

LASSEN COUNTY TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION
Resolution 10-02
Authorizing Submittal of 2009/2010 Regional Blueprint
Planning Grant for GIS Activities

WHEREAS, the Lassen County Transportation Commission (LCTC) is the Regional Transportation Planning Agency (RTPA) for Lassen County; and

WHEREAS, the LCTC wishes to compete for funding through the California Regional Blueprint Planning Program in partnership with the County of Lassen Planning Department, County Assessor, County Tax Collector, and the City of Susanville Planning and Public Works Departments to initiate regional blueprint planning the Lassen County; and

WHEREAS, regional blueprint planning improves integration of transportation and land use planning by using Geographic Information System (GIS) data to create visualizations that help decision makers make good/better planning decisions, and to assist the public and stakeholders to understand probable and future impacts of these decisions during the next 20 years; and

WHEREAS, the LCTC is applying for funds to 1) develop County Computer Aided Design (CAD) and GIS data collection, data conversion and data aggregation to form standardized GIS layers for general plans, studies, and land use/transportation planning efforts using shared tools and advanced technologies, and 2) organize outreach and coordination with the public, County and City officials, staffs and interested parties in order to educate them about the purposes, benefits and potential outcomes of integrated planning efforts.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the LCTC does hereby approve submittal of a Regional Blueprint planning grant application to the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) Division of Transportation Planning and programming into the Overall Work Program (OWP), if funded, and pending receipt of Planning, Programming and Monitoring funds.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the LCTC authorizes the Executive Secretary to execute the Grant Agreement, to program match funds, to submit any and all necessary documentation for the grant and project, to coordinate among local entities and staffs, to administer the grant and to ensure timely delivery of the project.

The foregoing resolution was passed and adopted at the January 11, 2010 meeting of the Lassen County Transportation Commission by the following vote:

AYES: Franco, Chapman, Hanson, Pyle (alternate) Callegari (alternate)

NOES: None

ABSTAINED: None

ABSENT: Donnam, Dahle, Sayers



CHAIRMAN

Lassen County Transportation Commission