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STAFF REPORT BOARD MEETING DATE: February 23, 2016

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DATE:

January 27, 2016

TO:

Board of County Commissioners

FROM:

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THROUGH: Kevin Schiller, Assistant County Manager

SUBJECT: Recommendation to approve The Emergency Food Assistance Program grant award from the Nevada Department of Agriculture in the amount of \$10,320 (no match), grant period retroactive from October 1, 2015 through September 30, 2016 and if accepted, authorize Chairman to execute grant documents; and direct the Comptroller's Office to make the appropriate budget adjustments. (All Commission Districts)

SUMMARY

Accept The Emergency Food Assistance Program grant award from the Nevada Department of Agriculture.

County Priority/Goal supported by this item: Safe, secure and healthy communities.

PREVIOUS ACTION

None

BACKGROUND

Senior Services has operated The Emergency Food Assistance Program under a contract since 2009. The Nevada Department of Agriculture began sub-granting The Emergency Food Assistance Program to participating agencies for Federal Fiscal Year 2015/2016.

GRANT AWARD SUMMARY

Project/Program Name:

The Emergency Food Assistance Program

Scope of the Project: The Emergency Food Assistance Program provides bi-monthly commodities distribution to low-income senior households. Senior Services administers the program providing personnel, eligibility, distribution and promotional support.

Benefit to Washoe County Residents: Low to very-low income senior household receive emergency food distributions on a bi-monthly basis to address food insecurity issues.

On-Going Program Support: The grant will reimburse Washoe County staff funded by ad valorem tax funds.

Award Amount:

\$10,320

Grant Period:

October 1, 2015 – September 30, 2016

Funding Source:

U.S. Department of Agriculture

Pass through From:

Nevada Department of Agriculture

CFDA Number:

10.568

Grant ID Number:

FND16-10-17

Match Amount and Type: N/A

Sub-Awards and Contracts: N/A

FISCAL IMPACT

Should the board accept this sub-grant award, the Senior Services' Fiscal Year 2015/16 budget will need to be augmented as follows in a new internal order:

Increase Revenue

TBD-431100 Federal Revenue	\$10,320
Increase Expenditure	
TBD-701412 Salary Adjustment	\$ 7,383
TBD-405360 Benefit Adjustment	\$ 2,871
TBD-410350 Office Supplies	\$ 66

No match required.

RECOMMENDATION

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POSSIBLE MOTION

Should the Board agree with staff's recommendation, a possible motion would be: "Move to approve The Emergency Food Assistance Program grant award from the Nevada Department of Agriculture in the amount of \$10,320 (no match), grant period retroactive from October 1, 2015 through September 30, 2016 and if accepted, authorize Chairman to execute grant documents; and direct the Comptroller's Office to make the appropriate budget adjustments."