staff liaisons to diverse populations.

8. Agrees that to the extent practicable, the project(s) will provide workforce education and training, contractor and job opportunities for disadvantaged communities (PRC §80001(b)(5)).

9. Certifies that the grantee shall not reduce the amount of funding otherwise available to be spent on parks or other projects eligible for funds under this division in its jurisdiction. A one-time allocation of other funding that has been expended for parks or other projects, but which is not available on an ongoing basis, shall not be considered when calculating a recipient’s annual expenditures. (PRC §80062(d)).

10. Certifies that the grantee has reviewed, understands, and agrees to the General Provisions contained in the contract shown in the Procedural Guide; and

11. Delegates the authority to the General Manager, or designee to conduct all negotiations, sign and submit all documents, including, but not limited to applications, agreements, amendments, and payment requests, which may be necessary for the completion of the grant scope(s); and

12. Agrees to comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and guidelines.
PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of the Olivehurst Public Utility District on this 20th day of August, 2020.

President, Board of Directors

ATTEST:

Acting District Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

Deirdre Joan Cox, Legal Counsel

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I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true, and correct copy of a Resolution duly adopted and passed by the Board of Directors of the Olivehurst Public Utility District, Yuba County, California, at a meeting thereof held on the 20th day of August, 2020, by the following vote:

AYES, AND IN FAVOR THEREOF :

NOES :

ABSTAIN :

ABSENT :

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Acting District Clerk and ex-officio Secretary