

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF SIERRA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

**IN THE MATTER OF DECLARING INTENT
TO ALLOCATE TITLE III FUNDS FOR
DEVELOPMENT OF COMMUNITY FIREWISE PLAN FOR THE
COMMUNITY OF SIERRA CITY COMMUNITY FIREWISE PLAN**

RESOLUTION 2020-

WHEREAS, The Sierra County Board of Supervisors has Title III allocation from the reauthorization of the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self Determination Act of 2000; and,

WHEREAS, Section 300 of HR1424 provides specific procedures for the Board of Supervisors to follow in considering an allocation of Title III funds; and,

WHEREAS, the Sierra County Board of Supervisors has proposed use of Title III funds in the total amount of \$5,000 for costs for Sierra City Community Firewise Plan in order to increase protection of people and property, including adjacent federal lands, around the communities of Sierra City in response to the current proclamation of local emergency due to wildfire danger severity as proclaimed in Board Resolution 2014-066.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Sierra declares its intent to allocate \$5,000.00 in Title III funds from the "Reauthorization of the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self Determination Act of 2000" (PL 110-343) as described above and directs the Director of Transportation to perform the following actions:

- 1) Publish a legal notice advising the public that comments will be received by the Board of Supervisors on a proposed allocation of funds for the specified purpose for a period not to be less than 45 days as required by Section 302 of HR1424; and,
- 2) Submit the proposal to the Sierra County Resource Advisory Committee as required by Section 302 of HR1424; and
- 3) Prepare and present for approval of this Board of Supervisors after a 45 day comment period, a resolution approving the funding of Title III funds for the stated purpose.

ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Sierra on the 1st day of Septembert, 2020 by the following vote:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSTAIN:
ABSENT:

COUNTY OF SIERRA

JAMES BEARD
CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

HEATHER FOSTER
CLERK OF THE BOARD

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August 8, 2020

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SIERRA COUNTY AUDITOR

RE: Title III Fund Request

Dear Mr. Maddox:

Please accept this letter as a request to sign an ROP on our behalf, for Title III funding in the amount of \$5,000.00 to be presented to the Board of Supervisors at the next available meeting. Said funding will be used and invoices submitted for costs associated with establishing a fire wise community within the District, and specifically the City of Sierra City

Enclosed herewith is a copy of the Fire District meeting minutes wherein this request was approved by the Commission. Do not hesitate to contact us if you require any further information, or background information.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Malcolm Cooper".

Malcolm Cooper, Commission Chair