

MARIPOSA COUNTY

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RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2021-27

MEETING: January 12, 2021

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Mike Healy, Public Works Director

RE: Adopt a Resolution Use of CMAQ Funding to Pave Leonard Road

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Adopt a Resolution seeking approval for the Leonard Road Surface Project utilizing Congestion Mitigation Air Quality (CMAQ) Program Funding in the amount of \$900,000.

CMAQ Funding can be applied for advancing projects that minimize traffic congestion or improve air quality, this project seeks to improve the traffic generated dust particulates estimated to exceed 55,000 pounds per year within this heavily residential area of the County.

Staff looked at a number of potential gravel roads to offer as a CMAQ Project but either other locations far exceeded the available funding to complete the project or the particulate level or impacts on residential homes were less than it was determined at this site.

This road improvement has long been promised to the residents of this area. Roughly 20 years ago this project began only to be cut short when funding was lost or reapportioned to a higher priority at the time. This project will partially fill a paving gap in an area where numerous residential properties are situated. This project will greatly improve the air quality of the area dramatically for the estimated 123 residential properties in the immediate area that use this road.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

To our knowledge this is the first time that CMAQ Funding has been used by the County for this purpose and our project application will need both State and Federal Approval. At this juncture staff is simply seeking your approval to submit this project for consideration by both State and Federal Funding Authorities.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Staff will seek to find other uses for this project funding.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

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This project will be funded using CMAC Monies 88.53% and request that Toll Credits, if available, be used for the remaining 11.47% Local Share. Should Toll Credits not be available we propose to use SB1 resources for the Local Match.

ATTACHMENTS:

CMAQ Resolution Road Paving Project (PDF)

RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: Miles Menetrey, District V Supervisor

SECONDER: Tom Sweeney, District II Supervisors

AYES: Smallcombe, Sweeney, Long, Forsythe, Menetrey

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RESOLUTION SUPPORTING TIMELY USE OF FUNDING
CONGESTION MITIGATION AIR QUALITY(CMAQ)
LEONARD ROAD SURFACING PROJECT

WHEREAS, AB 1012 has been enacted into State Law in part to provide for the “timely use” of State and Federal funding; and

WHEREAS, Mariposa County is able to apply for and receive Federal funding under the Congestion Mitigation Air Quality (CMAQ) program; and

WHEREAS, an application for the Leonard Road Surfacing Project has been prepared (herein referred to as PROJECT); and

WHEREAS, the County desires to ensure that its PROJECT is delivered in a timely manner to preclude the Mariposa region from losing those funds for non-delivery; and

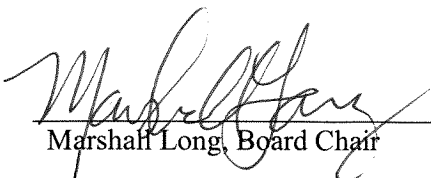
WHEREAS, it is understood by the County that failure for not meeting project delivery dates for any phase of the PROJECT may jeopardize federal or state funding to the region; and

NOW THEREFORE , BE IT RESOLVED that the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors hereby agrees to comply with the requirements as set forth in the CMAQ program, ensure that all project delivery deadlines for all the PROJECT phases will be met or exceeded, and provide the required local matching funds.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors does direct its management and engineering staff to ensure the PROJECT is carried out as described in the complete application and, if approved, in a timely manner as per the requirements of AB 1012 for the amount programmed in the FTIP and the directive of the Board of Supervisors.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 12th day of January 2021 by the following vote:

AYES: SMALLCOMBE, SWEENEY, LONG, FORSYTHE, MENETREY
NOES: NONE
ABSENT: NONE
ABSTAIN: NONE



Marshall Long, Board Chair

ATTEST:



René LaRoche, Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Steven W. Dahlem, County Council